

## Resources: Immigration Legal Assistance<sup>1</sup>

### Statewide List Of Non-Profit Immigration Organizations:

The resources below can help you find other organizations that provide free immigration services.

- **The National Immigration Legal Services Directory** has a list of Washington state non-profits that provide free immigration services, [Washington Directory](#)
  - This directory is available in multiple languages. To change the language, select “**Language**” in the top-right corner of the page. You can narrow your search by languages spoken, type of immigration help, and county served.
  - To find organizations that help with **U-Visas, T-Visas, or VAWA petitions**, scroll to the bottom of the page to “**Areas of Immigration Legal Assistance**” and select the type of application you need help with.
- **WAISN Resource Finder**, A comprehensive tool for services and resources searchable by county in Washington. Choose “**Immigration-legal**” and “**Location**” to find assistance near you, <https://resources.waisn.org>
- **WA-211**, a state wide help-line and resource page that can connect you with various resources including legal, social services, housing and other services, <https://wa211.org/> or call 1-877-211-9274.

### Finding a Private Immigration Attorney:

To find an immigration attorney who can help you, please see the resources below. **Before hiring anyone, we strongly recommend looking up the attorney to make sure they are licensed and allowed to practice law. To avoid scams, it may help to get a second opinion and compare costs before choosing an attorney.**

- **American Association of Immigration Lawyers**, You can search for an immigration attorney by city and state, immigration assistance needed, and language, [www.ailalawyer.com/](http://www.ailalawyer.com/)
- **Washington State Bar Association**, You can search for an attorney by practice type, language and location. You can also search by an attorney’s first and last name, [www.wsba.org/](http://www.wsba.org/)

### Legal Clinics for Consultations:

Below are resources to help you find clinics that may be able to offer immigration consultations.

- **El Centro de la Raza**, provides free legal consultations with a volunteer attorney including on immigration, family, criminal and other areas of the law, <https://www.elcentrodelaraza.org/free-bilingual-legal-clinic-clinica-legal-bilingue-y-gratis/>
- **ELAP**, provides free legal consultations with a volunteer attorney including on immigration, family law and domestic violence protection orders, <https://elap.org/legal-clinics/>
- **LGBTQ Attorney Referral Program and legal clinics**: Provides free 30-minute phone consultations with volunteer attorneys for 2SLGBTQIA+ individuals and helps find an attorney, <https://www.glawfoundation.org/attorney-referral-network/> and <https://www.glawfoundation.org/2slgbtqialegalclinic/>

### Other Legal Services (Non-Immigration):

- **Northwest Justice Project**, provides legal assistance to eligible low-income families and individuals needing help with civil (non-criminal) legal problems in Washington state including divorce and domestic violence protection orders. <https://nwjustice.org/>
- **Neighborhood Legal Clinics program (NLC)**, offer free, limited legal advice and referrals to King County residents and individuals with legal issues, <https://www.kcba.org>
- **The Sexual Violence Law Center (SVLC)**, provides legal assistance to victims of sexual violence in a wide variety of legal matters. <https://svlawcenter.org/>
- **New Beginnings**, free consultations related to divorce, child custody, parenting plan or protection order issues, <https://newbegin.org/find-help/legal-help/>
- **WSBA**, Directory of Qualified Legal Services Providers in Washington State, [www.wsba.org](http://www.wsba.org)

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