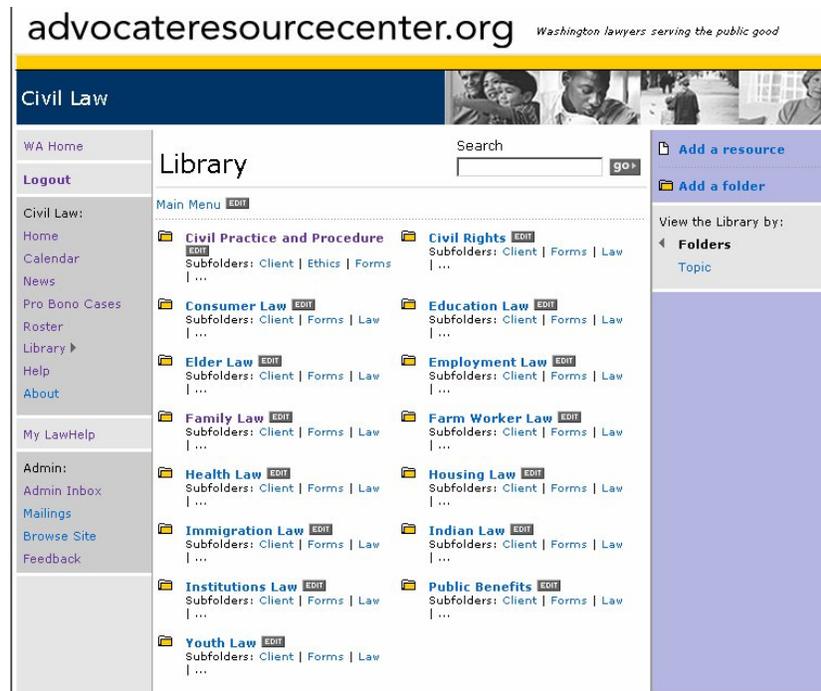


## April 2003 NJP Update:

### NJP Board News

NJP's Board, which met on April 26 observed a demonstration by Steve Berry, state website coordinator, of the Advocate Resource Center (ARC) and Washington Law Help sites. The Board enjoyed the opportunity to see our Technology Initiative efforts at work and were very impressed with the potential value of the ARC to the statewide service delivery system

### Network Related News



The screenshot shows the website [advocateresourcecenter.org](http://advocateresourcecenter.org) with the tagline "Washington lawyers serving the public good". The page is titled "Civil Law" and features a "Library" section. A search bar is located at the top right of the library area. The library is organized into a grid of folders, each with an "EDIT" link and a list of subfolders. The folders include:

- Civil Practice and Procedure (Subfolders: Client | Ethics | Forms | ...)
- Civil Rights (Subfolders: Client | Forms | Law | ...)
- Consumer Law (Subfolders: Client | Forms | Law | ...)
- Education Law (Subfolders: Client | Forms | Law | ...)
- Elder Law (Subfolders: Client | Forms | Law | ...)
- Employment Law (Subfolders: Client | Forms | Law | ...)
- Family Law (Subfolders: Client | Forms | Law | ...)
- Farm Worker Law (Subfolders: Client | Forms | Law | ...)
- Health Law (Subfolders: Client | Forms | Law | ...)
- Housing Law (Subfolders: Client | Forms | Law | ...)
- Immigration Law (Subfolders: Client | Forms | Law | ...)
- Indian Law (Subfolders: Client | Forms | Law | ...)
- Institutions Law (Subfolders: Client | Forms | Law | ...)
- Public Benefits (Subfolders: Client | Forms | Law | ...)
- Youth Law (Subfolders: Client | Forms | Law | ...)

On the right side of the library, there are options to "Add a resource" and "Add a folder", and a section to "View the Library by:" with a dropdown menu currently set to "Folders".

**Join Now!** NJP continues to make significant progress toward the development of the State Website and Advocate Resource Center (ARC), which is now accessible (though not fully operational) at

[www.advocateresourcecenter.org](http://www.advocateresourcecenter.org). Although, a formal launch of the site will occur at or near the upcoming ATJ Conference in June, feel free to join at anytime! To date, over 200 items have been posted and much of the substantive task force information has been moved to this site. The statewide

website committee has provided substantial input into the development of the ARC. This month, the Committee met to develop admin responsibilities and set up admin training. In addition, the committee approved the banner for Washington Law Help, the public site where all ATJ partners can post information. Danielle Rebar, NJP webmaster and publications manager, spoke to the committee about the movement of the Self Help Resources area of [www.nwjustice.org](http://www.nwjustice.org) to the [www.washingtonlawhelp.org](http://www.washingtonlawhelp.org) location once the template is completed sometime this summer. She explained, and the committee agreed, that once the information was moved over, it was important to keep the look of the Self-Help site similar so that users will not be confused.



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