



CONSUMER

Reatha Arbogast

LOCATION

Evergreen Park, IL

OCCUPATION

Independent
Consultant

Why did you use Consumer Legal Funding?

In November of 2014, I was riding a bus that was struck by a texting driver. The accident caused a severe neck sprain, ruptured disks in my upper back and a partially flattened spinal cord. At the time, cleaning houses was my main source of income. Due to the injuries I sustained in the accident, I was unable to perform my duties and became unemployed as a result. With no income, the bills and rent started to pile up. Then one day, as I was watching TV, I saw a commercial for Consumer Legal Funding. I decided to call the next day and spoke with a representative about my situation.

How did Consumer Legal Funding help?

With the money I received from Consumer Legal Funding, I was able to pay my physical therapy bills and keep a roof over my head. Additionally, I was able to cover a down payment for a business opportunity that allowed me to start working again. I now work as an independent consultant selling candles and scents, which is less physically demanding than cleaning houses. Thanks to Legal Funding I was able to get back on my feet, both literally and figuratively.

What would have happened if Consumer Legal Funding was not available to you?

If Legal Funding hadn't been available to me, I can say with certainty that I would be homeless. With the funds I received, I have been able to thrive at a job that I love. I've also been able to continue my physical therapy which has helped with my pain level and mobility. The money I received made a huge impact on my life, and I can confidently say that I am employed and continuing to heal because of Consumer Legal Funding.