



ORGANIZATIONS SUPPORTING CIVIL RIGHTS AND STANDING AGAINST BIAS AND BIGOTRY

Collected by the New Jersey Association for Lifelong Learning (NJALL)

These local, state and national organizations provide resources regarding the rights of different communities, education and information, and many collect information about incidents of bias-related harassment, violence and other violations of civil rights.

Please let NJALL know of any groups or resources you think should be added to the list at our email address: njallmail@gmail.com

Know Your Rights Materials

American Civil Liberties Union

Click [here](#) and [here](#)

American Friends Service Committee

Click [here](#) for English

Click [here](#) for Spanish

CASA de Maryland

Click [here](#) for Spanish

Make the Road New Jersey

Click [here](#) for Spanish

MALDEF

Click [here](#) for English and
Spanish Document

To Report a Hate or Bias Crime

Anti-Defamation League

Click [here](#)

The Council on American-Islamic Relations

Click [here](#)

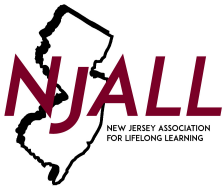
Rutgers-Newark

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The Southern Poverty Law Center

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**Federal information about the rights of people with limited
English proficiency can be found at: www.lep.gov**



NATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

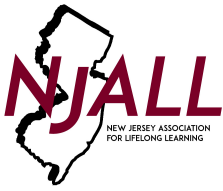
<p>American Civil Liberties Union 125 Broad Street, 18th Floor New York NY 10004 www.aclu.org (212) 549-2500</p> <p><i>Provides information and advocates for civil rights. Information about knowing your rights can be found here.</i></p>	<p>American Friends Service Committee 1501 Cherry Street Philadelphia, PA 19102 www.afsc.org Email: www.afsc.org/contact (215) 241-7000</p> <p><i>To download a document about immigrants' rights, click here. In Spanish, click here.</i></p>
<p>Anti-Defamation League 605 3rd Avenue New York, NY 10158 www.adl.org (212) 885-7700</p> <p><i>Monitors hate groups and reports hate crimes. To report a bias incident click here.</i></p>	<p>Asian American Legal Defense and Education Fund 99 Hudson St, 12th Fl New York, NY 10013 www.aaldef.org (212) 966 5932</p> <p><i>Promotes the civil rights of Asian Americans. Information about anti-Asian bias can be found here.</i></p>
<p>The Council on American-Islamic Relations 453 New Jersey Avenue, SE Washington, DC 20003 www.cair.com (202) 488-8787</p> <p><i>Provides information about Islam and civil rights. You can file a report of a bias crime here.</i></p>	<p>IMMI c/o Immigrant Advocates Network 564 Market Street, Suite 416 San Francisco, CA 94104 www.immi.org</p> <p><i>Click here to access a free online tool available in English and Spanish to help immigrants in the U.S. easily screen for legal remedies that might be available to them and find legal assistance.</i></p>
<p>The National Center for Transgender Equality 1400 16th St. NW, Suite 510 Washington D.C. 20036 www.transequality.org/ ncte@transequality.org (202) 642-4542</p> <p><i>Advocates for the rights of transgendered people. Provides resources about civil rights and information about taking action. Click here for information about transgendered issues in the immigrant community.</i></p>	<p>National Immigration Law Center National Headquarters 3450 Wilshire Blvd. #108 – 62 Los Angeles, CA 90010 www.nilc.org reply@nilc.org (213) 639-3900 (213) 639-3911 fax</p> <p><i>Provides information about immigration and civil rights. Click here to access a PDF overview.</i></p>



<p>The Southern Poverty Law Center 400 Washington Avenue Montgomery, AL 36104 www.splcenter.org (334) 956-8200 (888) 414-7752</p> <p><i>Tracks the activity of hate groups. Click here to access a map.</i></p>	<p>Welcoming America P.O. Box 2554 Decatur, GA 30031 www.welcomingamerica.org (404) 631-6593</p> <p><i>Supports a network of over 100 local governments that have declared themselves to be welcoming to immigrants and refugees.</i></p>
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LOCAL AND STATE ORGANIZATIONS

<p>American Civil Liberties Union –New Jersey Chapter P.O. Box 32159 Newark, NJ 07102 info@aclu-nj.org (973) 642-2084</p> <p><i>Provides information and advocates for immigration and civil rights.</i></p>	<p>American Friends Service Committee 89 Market Street, 6th Floor Newark, NJ 07102 nymro@afsc.org (973) 642-2084</p> <p><i>Provides immigration legal counseling and advocates for immigration and civil rights.</i></p>
<p>Catholic Charities 976 Broad Street Newark, NJ 07102 www.ccannj.com Catholic-Charities@ccannj.org (973) 733-3516</p> <p><i>Provides immigration legal services.</i></p>	<p>Catholic Charities, Diocese of Metuchen 319 Maple Street Perth Amboy, NJ 08861 www.ccdom.org (732) 324-8200</p> <p><i>Provides immigration legal counseling and advocates for immigration and civil rights.</i></p>
<p>The Council on American-Islamic Relations – New Jersey Chapter 4475 S. Clinton Avenue, Suite 202 South Plainfield, NJ, 07080 http://nj.cair.com info@nj.cair.com (908) 668-5900</p> <p><i>Monitors hate crimes and civil violations. To report an incident, click here.</i></p>	<p>First Friends of NJ and NY 53 South Hackensack Avenue Kearny, NJ 07032 www.firstfriendsnjny.org info@firstfriendsnjny.org (908) 965-0455</p> <p><i>Visits and provides support to immigrants held in detention, particularly asylum-seekers.</i></p>



<p>Latin American Legal Defense and Education Fund 669 Chambers Street Trenton, NJ 08611 www.laldef.org info@laldef.org (609) 688-0881</p> <p><i>Provides immigration legal services in Mercer county. Supports the civil rights of Latin Americans.</i></p>	<p>Legal Services of New Jersey P.O. Box 1357 Edison, NJ 08818 www.lsnj.org (732) 572-9100</p> <p><i>Provides immigration legal services.</i></p>
<p>Make the Road New Jersey 42 Broad Street Elizabeth, NJ 07201 www.maketheroadnj.org (908)768-4991</p> <p><i>Provides immigration legal services and advocates for immigration and civil rights through community organizing.</i></p>	<p>New Jersey Alliance for Immigrant Justice www.njimmigrantjustice.org info@njimmigrantjustice.org 973-474-9850</p> <p><i>Provides information and advocates for immigration and civil rights.</i></p>
<p>NYC Commission on Human Rights</p> <p><i>Click here to download a page about protecting rights of Muslims and those perceived to be Muslim.</i></p>	<p>Rutgers University-Newark The Clement A. Price Institute, the Department of History, the American Studies Program, and the Center for Migration and the Global City at Rutgers University-Newark</p> <p><i>To report incidents of hate in greater Newark, click here.</i></p>
<p>Seton Hall – Law Center for Social Justice 833 McCarter Highway Newark, NJ 07102 law.shu.edu/ProgramsCenters/PublicIntGovServ/CSJ/CSJ-Clinics.cfm (973) 642-8500</p> <p><i>Provides immigration legal services.</i></p>	