



Illinois Welcoming Centers

- Arab American Family Services
- Brighton Park Neighborhood Council
- Catholic Charities-Waukegan
- Centro de Informacion
- Ethiopian Community Association of Chicago
- Family Focus Aurora/Chicago/Hermosa
- HANA Center
- Heartland Human Services
- Latino Resource Institute of Illinois
- Mano a Mano Family Resource Center
- Middle Eastern Immigrant and Refugee Alliance
- Muslim Women Resource Center
- Onward House
- Partners for Our Communities
- Puentes de Esperanza
- Pui Tak Center
- Rincon Family Services
- SAL Family and Community Services
- Syrian Community Network
- The Immigration Project
- The Refugee Center (ECRIMAC)
- United African Organization
- Vietnamese Association of Illinois
- World Relief DuPage/Aurora
- Xilin Association

For more information and other locations, contact:

Office of Welcoming Centers for Refugee and Immigrant Services

Illinois Department of Human Services
401 S Clinton St, 4th Floor, Chicago IL, 60607
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Get in touch!

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Cook County

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Welcome



Mariyana T. Spyropoulos

Clerk of the Circuit Court
of Cook County

**A Guide to
Immigration Services
in Cook County**

Understanding Immigration Jurisdiction in Cook County

The Cook County Circuit Court does not oversee immigration cases. Instead, the Chicago Immigration Court, under the jurisdiction of the Office of the Chief Immigration Judge, handles these matters. This office is a component of the Executive Office for Immigration Review under the Department of Justice.



National Immigrant Justice Center (NIJC) Immigration Court Help Desk Location:

- Address: "Pro Bono Room" at the Chicago Immigration Courthouse, 55 E. Monroe St, Suite 1500
- Walk-up Orientation Sessions: Available Monday through Wednesday between 8:30 am and 3 pm.

Services Provided:

- Overview of the immigration court hearing process
- Information on forms of relief available to individuals fighting their cases in court
- Referrals to obtain legal representation
- Assistance with changing your address or the location of your court hearing

Phone Consultations: Available via the ICH Hotline at (312) 660-1328. Note that the NIJC Immigration Helpdesk does not provide legal advice or representation.

Social Organizations Providing Free and Low-Cost Legal Services

Chicago's Legal Protection Fund

- **Partners:** NIJC and The Resurrection Project
- **Services:** Community-based outreach, education, legal consultations, and courtroom representation.

Contact

- **Phone:** (312) 660-1370
- **Email:** immigrantlegaldefense@heartlandalliance.org
- **Hours:** Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm

Illinois Coalition For Immigrant and Refugee Rights (ICIRR)

- **Purpose:** Connects immigrant communities to a range of support services including social services, legal aid, policy updates, and financial assistance.
- **Contact:** (855) 435-7693 for help in English, Spanish, Polish, and Korean

The Resurrection Project

- **Services Offered:** Citizenship, family petitions, adjustment of status, DACA renewals, U-Visa and VAWA for victims of domestic violence, removal defense, bond hearings, and asylum.
- **Contact:** Phone: (312) 666-3062 (Tuesday-Friday, 9 am-5 pm and Saturday from 9 am to 2 pm)

- **Online:** Schedule an appointment

Children's Legal Center Services: Free legal services and representation to children in the immigration process.

- **Contact:** English and Spanish: (312) 722-6642

Dari and Farsi: (872) 225-4901

Pashto: (872) 225-4918

Chicago Immigration Court Locations

Main Location:

- Address: 55 E. Monroe Street, Suite 1500

Chicago, IL 60603

- Phone: (312) 220-0965

Satellite Office:

- Address: 536 S. Clark Street., Room 340

Chicago, IL 60605

- Phone: (312) 294-8400

Finding Your Court and Hearing Dates

You can check your court date and hearing dates through the following methods:

- Online: Visit the Executive Office for Immigration Review (EOIR) at <https://acis.eoir.justice.gov/en/>
- Phone: Call the Automated Case Information
- The number for the EOIR at (800) 898-7180

