Consulate General of the Republic of Turkey

Free legal advice is available every Wednesday from 8:30 am to 1:30 pm without an appointment.

In the event of a scheduling conflict, an alternative appointment will be announced in advance on the Facebook page of the Consulate General of the Republic of Turkey.

The consultations cover the following legal areas: family law, tort law, criminal law, administrative law, immigration law, and citizenship matters.

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For a list of court interpreters for certified translations, visit www.gerichtsdolmetscher.at.

All Legal Questions

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Free legal advice of around 15 - 20 minutes, in which the legal situation and possible steps can be discussed. Information at www.rechtsanwaelte-vorarlberg.at.

Municipalities

... offer consultation days for legal advice. You can find information about this in the community newsletters or on your community's website.

Official Day at the District Courts

On the official day, you can receive simple legal information in connection with a pending or specifically intended court case and record simple complaints, applications, or declarations.

An interpreter cannot be provided on the official day.

Every Tuesday from 8 am to 12 pm by appointment.

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WOMEN & THE LAW

Legal Advice for Women in Vorarlberg

Frau & Recht - Rechtsberatung für Frauen in Vorarlberg | Englisch

Sometimes situations can arise in life in which legal information is important. For some matters, legal representation is needed to take care of the issue. An initial consultation is useful to obtain information as a basis for deciding how to proceed. These initial consultations are purely for orientation.

As soon as a legal representative takes action on your behalf in legal matters, such as making phone calls, preparing a written statement, or checking contracts, you will incur costs.

We have clearly listed where and from whom you can get inexpensive or free advice here.

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Family Law

Family Counseling at the District Courts every Tuesday

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Reduced-Cost Legal Consultation

Women who wish to learn about their rights in matters related to family, marriage, partnership, or divorce can make use of a reduced-cost legal consultation offered by specialized women lawyers. The consultation lasts up to 45 minutes. A large part of the costs is covered through a consultation voucher provided by the Department for Women and Gender Equality. The personal contribution amounts to 20 euros. You must request the consultation voucher from the department before your appointment and bring it with you to the consultation. Please mention when scheduling your appointment that you will apply for or have already applied for a consultation voucher.

Women residing in Vorarlberg are eligible to apply for the voucher. If you have not yet used a consultation voucher this year, you can submit an application via the following link: www.vorarlberg.at/antrag-rechtsberatung

Contact information of the women lawyers:

Bregenz	Dr.in Anita Einsle, M.B.L.	+43 5574 54447
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	Dr.in Katja Matt	+43 5574 46608
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Feldkirch	Dr.in Andrea Höfle-Stenech, LL.M.	+43 5522 7800

Tipps & Infos

Procedural Aid

If you have little or no income, you can apply for legal aid. Legal aid can be requested verbally or in writing at the court of first instance.

Procedural aid can include exemption from court fees and fees for witnesses, interpreters, and experts. If legal representation is required by law in a procedure or is otherwise necessary depending on the circumstances of the case, legal advice can also be provided free of charge. However, legal aid does not cover the costs that you must reimburse to the opposing party if they win the case.

Legal Expenses Insurance

The offers and conditions of individual insurance companies vary greatly. Ask your insurance company exactly which areas of law are covered and to what extent.

Waiting periods until insurance coverage becomes available must be taken into account.

Mediation

In the context of a separation or divorce, mediation is a way to get support in working out a solution.

The addresses of subsidized mediation services can be found at: www.justiz.gv.at

Lawyers in Vorarlberg

A list of lawyers from the Vorarlberg Bar Association is available at www.rechtsanwaelte-vorarlberg.at.

Brochure of the Austrian Bar Association: “Justice Made Easy. The Best Tips, the Most Frequently Asked Questions, the Most Important Addresses.”

Lawyer Fees

For further advice, the fee is based either on an hourly rate of around 300 to 500 euros net or on the value in dispute.

Before a consultation or issuing a mandate, you should discuss the costs or set them in writing. You can also set a personal limit and inform your legal advisor in advance that you do not wish to use any services beyond this limit.

The First Consultation

When seeking legal advice on family law issues it is advisable to take the following documents with you:

- Property documents or rental agreements
- Current and savings accounts (Sparbuch) statements
- Investment documents
- Credit card and loan agreements
- Insurance policies

Prepare for the conversation by making a list of questions that need to be clarified. It can be helpful to have another person present during the conversation, they can take notes without participating.