

Resources available to you from home:

The library is open for in-person visits Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 9am to 1pm. Limited virtual reference services are available Monday – Friday from 9am-5pm. These additional resources are available to you from home:

 Email our reference staff to ask a question and fulfill limited document delivery requests at sfll.reference@sfgov.org

Library resources:

- Check our website and our COVID-19 Libguide for all resources and updates
- Full text remote access to Fastcase on our <u>database</u> page provides access to state and federal law documents including federal bankruptcy, tax courts, US Supreme Court, federal district and courts of appeal cases as well as federal and state statutes and regulations
 - To access click the above link or go to <u>gateway.fastcase.com</u> and enter user name = <u>SFLawLibrary</u> & password = <u>fastcase</u>
- <u>SFLL LexisNexis Digital Library</u> access the full-text online ebook collection of our LexisNexis titles remotely. Register for an ebook account and find content and training materials on our LexisNexis Digital Library page
- <u>Legal links</u> free primary sources of online legal information for California, San Francisco, and Federal codes and statues, courts, court rules, cases, and court forms along with legislative and governmental information
- Research guides on a variety of legal topics including our COVID-19 Quick Guides offering legal resources on hot topics related to the coronavirus/COVID-19
- Forms including California legal forms and pleading paper
- The <u>NOLO Legal Information Reference Center</u> is available on our <u>database page</u> and contains the full text of hundreds of Nolo Press self-help publications as well as thousands of legal forms and other legal ebooks written for non-lawyers

Vendor-sponsored database access (requires user self-registration):

Please note vendors are phasing out free remote access to these databases as COVID restrictions lift. These databases are available in the library during open hours:

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Westlaw offers complementary 7-day remote access to Westlaw Edge for patrons. Self-registration required:

- 1. Access the Westlaw Edge trial page and enter your email address: https://legal.thomsonreuters.com/en-us/products/westlaw-edge/trial-overview
- 2. Enter your contact information. In the Organization Type field, please select "Library User"
- 3. Create User Name and Password and complete Security fields
- 4. Click Launch Trial

Please note vendor-sponsored resources may have printing/download limitations and restrictions

MCLE & Educational Programs

Check our schedule for upcoming free remote programs

California & San Francisco Court resources:

- The California Courts Self-Help Center provides guidance on a number of common legal topics and issues
- Please check individual <u>California Court</u> websites for the latest updates on court availability and procedures
- San Francisco Superior Court
 - Docket Search <u>Civil Case Inquiry</u> <u>Tentative Rulings</u>