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**Directory of Asian
Community Based Organizations
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P R E F A C E

The New York City Department of Education's Office of English Language Learners (OELL), in partnership with New York State's Asian Languages Bilingual/ESL Education Technical Assistance Center (ALBETAC), is pleased to present the *Directory of Asian Community Based Organizations*. These organizations represent the diverse language groups of New York City (NYC) and provide educational services to immigrant students, English Language Learners (ELLs), and their families. These organizations* have collaborated with our Office as resource providers as well as partners for educational excellence, teacher recruitment, and information.

The mission of our office is to provide approximately 144,000 ELLs and their families with equity and access to an excellent education. By strengthening instructional staff, promoting parental involvement, and improving material resources, the Office of ELLs creates a rigorous learning environment that focuses on academic achievement, language and social development, and cross-cultural support. This directory is one of the resources that we produce in the hopes that members of the ELL community will share information and engage families so that there is a strong, integrated support system for ELLs citywide.

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ARAB AMERICAN FAMILY SUPPORT CENTER www.aafscny.org 150 Court St. 3rd Floor Brooklyn, NY 11201 (718) 418-7690	Lena Alhusseini <i>Executive Director</i> Imam Robbin Mehdia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Free N-400, N-600, family-based immigration and adjustment of status application assistance - ESL/Civics Classes with day care at: - Salam Arabic Lutheran Church - 345 Ovington Avenue Bay Ridge, Brooklyn - Child welfare and youth programs; referral, counseling, and crisis intervention; advocacy 	Arabic
ASIA SOCIETY www.asiasociety.org 725 Park Avenue (at 70th Street) New York, NY 10021 (212) 288-6400 • Fax: (212) 517-8315 info@asiasoc.org	Vivien Stewart <i>Vice President, Education</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Working to strengthen relationships and promote understanding among the people, leaders, and institutions of Asia and the United States - Enhance dialogue, encourage creative expression, and generate new ideas across the fields of policy, business, education, arts, and culture 	Asian
ASIAN AMERICAN COALITION FOR EDUCATION 202-39 Rocky Hill Road Bayside, NY 11361 (718) 229-4518 • Fax: (718) 229-4518	Lu Ming Li <i>Director</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Provides workshops, conferences for Asian parents, ESL classes for parents 	Chinese (Mandarin)
ASIAN AMERICAN COMMUNICATIONS, INC. 401 Broadway, Suite 1207 New York, NY 10013 (212) 219-0777 • Fax: (212) 219-9290	Teresa Hsu <i>Director</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Provides workshops, conferences for Asian parents - Performs educational advocacy. - Provides direct services to law enforcement, educators, parents, and students on Asian-American concerns in educational settings - Sponsors annual November conferences for new immigrant high school students and Chinese New Year banquets to raise funds for the Asian-American Youth Council 	Chinese (Mandarin, Cantonese)
ASIAN AMERICAN FEDERATION OF NEW YORK www.aafny.org 120 Wall Street, 3rd Floor New York, NY 10005 (212) 344-5878	Cao K. O <i>Executive Director</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Develop and strengthen leadership in our communities - Raise awareness and voice our community concerns in the public arena - Shape policies that improve the quality of life - Promote better understanding, cooperation and coordination among Asian Americans and other communities 	Asian

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<p>ASIAN AMERICAN LEGAL DEFENSE AND EDUCATION FUND (AALDEF) www.aaldef.org 99 Hudson Street, 12th Floor New York, NY 10013 (212) 966-5932 • Fax: (212) 966-4303 info@aaldef.org</p>	<p>Margaret Fung <i>Executive Director</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Free legal advice clinics to Asian immigrants and the poor in the areas of immigration, family law, government benefits, anti-Asian violence and police misconduct, voting rights, employment discrimination, labor rights and workplace issues - Free legal assistance for naturalization applicants; leads legal training workshops for community workers; litigates cases that will have a broad impact on Asian Americans nationwide - Conducts community education reaching tens of thousands of individuals; trains students for careers in public interest law; and shapes public policies to ensure the equal participation of Asian Americans in society 	<p>Bengali, Chinese (Cantonese Mandarin), Hindi, Korean, Urdu</p>
<p>ASIAN AMERICANS FOR EQUALITY, INC. www.aafe.org 108 Norfolk Street New York, NY 10002 (212) 979-8381 • Fax: (212) 979-8386 40-34 Main Street Flushing, NY 11354 (718) 539-7290</p>	<p>Christopher Kui <i>Executive Director</i></p> <p>Margaret Chin <i>Deputy Executive Director</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - A not-for-profit organization committed to community service and empowerment which targets immigrants, low-income families, and minorities throughout New York City - Operates out of five neighborhood sites - Affordable housing development; small business assistance; homeownership; property management; services to emerging communities; housing, social, and legal services; access to technology; and public policy and advocacy - Legal services for immigrants, including family petition application assistance; citizenship classes ESL/Civics classes and services for immigrant youth 	<p>Hindi, Bengali, Chinese (Cantonese, Fujianese, Hakka, Mandarin, Taiwanese), Korean, Urdu</p>
<p>ASIAN & PACIFIC ISLANDER COALITION ON HIV/AIDS, INC. www.apicha.org 150 Lafayette Street, 6th Floor New York, NY 10013 (212) 334-7940 • Fax: (212) 334-7956 apicha@apicha.org</p>	<p>Therese R. Rodriguez <i>Executive Director</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Prevention education activities through workshops, peer training, street outreach, and support groups in different ethnic languages - Community organizing activities include a volunteer program, presentations to schools, street fairs, hospitals, and other Asian and Pacific Islander organizations - The client services component provides case management, language interpretation, peer advocate services, referrals, and bi-monthly support group meetings for Asian and Pacific Islanders living with HIV/AIDS 	<p>Bengali, Burmese, Chinese, (Cantonese, Mandarin), Hindi, Japanese, Korean, Punjabi, Vietnamese, Urdu, Tagalog, Other</p>
<p>ASIAN PROFESSIONAL EXTENSION, INC. www.apex-ny.org 352 7th Ave. Suite 201, New York, NY 10001 (212) 748-1225 • Fax: (212) 748-1250 apex@apex-ny.org mentoring@apex-ny.org collegeplanning@apex-ny.org</p>	<p>Marian U. Tan <i>Executive Director</i></p> <p>Rachada Hiranyaket</p> <p>Trang Le-Chan</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Promoting the personal and educational development of urban Asian American youth by providing them with caring Asian American adult role models - Mentoring Program, Teaching SAT preparatory classes - ELA Tutoring young people in Manhattan Chinatown's P.S. 1 Elementary School fourth grade classes and I.S. 131 Middle School eighth grade students to meet the standards. 	<p>Chinese (Cantonese & Mandarin), Korean</p>

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<p>BRIGHTON NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION www.brightonbeach.com 1121 Brighton Beach Avenue Brooklyn, NY 11235 (718) 891-0800 • Fax: (718) 891-1163</p>	<p>Pat Singer <i>Executive Director</i> psinger@brightonbeach.com</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Provides Youth Services: After School Center, anti-truancy counseling, and second chance summer school - Housing in-take office located at the Washington Mutual Bank (1002 Brighton Beach Avenue) which offers senior programming, advocacy, help with a variety of issues pertaining to housing, with a Russian speaking staff person on site - The Annual Brighton Jubilee, a festival in Brighton Beach partly coordinated by youth 	<p>Russian</p>
<p>BROOKLYN CHINESE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION 5002 8th Avenue Brooklyn, NY 11220 (718) 438-0008 • Fax: (718) 438-8303</p>	<p>Paul P. Mak <i>President/CEO</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Free N-400, N-600 application assistance - ESL/Civics classes, 2 levels - Day Care provided - Services for youth, senior citizens, and crime victims; immigration consultations; community events 	<p>Chinese (Cantonese, Mandarin, Taiwanese)</p>
<p>BURMESE WOMEN OF NEW YORK, INC. 150-79 Village Road Jamaica, NY 11452</p>	<p>Florence Pu-Folkes Kyaw Thahla Kin Sann Myint</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Assists Burmese community and their families in New York City and its neighboring states 	<p>Burmese Karen</p>
<p>CAMPAIGN FOR FISCAL EQUITY, INC. www.cfequity.org 317 Madison Ave. Suite 1708 New York, NY 10017 (212) 867-8455 • Fax: (212) 867-8460 cfeinfo@cfequity.org</p>	<p><u>Geri D. Palast</u> <i>Executive Director</i> Jessica Garcia <i>Director of Community Outreach & Youth Programs</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Involved with funding reform and trying to get additional resources for children like ELLs who might require them - Offers education pieces and workshops, largely for parents but increasingly also for students, helping people understand how schools get their money and how community members can become involved in dialogue amongst themselves and with members of educational administration about school accountability. Free, flexible-hours workshops for parents or students - Parent coordinator should contact CFE, and CFE will pull in key administrative players 	<p>Non-language specific</p>
<p>CHARLES B. WANG COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER www.cbwchc.org 268 Canal Street New York, NY 10013 (212) 379-6989 • Fax: (212) 379-6936 136-26 37th Ave Flushing, NY 11354 (718) 886-1212 • Fax: (718) 886-2568</p>	<p><u>Jane T. Eng, Esq.</u> <i>Chief Executive Officer</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - A community-based, ambulatory health care facility that provides primary care and emphasizes preventive medicine, health education, and community involvement - The Center provides services such as a school health and hepatitis immunization program, winter flu shots, Social service counseling and referral are also offered 	<p>Korean Chinese (Cantonese, Mandarin), Vietnamese</p>

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<p>CHILDREN'S DEFENSE FUND (CDF) NEW YORK (New York City) www.cdfny.org 420 Lexington Avenue, Suite 655 New York, NY 10170-0699 (212) 697-2323 Fax: (212) 697-0566 messages@cdfny.org</p>	<p>Donna A. Lawrence <i>Executive Director</i> CDF-New York</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The mission of CDF is to Leave No Child Behind® and to ensure every child a healthy start, a head start, a fair start, a safe start, and a moral start in life and successful passage to adulthood with the help of caring families and communities CDF provides a strong, effective voice for all the children of America who cannot vote, lobby, or speak for themselves, particular attention to the needs of poor and minority children and those with disabilities - CDF educates the nation about the needs of children and encourages preventative investments before they get sick, into trouble, drop out of school, or suffer family breakdown 	<p>Non-language Specific</p>
<p>CHINATOWN DAYCARE CENTER, INC. (Serves all populations) 35 Division Street New York, NY 10002 (212) 431-3845</p>	<p>Tak-Wo Wan <i>Executive Director</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Provides full daycare services to the working parents of all communities, open all year Monday through Friday with licensed infant, pre-school, after school, and summer camp programs that are safe and clean - Where children can grow and learn through participation in different activities in a warm, supportive, and nurturing environment 	<p>Chinese (Cantonese, Mandarin), English</p>
<p>CHINATOWN MANPOWER PROJECT, INC. http://www.cmpny.org/ 70 Mulberry Street, 3RD Floor New York, NY 10013 (212) 571-1690 • Fax: (212) 571-1686</p>	<p>Pearl Chin <i>Executive Director</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Provides job training, English as Second Language (ESL) classes, economic development assistance, in/out-school youth education programs, asset-building initiatives and citizenship classes - Free N-100 application assistance 	<p>Chinese (Cantonese, Mandarin, Fujianese), English</p>
<p>CHINATOWN YMCA www.ymcanyc.org 100 Hester Street, New York, NY 10002 Chinatown Y, 273 Bowery St, NY, NY 10002 (212) 912-2460 • (212) 219-8393 Fax: (212) 941-9046</p>	<p>Lillian Moy <i>Assistant Executive Director</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Programs in education, health, sports, and recreation, with a focus on youth - Youth programs include: homework help, tutoring, after-school activities, teen programs, athletic leagues, recreation, childcare, and summer and holiday day camps. Family counseling and support services, parenting classes, health screening and education, teen ESL classes, and seasonal special adult programs are also offered 	<p>Chinese (Cantonese, Mandarin, Fujianese), English</p>
<p>CHINESE AMERICAN PLANNING COUNCIL www.cpc-ny.org 150 Elizabeth Street New York, NY 10012 (212) 941-0920 • Fax: (212) 966-8581</p>	<p>David Chen <i>Executive Director</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Wide variety of services falling under the following categories: employment and training; day care services; multi-social services; senior citizen services; youth services; and cultural arts - Programs aim to improve the quality of life among both new immigrants and established Asian Americans - Serves three boroughs: Manhattan, Queens, and Brooklyn 	<p>Chinese (Cantonese, Mandarin), English</p>
<p>CHINESE CHRISTIAN HERALD CRUSADES www.cchc.org 48 Allen Street New York, NY 10002 (212) 334-2033 • Fax: (212) 334-2062</p>	<p>Pak-Cheung Lo <i>Executive Director</i> Mary Kung <i>Activity information</i> (212) 334-1504</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Walk-in translation services, Adult English classes, an after-school program; classes in arts and crafts - SAT preparation classes (offered occasionally at its Flushing branch) - Free legal consultation for immigration, tenant and landlord issues; senior center 	<p>Chinese (Cantonese, Mandarin)</p>

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<p>CHINESE CONSOLIDATED BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION (CCBA) http://ccbanyc.org 62 Mott Street New York, NY 10013 (212) 226-6280 • Fax: (212) 431-5883 ccbany@yahoo.com</p>	<p>Eric Ng <i>President</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Information and referral services - The Association organizes cultural and social festivals and activities - The New York Chinese School, Adult English Classes, and Chinatown Day Care Center, which are separate programs affiliated with CCBA and located in the same building, provide services for children ages 1-12 	<p>Chinese (Cantonese, Mandarin)</p>
<p>CHINESE METHODIST CENTER CORPORATION (CMCC) www.cumc.nyc.org 69 Madison Street New York, NY 10002 (212) 349-2703 • Fax: (212) 349-0702 cmcc@cumc-nyc.org</p>	<p>Mey Joy Choy <i>Executive Director</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Serves as a center for education, counseling, culture, recreation, and service for the metropolitan New York Chinese community - Programs include day care, after-school programs, and Chinese language classes for children; youth programs for teens; ESL classes for new immigrants; and a summer day camp for 5 to 13-year olds 	<p>Chinese (Cantonese, Mandarin)</p>
<p>CHINESE STAFF AND WORKERS' ASSOCIATION www.cswa.org Fees: Membership Fee \$30/year 55-59 Chrystie Street, Suite 201 New York, NY 10002 (between Hester & Canal) (212) 334-2333 • (212) 619-7979 Fax: (212) 334-1974 cswa@cswa.org</p>	<p>Wing Lam <i>Executive Director</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Provides comprehensive programs for the Chinese immigrant community, which addresses living and working conditions, job equality, and employee health and safety - Provide English and citizenship classes which are held on Sundays mornings at our Sunset Park, Brooklyn center at 5411 7th Avenue, (between 54th & 55th Streets) (718) 633-9748 	<p>Chinese (Cantonese, Mandarin)</p>
<p>CHURCH AVENUE MERCHANTS BLOCK ASSOCIATION (CAMBA) www.camba.org 1720 Church Avenue Brooklyn, NY 11226 (718) 287-2600 Loreliel@Camba.org</p>	<p>Joanne M.Oplustil <i>Executive Director</i> oplustil@worldnet.att.net</p> <p>Jude Pierre <i>Adult & Family Literacy</i></p> <p>Extension: 224</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Adult Literacy Classes - ESL; Business Development - Family Services - HIV/AIDS & Health - Housing for the Homeless - Legal Services - Workforce Development - Youth Development - Immigration and Refugee Services Refugee Services Program (RSP) - Refugee Resettlement Matching Grant Program - Refugee Employment Upgrade Diversity Education - The Mosaic Youth Project 	<p>Non-Language Specific</p>

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<p>CITIZENS FOR NEW YORK www.citizensnyc.org 305 7th Avenue, 15th Floor New York, NY 10001-6008 (212) 989-0909 • Fax: (212) 989-0983 info@citizensnyc.org</p>	<p>Melissa Delaney-Del Valle <i>Director of Youth Solutions</i> mdelaney@citizensnyc.org</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mobilize New Yorkers to improve their neighborhoods in the areas of Urban Environment and Beautification - Safety, Poverty, Neighborhood Diversity - Youth-Led Community Service and Youth Entrepreneurship We help New Yorkers build strong neighborhood volunteer groups that solve local problems, providing small grants, workshops, self-help information 	<p>Non-Language Specific</p>
<p>COALITION FOR ASIAN AMERICAN CHILDREN AND FAMILIES www.cacf.org 50 Broad Street, Room 1701 New York, NY 10004 (212) 809-4675 • Fax: (212) 785.4601 cacf@cacf.org</p>	<p>Wayne H. Ho <i>Executive Director</i></p> <p>Vanessa S. Leung <i>Education Policy and Program Coordinator</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Training for service providers, community education, recommendations and reports on the needs of Asian American children, and a parent advocacy group - Key advocacy areas include child abuse/neglect prevention, education, mental health, and after-school programs 	<p>Chinese (Cantonese, Mandarin) English</p>
<p>FILIPINO AMERICAN HUMAN SERVICES 185-14 Hillside Avenue Jamaica, NY 11432 Mailing address: 120 Wall Street- 3rd Floor New York, NY 10005 (718) 883-1295 • Fax: (718) 523-9606</p>	<p>Ofelia Reyes <i>Counselor</i></p> <p>Ted Martinez <i>Youth Coordinator</i></p> <p>Lin Teralta</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Peer support network and youth development activities - Family counseling and referral - Community education workshops - Legal referrals - Tagalog classes for Filipino youth - ESL and civics classes every day 	<p>Tagalog</p>
<p>FLUSHING JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER 43-43 Bowne Street Flushing, NY 11365 (718) 463-0434 • Fax: (718) 463-8937</p>	<p>Paul Engel <i>Executive Director</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - ESL and civics classes; advocacy; multicultural activities 	<p>Korean, Chinese, Russian, Others</p>
<p>GLOBAL KIDS, INC. Service Location: Queens International High School 31-10 Thomson Avenue Long Island City, NY 11101 Mailing Address: 561 Broadway New York, NY 10012 (212) 226-0130</p>	<p>Evie Hantzotoulos <i>Deputy Director</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Comprehensive program for immigrant youth that takes place during school, through classroom-based and extra-curricular activities - After-school through a school-based and city-wide leadership program to promote civic participation, community service, and global awareness - Serves youth age 13-18 	<p>Tagalog, Spanish, Greek, French, Swahili, Creole, Amharic</p>
<p>IMMIGRATION ADVOCACY SERVICES, INC. www.immigrationadvocacy.com 24-40 Steinway Street Long Island City, NY 11103 (718) 956-8218 • (718) 956-6800 Fax: (718) 274-1615</p>	<p>Jasmine Anthony Meloni</p> <p>Debra Gimore</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Assistance with all immigration procedures and computerized filings and legal services, including N-400, N-600, I-130 and I-485 application assistance - Certification, translation, and notarization of documents - Citizenship drives coordinated with social service, ethnic and cultural groups - Free consultations, no appointment necessary 	<p>Arabic, Urdu</p>

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<p>INDOCHINA SINO-AMERICAN COMMUNITY CENTER (ISACC) www.isacc-ny.org 170 Forsyth St. 2nd Floor New York, NY 10002 (212) 226-0317 • Fax: (212) 925-0327 isacenter@netzero.net</p>	<p>Peter Cheng <i>Executive Director</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - ESL classes; Civics classes, such as Citizenship Prep class, Computer Training, and Health Case Access Services; Language Assistance - Fee charged for N-400 and N-600 application assistance 	<p>Chinese (Cantonese, Mandarin, Fujianese), Khmer, Vietnamese</p>
<p>INTERNATIONAL CENTER IN NEW YORK (THE) www.intlcenter.org 50 W 23rd St – 7 Floor New York, NY 10010 (212) 255 9555 • Fax: (212) 255-0177 icny@intlcenter.org</p>	<p>Joanne Heyman <i>Executive Director</i> Extension: 202 jheyman@intlcenter.org</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Provides Conversation Partner Program which pairs English learners for conversation with English speaking volunteers - Immigrant parents practice English conversation with Native English Speakers around topics that help them learn more about the public school system, including its structure and parents' and immigrants' rights in school - Job Search Program which helps newcomers and immigrants learn about American style job applications and resumes, job search resources, and immigrants' and workers' rights while learning new vocabulary - Citizenship Program which helps participants prepare for the citizenship exam through answering practice questions about American civics and history while gaining valuable English conversation and interviewing skills 	<p>Non-Language Specific</p>
<p>JAPANESE AMERICAN SOCIAL SERVICES, INC. (JASSI) www.jassi.org 100 Gold Street Lower Level New York, NY 10038 (212) 442-1541 info@jassi.org</p>	<p>Peter D. Lederer <i>President</i></p> <p>Chiaki Torisu <i>Community Services Coordinator</i> ctorisu@jassi.org</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Serves as an advocate before government agencies and offers: direct services and group social events for senior citizens; community education workshops; bilingual news bulletins; and information and referral services - Other Bilingual/bicultural programs include: assistance regarding government benefits, housing, immigration, and legal rights 	<p>Japanese</p>
<p>KOREAN AMERICAN COUNSELING CENTER, INC. – NEW YORK CITY 35-26 Unions Street 1st Floor Flushing, NY 11354 (718) 939-7214 Fax: (718) 939-2586</p>	<p>Giho Kim <i>Executive Director</i></p> <p>San Ki Chun <i>Program Coordinator</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Offers three main programs: information, referral and assistance program on entitlements (SSI, Medicare, Medicaid, FS, PA); housing program application assistance; and citizen application assistance, including ESL and civics education (for citizenship interview), computer education programs - Other services include immunization, Child Health Plus and recreation programs 	<p>Korean (All boroughs)</p>

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<p>KOREAN AMERICAN FAMILY SERVICE CENTER (KAFSC) http://www.kafsc.org/ P.O. Box 541429 Flushing, NY 11354 Hotline: (718) 460-3800 • Office: (718) 539-7682 Fax: (718) 460-3965 contact@kafsc.org</p>	<p>Seon Ah Ahn <i>Executive Director</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Hodori After-School Program (Ages 6-12), daily after school for creative activities such as music, art, cultural projects, and Taekwondo, as well as homework help and lessons on improving self-expression and social skills - Mentoring, Youth Community Project Team (Ages 13-18): dedicated group of youngsters who learn to develop leadership skills through planning, designing and carrying out short-term projects to meet special community needs Individual Counseling for children and Youth Counselors provide ongoing, one-on-one counseling to our young clients - KAFSC is a special focus on battered women and their children. KAFSC is providing counseling, client advocacy, and referral services, and to promote public awareness of domestic violence through community education 	<p>Korean</p>
<p>KOREAN COMMUNITY SERVICE OF METROPOLITAN NEW YORK http://www.kcsny.org 35-56 159th Street Flushing, NY 11358 Education & Development Institute & NYC Works Job Training Program (718) 353-2253 • Fax: (718) 886-6126</p>	<p>Shin Son <i>Executive Director</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - ESL, Job Training, Public health assistance and civics classes - Free N-400 and N-600 application assistance - Immigration advocacy services 	<p>Korean</p>
<p>KOREAN FAMILY COUNSELING CENTER (KACC) www.kfccny.org 41-25 Kissena Blvd., Room #105 Flushing, NY 11355 (718) 321-2400 • Fax: (718) 321-0554 kfccny@aol.com</p>	<p>Regina Kim <i>Executive Director</i> Sungsoon Kim <i>Program Director</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Provides Counseling and Services - Safe Home Service - Legal & Medical Service Referral - Community Education & Campaign - Immigration Law Counseling - Gamblers Anonymous - Child Health Plan 	<p>Korean</p>
<p>KOREAN YOUTH CENTER 35-34 Union Street Flushing, NY 11354 (718) 321-1010 • Fax: (718) 321-8282</p>	<p>Dr. Francis Huntae Kim <i>Executive Director</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Offers programs and activities to serve recent immigrants, economically disadvantaged Korean American youths and their families in Queens - Specific programs include SAT Preparation, counseling, visitation services for students, an education and tutorial program a school-home connection program, family counseling, a prevention workshop and therapy group, recreation and sports 	<p>Korean</p>
<p>LEARNING LEADERS www.learningleaders.org 80 Maiden Lane Suite 1100 New York, NY 10038 (212) 213-3370 • Fax: (212) 213-0787</p>	<p>John Corwin <i>Interim Chief Executive Officer</i> Eunice Kwon <i>Director of Family Literacy</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Provides training for volunteers; family literacy training (in various languages) - Resource directory for immigrant families - Immigrant fairs in every borough (call Joanne Lee, check website for more information) 	<p>Non-Language Specific</p>

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<p>NAV NIRMAAN FOUNDATION, INC. 887-08 Justice Avenue # CS Elmhurst, NY 11373-4575 (718) 478-4588 • Fax: (718) 476-5959</p>	<p>Girish Shah Program Director</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Nav Nirmaan Foundation provides outreach, consultation, counseling, support groups, and referral services for alcoholism, drug addiction, domestic violence, mental illness, and mental retardation - Educational and preventive programs are also offered. All services are provided with cultural sensitivity 	<p>Bengali, Hindi, Punjabi, Urdu, Gujarati</p>
<p>NEW IMMIGRANT COMMUNITY EMPOWERMENT (NICE) www.nice.org 37-41 77th Street, 2nd Floor Jackson Heights, NY 11372 (718) 205-8796 • Fax: (718) 505-7130</p>	<p>Bryan Pu Folkes Executive Director</p> <p>Valeria Treves Education Coordinator valeria.nynice@gmail.com</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Cross-cultural, non-profit organization that uses organizing, advocacy, and public education to ensure that new immigrants are active, informed, and influential in civic, governmental and public affairs - Playing a significant role in numerous panels relating to topics such as bilingual education, community and political organizing, and advocacy for immigration reform - Sponsoring conferences to inform immigrant communities on their rights and how to access neighborhood and other services and resources - Sponsoring workshops, trainings, and initiating community-led projects to educate new immigrant communities on issues such as voter education and civic participation and the impact and importance of the decennial census and to minimize the Census 2000 undercount among immigrant populations in Queens 	<p>Non- Language Specific</p>
<p>NEW YORK CITY REFUGEE EMPLOYMENT PROJECT http://www.theirc.org/ International Rescue Committee 122 East 42nd Street, Suite 1100 New York, NY 10168-1289 (212) 551-3104 • Fax: (212) 551-3180</p>	<p>Lang Ngan Regional Resettlement Director Lang.Ngan@theIRC.org</p> <p>Susan Penaloza Teacher (212) 551-3100 Susan.Penaloza@theIRC.org</p> <p>Tina Susman Tina.Susman@theIRC.org Office: (212) 551-2950 Cell: 212) 748-9438</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - After-school tutoring, homework assistance, and literacy training, as well as creative and recreational activities programs that stress youth development, community building, and self-confidence - ESL classes taught by volunteers - The Youth Program cultivates relationships with members of the school system, working with administrators and teachers to determine how to best address the unique educational and social needs of refugee youth, both in and outside of the classroom. The Youth Program also collaborates with other service providers to offer opportunities for refugee youth to participate in activities that contribute to their emotional and social development - Pre and post-employment services, job counseling referrals, and placement services 	<p>Non- Language Specific</p> <p>Services for Refugee and Asylee only</p>

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<p>NEW YORK IMMIGRATION COALITION www.thenyic.org 137-139 W. 25th Street, 12th FL New York, New York 10001-7277 (212) 627-2227 • Fax: (212) 627-9314</p>	<p>Chung-Wha Hong <i>Executive Director</i></p> <p>Margie McHugh <i>Senior Policy and Program Advisor</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Training and follow-up support on immigration legal services and immigrant public benefits eligibility provided to organizations serving immigrants; public education and community outreach to immigrant and refugee communities; immigration advocacy and policy analysis 	<p>Chinese Korean, Portuguese, Polish, German, Hungarian, French, Tamil</p>
<p>NEW YORK ASSOCIATION FOR NEW AMERICANS (NYANA) INC. www.nyana.org 2 Washington Street New York, NY 10004 (212) 425-2900 • Fax: (212) 344-1621</p>	<p>Jose F. Valencia, <i>President & CEO</i></p> <p>Samuel Goldstein DSW <i>Director, Educational Services Division</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - As a full-service, multi-faceted organization, we assist new immigrants and their families from every nation in every aspect of their lives, from education ESL/Civics classes and healthcare, to legal advice and job placement 	<p>Non-Language Specific</p>
<p>NYANA-WASHINGTON HEIGHTS YM/YWHA www.nyana.org 54 Nagle Avenue New York, NY 10040 (212) 569-6200 Extension: 243</p>	<p>Leah Geskin <i>Director</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - ESL/Civics classes - Citizenship assistance 	<p>Russian</p>
<p>QUEENS CHILD GUIDANCE CENTER - ASIAN OUTREACH PROGRAM 87-08 Justice Avenue, Suite C-7 Elmhurst, NY 11373 (718) 899-9810 • Fax: (718) 899-9699</p>	<p>Dr. Agnelo Dias <i>Clinic Administrator</i> agnelodias@qccg.org</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Asian Outreach Program of the Queens Child Guidance Center serves children and adults of Asian origin, in particular Chinese, South Asians, Koreans, and Filipinos - We are licensed mental health and substance abuse service providers for the borough of Queens 	<p>Chinese (Cantonese, Mandarin) Bengali, Gujarati, Hindi, Korean, Urdu, Tagalog</p>
<p>RIVERSIDE LANGUAGE PROGRAM www.riversidelanguage.org 490 Riverside Drive, 3rd Floor New York, New York 10027 (Entrance at 91 Claremont Ave.) (212) 662-3200 • Fax: (212) 870-6841</p>	<p>Leslie Robbins Phyllis Berman</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Offers free classes in English to Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL), to immigrants and refugees from all over the world who are currently living in New York City Intensive English Classes Monday to Friday from 9:30 am to 3:30 pm, 6 weeks programs, 4 levels - Classes begin each month, call for registration 	<p>Non-Language Specific</p>

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<p>RUSSIAN AMERICAN CULTURAL HERITAGE CENTER (RACH-C) www.rach-c.org 34 Hillside Avenue, Suite 4C New York, NY 11373 212-567-5834 info@rach-c.org</p>	<p>Olga Zatsepina, Ph.D. <i>President & Executive Director</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Encourage writers to create materials and find ways to bring their materials to the public - especially youth - as monographs, books, articles, essays, documentaries, exhibits, etc - Provide presentation at workshops, seminars, lectures, performances, and similar activities that provide background on the history, culture and characteristics of Russian Americans - Provide technical assistance to Russian American organizations and individuals attempting to bring worthwhile projects to life; assist main stream American organizations seeking to reach the Russian/American community for worthy purposes - Support organizations and projects that try to help those who need the most and get the least: orphaned children; adoptive parents and their children; performance art organizations and projects; historic and academic scholars; immigrants of Russian speaking countries 	<p>Russian</p>
<p>SAKHI FOR SOUTH ASIAN WOMEN www.sakhi.org PO BOX 20208 New York, NY 10001 Hotline: (212) 868-6741 • Office: (212) 714-9153</p>	<p>Purvi Shah <i>Executive Director</i> Extension: 101 purvi.shah@sakhi.org</p> <p>Sandeep Kaur Bathala <i>Direct Services Director</i> Extension: 104 sandeep.bathala@sakhi.org</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Operates as a resource, support, and organizing center for South Asian women survivors of domestic violence - Community education workshops concerning domestic violence and women's rights and roles within South Asian communities are conducted - Sakhi provides referrals to shelters, health care providers, lawyers, and agencies that support survivors of violence. Sakhi also holds free legal clinics and offers literacy and computer classes 	<p>Bengali, Hindi, Punjabi, Urdu, Gujarati</p>
<p>SOUTH ASIAN COUNCIL FOR SOCIAL SERVICES http://www.sacssny.org 140-15 Holly Avenue Flushing, New York 11355 (718) 321-7929 • Fax: (718) 321-0628 sacss@sacssny.org</p>	<p>Sudha Acharya <i>Executive Director</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Plans, provides, supports, and advocates for programs addressing the social services needs of South Asian and other immigrant communities of NYC - SACSS seeks to accomplish this by undertaking community organizing initiatives that inform and mobilize the planning efforts of the community; by building the capacity and leadership of existing organizations, coalitions, and community-based service providers; and by providing or seeding new programs to address unmet needs - Current programs: ESL Classes, Job Preparedness, Computer Skills, Parenting Workshops, Specialized Job Training, Free Tax Screening 	<p>Bengali, Gujarati, Hindi, Kannada, Malayalam</p>

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<p>SOUTH ASIAN YOUTH ACTION, INC. (SAYA!) www.saya.org 54-05 Seabury Street Elmhurst, NY 11373 (718) 651-3484 • Fax: (718) 651-3480</p>	<p>Annetta Seecharran, <i>Executive Director</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - SAYA! exists to develop the skills, talents, and leadership potential of South Asian youth living in New York City - Through a range of supports and services, SAYA! provides South Asian youth, ages 11 to 19, with safe spaces to learn, grow, play, and contribute to their communities and each other - Among the services provided by SAYA! are academic and career preparation, recreational and artistic opportunities, individual and group counseling, and leadership and organizing activities 	<p>Hindi, Other</p>
<p>TOLENTINE-ZEISER/ ST. RITA'S CENTER FOR IMMIGRANT AND REFUGEE SERVICES 2342 Andrews Avenue Bronx, NY 10468 (718) 365-4390</p>	<p>Sister Jean Marshall <i>Director</i> stritacenter@aol.com</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Offers Southeast Asian and other refugees social services - Employment counseling and placement, translation and escort services - English classes (ESL) for adults; childcare (for mothers studying English) citizenship classes - Support groups for Cambodian, Vietnamese, and Russian women - After-school program for children 7-14 years old; and crime prevention and victimization services - Based in the Bronx, but serves all boroughs 	<p>Vietnamese, Cambodian (Khmer), Urdu</p>
<p>YMCA ELES AIR PROJECT C/O Chelsea Center YMCA www.ymcanyc.org/mcburney www.internationalymca.org/ELES AIR/ELES AIR.shtml 122 West 17th Street New York, NY 10011 (212) 741-4240 • Fax: (212) 741-4233 Free ESL classes at 14th Street Site (Guadalupe Church) 229 West 14th Street New York, NY 10011 (212) 741-4251 • (212) 875-4336 lesair@aol.com</p>	<p>Judy Duzil <i>Executive Assistant Director for ESL/Civics</i></p> <p>Be Jensen (212) 875-4328 <i>Recruiter</i></p> <p>Dio Gica <i>ESL Class Information & Reservations</i> dgica@ymcanyc.org</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - English Language and Employment Service for Adult Immigrants and Refugees (ELES AIR) is a program dedicated to helping immigrants and refugees with limited means and low levels of English proficiency to establish productive lives in their new country and attain their goals of self-sufficiency - Computer classes, referrals for job placement and job skills training programs, gym classes - Immigration application assistance, including N-400 	<p>Chinese, English, Farsi, Russian, Spanish, Tagalong, Vietnamese</p>