

The Latin American Workers Project, Inc.

1080 Willoughby Avenue, Second Floor
Brooklyn, NY 11221
718.628.6222

www.elptla.org

Provides legal assistance to manual laborers and street vendors and helps street vendors obtain ID. Also offers entrepreneurship skills development, legal assistance, ESOL and computer classes, and vocational training for free. There is a small annual membership fee. For ages 18 and up. **Free.**
Spanish is spoken.

The Maura Clarke-Ita Ford Center

138 Bleecker Street, Brooklyn, NY 11221
718.573.8631

www.mauraclarke-itafordcenter.org

Offers ESOL classes, GED preparation (offered in English and Spanish), computer skills training, citizenship preparation, job training and job development for immigrant women. **Free.**
Spanish is spoken.

New York Immigration Hotline

212.419.3737, 800.566.7636

Offers information and a list of reputable not-for-profit agencies, as well as assistance in finding a qualified low-cost immigration service provider. **Free.**
Arabic, Mandarin Chinese, Croatian, French, Haitian Creole, Hindi, Italian, Korean, Macedonian, Panjabi, Polish, Russian, Serbian, Spanish, Turkish and Urdu are spoken.

New York Legal Assistance Group

212.613.5000

www.nylag.org/immigrant_protection.htm

The Immigration Protection Unit, The Citizenship Initiative & Naturalization Project, The New York State Refugee and Asylee Assistance Project, and the Specialist Project for Immigrants from the Former Soviet Union provide a variety of legal services to the immigrant population. Call for an appointment. **Free.**
Spanish and Russian are spoken.

New York Work Alliance

65 Broadway, Second Floor, New York, NY 10006
212.742.1009 or 212.742.1004
<http://nyworkalliance.org>

The Employment and Placement Services for Special Populations Program targets immigrants, refugees on public assistance, single females and heads of households with low income, providing them with workforce preparation and career counseling. Call to make an appointment. **Free.**
Bosnian, Cantonese, French, Romanian, Russian, Spanish and Ukrainian are spoken.

North Brooklyn Business Outreach Center (BOC)

85 South Oxford Street, Second Floor
Brooklyn, NY 11217
718.624.9115

www.bocnet.org/boc/north_brooklyn.html

This non-profit small business development program provides underserved New York City residents with free assistance in areas of credit counseling, financial management, legal assistance, start-up assistance, business plan development, marketing, technology, micro-loans, mentoring, business recovery programs and grants for low-income entrepreneurs. It also has a Women's Business Center and the Refugee Microenterprise Project to help refugees and asylees start and expand small businesses. **Free or low-cost.**
Spanish, French, Chinese and Mandarin are spoken.

Sakhi for South Asian Women

PO Box 20208, Greeley Square Station
New York, NY 10001
212.714.9153

www.sakhi.com

Offers outreach advocacy, leadership development and organizing for South Asian women to end and prevent exploitation and domestic violence. **Free.**

Shorefront YM-YWHA

3300 Coney Island Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11235
718.646.1444, 718.934.3500 (Family Service Center)

Variety of services for immigrants: career counseling, job search help, computer classes, social services to upgrade the skills, programs for children and teens, crisis intervention, information and referral, legal consultation, ESOL classes, citizenship preparation classes, after-school programs, preschool, and day care center. **Free.**
Russian is spoken.

Southside Community Mission**Immigration Office**

250 Hooper Street, Brooklyn, NY 11211
718.387.3803

Offers work authorization, applications for citizenship, family petitions, family visas, advice and referrals, citizenship classes, and assistance with completing forms. Serves the Latino community. **Free.**
Spanish is spoken.

Tamkeen: The Center for Arab American Empowerment

450 81st Street, Brooklyn, NY 11209
718.701.3005

www.tamkeen-us.org

Provides mental health services, youth leadership development and community research and education. **Free or low-cost.**
Arabic is spoken.

Union Settlement Association

237 East 104th Street, New York, NY 10029
212.828.6016

www.unionsettlement.org

Offers ESOL and BENL (Basic Education in the Native Language) classes, GED preparation in English and Spanish, and computer skills and citizenship classes. Also offers education and immigration counseling, and workshops on health issues, taxes, legal concerns and financial literacy. **Free.**

Upwardly Global

401 Broadway, Suite 800, New York, NY 10013
212.219.8828

www.upwardlyglobal.org

Career services for high potential immigrant job seekers, meaning those with at least four-year university level education, a level of English sufficient for job search and contacts, legal authorization to work in the U.S., and fluency in email and internet.

World Education Services

PO Box 5087, Bowling Green Station
New York, NY 10274-5087

212.966.6311

Fax 212.739.6100

info@wes.org

www.wes.org

Provides evaluation of foreign education credentials. **Fee.**

SERVICES FOR NEW AMERICANS**Education & Job****Information Center**

Services for New Americans

Education & Job Information Center
Central Library
10 Grand Army Plaza
Brooklyn, NY 11238
718.230.2177
www.brooklynpubliclibrary.org/ejic.jsp

www.brooklynpubliclibrary.org

Services for New Americans

This referral list compiles contact information of organizations that serve recent immigrants, refugees, asylees and other immigrant groups. These organizations provide one or more of the following services: citizenship training, ESOL, job training and placement, family support services and emergency services.

Arab American Association of New York

7111 Fifth Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11209
718.745.3523

www.arabamericanny.org

Provides basic social services (case management), access to health care for documented and undocumented individuals, free legal services and guidance on immigration issues, and weekend youth development for teenage girls. For ages 18 and up; teen program is for ages 14 and up. **Free.**
Arabic is spoken.

Arab-American Family Support Center

150 Court Street, Third Floor, Brooklyn, NY 11201
718.643.8000

www.aafscny.org

Provides social services for Arab Americans, including free legal help with immigration issues; citizenship application assistance; ESOL, civics and citizenship classes; computer skills training; and assistance finding healthcare. **Free.**
Arabic is spoken.

Bedford Haitian Community Center

229 Rogers Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11216
718.756.0600

<http://bedfordhaitiancommunitycenter.org>

Provides translation/interpreter services, assistance with immigration (e.g., citizenship, documentation, green card) and after-school programs for ages 5-16. For immigration and document-filing assistance, please call for an appointment. Walk-ins are accepted for all other services. **Free or low-cost.**
French Creole is spoken.

CAMBA - Immigration, Refugee and Diversity Programs

2211 Church Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11226
718.940.6311

www.camba.org/serv06-new.htm

Non-profit organization helping refugees and asylees reach economic self-sufficiency through support services including English and employment skills training; cash grants to early asylees; help completing Affidavits of Relationship, green cards and other legal documents; assistance with finding housing; and diversity education. **Free.**
Spanish, French, Russian, African languages and dialects, Creole, Italian and Bosnian/Ukrainian are spoken.

Chinatown Manpower Project, Inc.

70 Mulberry Street, New York, NY 10013
212.571.1690

<http://cmpny.org>

Provides computer basics classes and job placement assistance for refugees and asylees or for people with low income. Also provides vocational training, a youth program for ages 19-21, basic skills classes, job placement and English classes. For ages 18 and up. **Free.**
Mandarin and Cantonese Chinese and Russian are spoken.

Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates (ECFMG)

3624 Market Street, Philadelphia, PA 19104-2685
215.386.5900

www.ecfmg.org

Provides information on the medical licensing examination and USMLE program for medical licensure in the United States. **Fee.**

Family Support Center Adult Education Department

6025 Sixth Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11220
718.630.7150

Provides services to the underserved community of Sunset Park and the surrounding neighborhoods including basic education in English and Spanish, GED and ESOL classes, training for Medical Office Assistant, training for Certified Nursing Assistant with internships (ask about eligibility), basic computer training, job readiness training, resume help, and interviewing techniques. **Free.**
Arabic, Cantonese and Mandarin Chinese, Russian and Spanish are spoken.

Globe Language Services, Inc.

319 Broadway, New York, NY 10007
212.227.1994

www.globelanguage.com/osc

Offers translation services, provides expert opinion letters, and evaluates educational credentials, diplomas, degrees and work experience from countries around the world. Also provides certified and notarized written translations of most languages. **Fee.**

Haitian Americans United for Progress

1850 Flatbush Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11210
718.377.1745 (Brooklyn Office)

www.haupinc.org

Offers immigration services, citizenship classes, ESOL classes, translation services, family support services, respite services, emergency respite/crisis intervention and health services. For ages 18 and up. **Free.**
Haitian Creole is spoken.

Haitian Women for Haitian Refugees

335 Maple Street, Brooklyn, NY 11225
718.735.4660

Supports worker and immigrant rights. Also offers community leadership training, ESOL classes and adult basic education classes in Haitian Creole. **Free.**
Haitian Creole and French are spoken.

Imani House, Inc.

76A Fifth Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11217
718.638.2059

www.imanihouse.org

Offers a job referral and training program with Workforce 1 Career Center and others. Also provides ESOL, Pre-GED and GED classes; referrals for legal assistance; employment and career services; information and referrals; bias awareness; violence prevention; youth development programs; and a food pantry. **Free.**
Spanish is spoken.

Jewish Community Council of Greater Coney Island Job Training and Placement Assistance Programs

3001 West 37th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11224
718.449.5000 ext. 257

www.jccgci.org

Offers direct placement and training courses in medical-related and computer-related fields, as well as resume preparation, counseling and vocational training. For refugees and asylees with less than five years in the U.S., those who receive unemployment benefits, or people on public assistance who have children under the age of 19. **Free.**
Russian is spoken.

Jewish Community House of Bensonhurst Job Placement Department

2164 78th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11214
718.331.0395

Offers beginning and advanced computer training, city and state job exams preparation, bookkeeping courses, and teacher and assistant teacher exam preparation. For refugees and asylees with low income. **Free.**
Russian is spoken.