

COMMUNITY RESOURCE CONNECTIONS

Refugee and Immigration Resources

- **Refugee and Immigrant Helpline:** Connects you to helpful information, resources and services in your community. Navigators are available to provide trustworthy and confidential support and guidance.
 - Phone Number: 1-800-814-4806
 - Email: DHS.RPO.Helpline@state.mn.us
- **Refugee Resettlement:** A federally funded office in the Minnesota Department of Human Services that supports the effective resettlement of refugees in Minnesota, and ensures their basic needs are met so they can live with dignity and achieve their highest potential. This office ensures accessibility to mainstream programs for people with refugee status, distributes federal dollars to local agencies for supplemental services, and provides education and information about refugees in Minnesota.
 - Website: <https://mn.gov/dhs/partners-and-providers/program-overviews/refugee-resettlement/>
- **MIRAC – Minnesota Immigration Rights Action Committee:** An all-volunteer, grassroots immigrant rights mass-movement organization that fights for legalization for all, an end to immigration raids and deportations, an end to all anti-immigrant laws, and full equality in all areas of life.
 - Email: miracmn@gmail.com
 - Website: <https://www.miracmn.com/>
- **Interfaith Coalition on Immigration - Accompanying Immigrants in Detention (ICOM AID):** Provides direct support to immigrant detainees and their families who live in the Twin Cities area by accompanying individuals in immigration detention , providing emotional and financial support, and making connections to resources.
 - Leave a voicemail at: 612-217-1185
- **Release MN 8:** An organization fighting to end detention and deportation in Southeast Asian communities by providing direct support to Southeast Asian families impacted by detention and deportation through community organizing and leadership development.
 - Email: info@minnesota8.org
 - Website: <https://minnesota8.org/>
- **Black Immigrant Collective:** A Black-led immigrant organization that works on legal clinics, policy, mutual aid, support for undocumented Black immigrants, storytelling and resource sharing.
 - Website: <https://blackimmigrantcollective.org/>

- **Immigrant Law Center of Minnesota:** Provides legal help to those who have immigrated to Minnesota.
 - Phone: 651-641-1011
- **Volunteer Lawyer Network (VLN):** An organization dedicated to connecting Minnesotans experiencing poverty with some of the top private lawyers in the state at no cost.
 - Phone: 612-752-6677
- **International Institute of Minnesota:** Founded in 1919, the International Institute of Minnesota (IIMN) offers New Americans quality services that support their journey to stability and success.
 - Website: <https://iimn.org/>
- **State of Minnesota's Library of Resources:** Provides various materials, in multiple languages, for those immigrating to Minnesota.
 - Website: <https://mn.gov/dhs/partners-and-providers/program-overviews/refugee-resettlement/resource-library/>
- **National Immigrant Justice Center:** Know Your Rights If You Encounter ICE
 - Website: <https://immigrantjustice.org/for-immigrants/know-your-rights/ice-encounter/>
- **Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS)**
 - Check case status: <https://egov.uscis.gov/>