

Legal Aid Ontario and the Association of Community Legal Clinics of Ontario working together on community development in clinic system

Legal Aid Ontario (LAO) and the Association of Community Legal Clinics of Ontario (ACLCO) have created a joint working group to develop strategies that will help clinics do more community development and community organizing at the local level.

This initiative aligns with the LAO-Clinic Memo of Understanding signed by each clinic and LAO's Board. The Ontario Project for Inter-Clinic Community Organizing (OPICCO) is providing key support and assistance.

Community development and organizing is part of the clinic system's core mandate and an important part of the work clinics do.

Over the next few months, the working group will identify ways to increase and improve community development and community organizing work in the clinic system, and examine ideas on how to expand and strengthen that work.

Questions?

- Vicki Moretti, LAO Regional VP, GTA
- Lenny Abramowicz, Executive Director, ACLCO
- Liz Walker, Co-Chair, OPICCO, (Provincial Organizer at ISAC)