



Host Site: Neighborhood Legal Services of Los Angeles County

Project: Antelope Valley, CA

Location: Antelope Valley Rural Assistance Fellowship – School to Prison Pipeline

Description of Fellow Project:

Neighborhood Legal Services of Los Angeles County (NLSLA) is seeking a summer law Fellow to work on a school-to-prison pipeline project in the Antelope Valley, a remote part of Los Angeles County. The Fellow will gain a full range of skills in public interest lawyering, including direct legal services, impact litigation, and policy advocacy.

The Rural Summer Legal Corps Fellow will be an integral part of AVOCAT and will work with the team to address the school-to-prison pipeline by protecting the rights of students and removing the barriers to employment for justice-involved adults. AVOCAT will remotely connect to volunteers in the greater Los Angeles area to two AV clinics per month: one reentry clinic and one school discipline clinic, with staggered schedules.

RSLC Fellow will also have the opportunity to work with AVOCAT's attorneys on extended service cases as well as impact litigation and policy work. NLSLA anticipates a strong focus on systemic work in the AV this next summer.

