



Catholic Charities has provided the following list of trusted resources:

1. American Immigration Lawyers Association (AILA)

AILA is a national association of attorneys and law professors who practice and teach immigration law. AILA members represent clients seeking permanent residence, asylum, and other immigration statuses, often on a Pro Bono basis. While AILA cannot be contacted for direct assistance, they can provide valuable information and connect you to other trusted attorneys.

- Find information about your immigration questions.
- Ask for a list of pro bono attorneys

1331 G Street NW, Suite 300,
Washington, DC 20005
202-783-7853

www.aila.org

2. American Friends Service Committee (AFSC) Immigrants ' Rights Programs

The AFSC Immigrants 'Rights Program offers free and low-cost legal services to immigrants who are in detentions, facing deportation, seeking to reunite with families, or in need of protection. AFSC also advocate for the protection and support of immigrant communities.

- Meet with lawyer about legal or deportation cases
- Advocate for immigrant rights and protections

89 Market Street, 6th Floor,
Newark, NJ, 07102
973-643-1924

lrpnewark@afsc.org

www.afsc.org/office/newark-nj

Free, Low-cost

Spanish

Additional Services Available

3. Bishop Francis Center for Legal Immigration Services Catholic Charities

The Bishop Francis Center for Legal Immigration Services helps immigrant by offering legal assistance in most immigrant and naturalization proceedings. There is an initial consultation fee.

- Receive help with your TPS, DACA, or U, VAWA, and T Visa
- Receive help with family petition and Special Immigrants Juvenile Status

976 Broad Street, 1st Floor,
Newark, NJ, 07102
973-733-3516

www.ccannj.org/immigration-and-refugee/

Spanish, French-Creole

Documents and Preparation Required

4. Centro Comunitario CEUS Legal Services for Immigrants (LSI) Program

Centro Comunitario is a non-profit organization dedicated to helping immigrants in New Jersey with low-cost legal service.

- Receive help with TPS, VAWA, and NACARA applications.
- Receive help with applying for political asylum
- Get help with family petitions and citizenship

4212 John F. Kennedy Boulevard,
Union City, NJ 07087
201-617-2466

iinfo@ceusnj.org

www.ceusnj.org

Low-cost

Spanish

Documents and Preparation Required

5. Church World Services (CWS) Legal Office for Refugees and Asylum Seekers

The CWS Legal Office provides legal services to refugees, asylees and other immigrant groups. To meet with an attorney, there is a consultation fee, and other low service fees, as well.

- Meet with an immigration lawyer
- Apply for U Visa, adjustment of status “Green Card” or citizenship
- Receive help with asylum case or family petition
- Renew DACA status
- Apply for and renew Temporary Protected Status (TPS)

591 Summit Avenue, Suite 300
Jersey City, NJ, 07306

cwsjerseycity@cwsglobal.org

www.cwsjerseycity.org

Low-cost

Appointment Required

Additional Service Available

6. International Rescue Committee (IRC)

The IRC is a resettlement agency that helps refugees, asylees, and other vulnerable immigrants find jobs, classes, and cash assistance programs. They also provide free legal services and English as a Second Language (ESL) classes.

- Seek assistance with housing
- Get help searching for a job
- Learn about cash assistance programs
- Sign your child up for Refugee Youth Summer Camp (ages 5 through 19)

208 Commerce Place, 4th Floor,

Elizabeth, NJ, 07201

908-290-5496

www.rescue.org/united-states/elizabeth-nj/

Free

Most languages

Documents and Preparation Required

Additional Services Available

7. Legal Services of New Jersey (LSNJ) Immigration Representation Project

Legal Services of New Jersey provides free legal services to low-income New Jersey residents for a variety of civil and immigration matters. LSNJ helps undocumented immigrants, asylum seekers, those facing deportation, human trafficking victims, torture survivors, and LGBTQ people. To qualify for help, you must meet the low-income eligibility guidelines.

- Meet with a licensed pro bono attorney
- Receive help with adjustment of status, DACA, TPS, and VAWA applications
- Receive deportation defense and representation in courts
- Attend advocacy meeting and “know your rights” representations

P.O. Box 1357

Edison, NJ, 08818-1357

732-572-9100

www.lsnj.org/ContactUs.aspx/

Free

Spanish, Bengali, French, Haitian Creole, Portuguese

Additional Services Available

8. Northeast New Jersey Legal Services (NNJLS)

Northeast New Jersey Legal Services provides free non-criminal civil legal help to low-income immigrants in Bergen, Hudson, and Passaic Counties who meet certain eligibility requirements. NNJLS can assist with a range of immigration matters, including visa renewals, citizenship

applications, adjustment of status, and family petitions. NNJLS also provides legal help with other civil legal matters, including housing, public assistance, domestic violence, sexual assault, veterans, seniors, education, expungement of New Jersey criminal records, federal tax matters, and HIV/AIDS.

7007 Polk Street,
Guttenberg, NJ, 07093
202-210-0333 Ext 22101 or 22102

www.nhcac.org

Free

Spanish

Documents and Preparation Required

Additional Services Available

9. Rutgers University School of Law, Newark Immigrant Rights Clinic

The immigrant Rights Clinic at Rutgers University School of Law provides legal services to immigrants with problems related to asylum, deportation, and certain crimes. The clinic is currently only taking cases involving New Jersey residents who are currently in removal proceedings.

- Meeting with lawyers
- Ask questions about legal cases

973-353-5292

leena.khandwala@rutgers.edu

Spanish, Other languages

Appointments Required

Documents and preparation required

10. Seton Hall Law School Immigrants' Rights/International Human Rights Clinic

The immigrants' Rights/International Human Rights Clinic at Seton Hall Law School provides pro bono legal services for economically disadvantaged residents, asylum seekers, and individuals facing deportation.

- Meet with a lawyer or with a law student supervised by a lawyer
- Get help with your asylum case or U Visa
- Seek help with deportation defense

833 McCarter Highway,
Newark, NJ 07102

CSJ_Reception@shu.edu

law.shu.edu/clinics

Free

Spanish, Portuguese, Arabic, Other Foreign Languages

Appointment Required

Documents and Preparation Required