# Immigration Legal Services in Westchester

# HUDSON VALLEY JUSTICE CENTER

30 South Broadway, 6th floor Yonkers, NY 10701 100 East First Street Mount Vernon, NY 10550 (Tuesdays only)

**Client Services:** Immigration, Housing, Public benefits, Other

#### Free | Offered in Spanish Contact:

Steve Velasquez, Assistant Director Svelasquez@HVJC.org

## **PRO BONO PARTNERSHIP**

237 Mamaroneck Avenue, Suite 300 White Plains, NY 10605

**Client Services: Free** transactional legal assistance for nonprofit organizations in the lower Hudson Valley; can assist nonprofit employers with some immigration-related issues.

**Contact:** Courtney Darts, Director of Education, 914-328-0674 x325

#### MAKE THE ROAD NEW YORK (formerly Westchester Hispanic Coalition)

46 Waller Ave. White Plains, NY 10605

**Client Services:** Immigration Legal services, Family law, Employment Law (wage theft), Advocacy, ESL, Servicios Legales de Inmigración, Derecho de Familia, Derecho de Empleo (robos de salario). Promoción, ESL. Free Consults.

**Contact:** Front Reception, 914-948-8466, maketheroadny.org

# **EMPIRE JUSTICE CENTER**

White Plains Office: 80 North Broadway White Plains, NY 10603

Yonkers Office: 30 South Broadway, 6th Floor Yonkers, NY 10701

**Client Services:** Immigration

#### Free | Offered in Spanish

Contact: Phoebe Garcia, 914-595- 0910 ext. 106

### LEGAL SERVICES OF THE HUDSON VALLEY

90 Maple Avenue White Plains, NY 10601

914-949-1305 (Main Number) 1-877-574-8529 (Intake help line) www.lshv.org

Other locations in Yonkers, Mount Vernon, Peekskill, Spring Valley, Newburgh, Poughkeepsie and Kingston

# Free legal services | Spanish services are available and translation can be secured for any language

Immigration services for victims of domestic violence, sexual assault or other battering or extreme cruelty. Services include VAWA based relief, including U visas, VAWA selfpetitions, battered spouse waivers, as well Special Immigrant Juvenile Status matters.

Other legal services for victims of domestic violence, regardless of legal status include custody, orders of protection, child support and divorce.

This service directory was put together by the Westchester County's Families Task Force, Co-Chaired by Legislator Catherine Borgia and Kathy Halas, Child Care Council of Westchester

westchesterlegislators.com/families-task-force.html

# IMMIGRATION JUSTICE CLINIC JOHN JAY LEGAL SERVICES, INC. ELISABETH HAUB SCHOOL OF LAW AT PACE UNIVERSITY (PACE LAW SCHOOL)

80 North Broadway White Plains, NY 10603 914 422 4333 (office) 914 422 4391 (fax) 800 836 7223 (free call)

**Client Services:** Advice and representation provided by student attorneys authorized to practice law while supervised by a lawyer on the faculty of the Law School. Will take all types of Immigration cases, although we usually refer Violence Against Women Act cases to local agencies that specialize in domestic violence issues; and for immigrant clients, related matters in Family Court, Small Claims Court, and some criminal courts. Advocacy and advice with regard to reporting to New York State Attorney General, Executive Office of Immigration Review, District Attorney's Office, and Grievance and Disciplinary Committees of New York State about fraudulent and deceptive misconduct by attorneys and notarios during representation of immigrants.

#### Free | Indigent people living/working/ detained in the Hudson Valley

Services provided in Spanish and other languages on request

CommunityServices:CommunityeducationandKnow-Your-Rights

programs presented at schools, colleges, places of worship, public health facilities, community organizations. Continuing Legal Education programs presented at the Law School. Legislative advocacy in conjunction with the New York Immigration Coalition and the American Immigration Lawyers Association.

**Contact:** Miguel Sanchez Robles IJC Clinic Administrator Msanchezrobles2@law.pace.edu

Professor Vanessa Merton, IJC Faculty Supervisor, vmerton@law.pace.edu

#### NEIGHBORS LINK COMMUNITY LAW PRACTICE "NLCLP"

27 Columbus Avenue Mount Kisco, NY 10549

33 Crane Avenue White Plains, NY 10603

914-666-3410/914-422-4022

Client services: Legal education, consultation and individual representation in immigration matters.

Services may be offered on a **pro bono or a low bono basis**. We also refer cases to private attorneys who work within our "incubated attorney" network.

**Training and technical support services:** NLCLP staff counsel and incubated attorneys are available to provide training, communication, and technical support on immigration matters.

For more resources on Immigration Rights & Services, visit the Westchester County's Families Task Force website: westchesterlegislators.com/families-task-force.html