

# LEGAL NEEDS CHECKLIST

01

WILL THESE CHARGES IMPACT YOUR HOUSING SITUATION?

YES NO NOT SURE

*IF YES, HOW? WILL YOU NOT BE ABLE TO LIVE AT YOUR HOME, BE EVICTED FROM YOUR HOME, NOT BE ABLE TO RETURN HOME BECAUSE OF A NO CONTACT ORDER OR BE REMOVED FROM SHELTER AVAILABILITY?*

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02

WILL THESE CHARGES IMPACT YOUR CURRENT EMPLOYMENT OR FUTURE EMPLOYMENT?

YES NO NOT SURE

*IF YOU ARE CURRENTLY EMPLOYED, WHERE AND WHAT IS YOUR GENERAL SCHEDULE? HAVE YOU BEEN ABLE TO NOTIFY YOUR EMPLOYER OF YOUR CURRENT CIRCUMSTANCES?*

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03

WILL THESE CHARGES IMPACT YOUR EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES?

YES NO NOT SURE

*IF YES, NOTE YOUR CURRENT PROGRAM/SCHOOL, IF ANY AND IF A RECORD CHECK IS REQUIRED.*

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04

WILL THESE CHARGES IMPACT YOUR CURRENT FAMILY SITUATION?

YES NO NOT SURE

*ARE YOU CURRENTLY INVOLVED WITH CAS? IF SO, DO YOU HAVE A FAMILY LAW MATTER ONGOING? DO YOU HAVE ACCESS OR VISITATION THAT THESE CHARGES WILL IMPACT?*

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ARE YOU CURRENTLY RECEIVING OW OR ODSP?

YES NO NOT SURE

*IF YES AND YOU WILL BE INCARCERATED, HAVE YOU CONTACTED YOUR CASEWORKER TO REQUEST CONTINUED SUPPORT?*

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IF YOU LOSE YOUR OW OR ODSP, WILL YOU BE UNABLE TO PAY YOUR RENT?

YES NO NOT SURE

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07

ARE YOU CURRENTLY TAKING ANY PRESCRIPTION MEDICATION OR DRUG REPLACEMENT THERAPY?

YES NO NOT SURE

*IF YES, HOW LONG HAVE YOU BEEN TAKING IT?*

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ARE YOU CURRENTLY A NON-RESIDENT IN CANADA?

YES NO NOT SURE

*IF YES, ARE YOU AWARE THAT THESE CHARGES COULD IMPACT YOUR IMMIGRATION STATUS?*

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# NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY SERVICES

(Circle any that apply)

**Ontario Works**

555 Courthouse Road, Cobourg  
905-372-6846

**ODSP Peterborough**

360 George Street North, 2nd Floor,  
Peterborough  
705-742-9292

**Northumberland Hills Hospital  
Community Mental Health Services**

1000 DePalma Drive, Cobourg  
905-372-6811

**Northumberland Community Legal  
Centre**

1005 Elgin Street West, Suite 301  
905-373-4464

**John Howard Society of  
Peterborough**

305 Stewart Street, Peterborough  
705-743-8331  
[jhsptbo@jhsptbo.com](mailto:jhsptbo@jhsptbo.com)

**Transition House Shelter**

10 Chapel Street, Cobourg  
905-376-9562

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