

# New Free Legal Help for Dane County Residents

## What is LIFT Dane?

**LIFT Dane** LIFT Dane is a not-for-profit organization designed to increase economic prosperity for Dane County residents. With our unique technology, we help people remove civil legal barriers and connect participants to programs that can facilitate better jobs, housing, and healthcare.

## How will it be different?

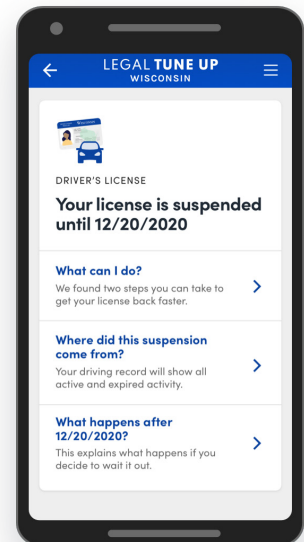
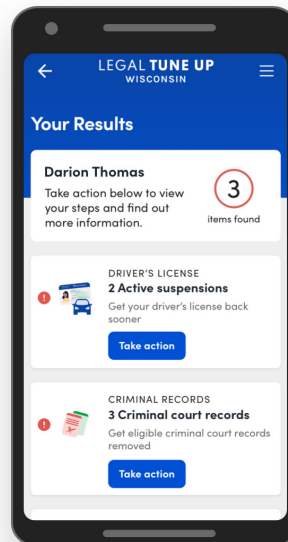
### TECHNOLOGY!

**LIFT Dane** is developing a new Legal Tune Up app for smartphones and the web.

The app will use public data to help people efficiently resolve civil legal problems. Look for the app in fall 2020.

## The new Legal Tune Up app will:

- Provide user-friendly digital access to a legal tune up and self-help tools
- Auto-fill forms for court filings
- Direct people to free, in-person legal aid to help resolve their legal issues



## What will be the benefits of the LIFT Dane app?

### Individual Benefits:

Restore Driver's Licenses



Ability to get to a job and to explore better employment or educational opportunities

Eliminate Debt

Build financial stability and increase ability to obtain better housing



### Organizational Benefits:

Increased retention of valuable and trained employees

Reduced turnover costs

## Free Driver's License Phone or Video Legal Clinics Can Help Now!

Legal issues can prevent people from restoring or obtaining a driver's license, which impedes their ability to get to work or find a job, take their kids to daycare, or obtain medical care.



While LIFT Dane develops our online Legal Tune Up app, we are scheduling new appointments for people to meet with a free attorney through video or phone conferences.

- Zoom video conferencing with a computer or tablet
- Zoom telephone number to connect with an attorney on the phone

Participants will speak with volunteer attorneys for help with driver's license-related issues including:

- Understanding the steps to take to reinstate a license
- Reopening previous legal forfeitures or unpaid fines and fees cases
- Understanding and addressing OWI-related barriers to obtaining a driver's license
- Identifying and facilitating access to occupational driver's licenses



## How Can You Help? Consider Partnering with LIFT Dane.

**Host a virtual clinic.**  
**Spread the word.**  
**Donate.**

LIFT Dane is a collaboration between organizations and businesses like yours, the Economic Justice Institute, Inc., the UW Law School's civil clinics, the Center for Patient Partnerships, Legal Action of Wisconsin, and the Employment and Training Association of Dane County.

For more information or to schedule a free driver's license phone or video conference, please contact:

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