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Maryland Legal Aid Partners with Fox45, University of Baltimore, and Johns Hopkins University to Host Expungement Clinic at the B'More Healthy Expo

BALTIMORE, MARYLAND, (March 22, 2022) – Maryland Legal Aid (MLA) is partnering with Fox 45, University of Baltimore, and Johns Hopkins University for an Expungement Clinic on Saturday, March 26, 2022, to assist individuals with a criminal history. Individuals will have an opportunity to be advised by legal professionals and have petitions prepared on site. This one-on-one expungement assistance can be life-changing for the vast number of people who qualify.

The Expungement Clinic on March 26th will be staged at FOX45's B'More Healthy Expo. In addition to expungement services, participants can be connected with resources to provide health services, housing, employment, and veterans services. The B'More Healthy Expo also features free health screenings, life-saving skills workshops, education and entertainment for all ages.

What: B'More Healthy Expo Expungement Clinic
When: Saturday, March, 26, 2022 | 10:00AM – 4:00PM
Where: Baltimore Convention Center
1 West Pratt Street
Baltimore, MD 21201

For more information, contact Assistant Director for Pro Bono, Angus Derbyshire, at aderbyshire@mdlaborg. For more information about the B'More Healthy Expo, visit <https://bmorehealthyexpo.com/>

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Maryland Legal Aid (MLA) is a private, non-profit law firm that provides free, civil legal services to people who are in Baltimore City and Maryland's 23 counties from 12 offices. The firm handles cases involving a wide range of issues, including family, housing, government benefits, healthcare, employment, and consumer law. MLA also represents children in CINA (Child in Need of Assistance) proceedings in 16 jurisdictions. Other vulnerable populations, such as homeowners facing foreclosure, migrant and seasonal farm workers, people with developmental and mental health disabilities, nursing home and assisted living residents, and veterans seeking benefits and assistance with related legal issues also receive representation through special projects. MLA's Community Lawyering Initiative, which includes its Lawyer in the Library program, assists with expunging criminal records to remove barriers to obtaining housing, employment, and child custody through clinics held in libraries, community centers, non-profit organizations, places of worship, schools, healthcare facilities, and other communal places.