Legal Resources for Immigrants and Refugees in the Worcester Area Updated 3/18

Agency/ Address	Contact Information	Specific services	Eligibility	Cost	When are Services Available
Ascentria Care Alliance (formerly Lutheran Social Services of New England LSSNE) 11 Shattuck Street, Worcester, MA 01605	Tel: 774.243.3045 Fax:508-519- 3089	 Immigration legal services to non-citizen, including forms assistance, and consultations. 	 Low income. Must be below 187% FPL for humanitarian relief, and 300% below FPL for forms assistance. Residents of Massachusetts 	Free and low cost to immigrants	By appointment only, please call to make an appointment
Central West Justice Center An Affiliate of Community Legal Aid 405 Main Street, 4th Floor Worcester, MA 01608	Tel: 1-855-252- 5342 Fax: (508) 752- 5918 Apply online: <u>http://www.comm</u> <u>unitylegal.org/ap</u> <u>ply-online</u>	 Free legal representation to non-citizens seeking humanitarian immigration relief 	 Must be low- income Must reside in Worcester County or Western Massachusetts 	Free	Phone Intake Hours: M-TU-TH-F 9:30-12:15 W 1:30-4:15 Apply online any time.

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Catholic Charities 10 Hammond Street, Worcester, MA 01610	Tel: 508-798-0191	 Helps refugees and immigrants with legal advice on how to apply for green card Adjustment of status Citizenship (no waiting list) Citizenship Ed. Classes 	 Immigrants who have not out-stayed their visas. Must be a refugee Low income 	Fees charged depending on income, sliding scale minimal costs	Open now but may be limited. Walk- ins welcome.
CENTRO (formerly Centro Las Americas)	Tel: 508-798-1900	 Can help with paperwork on how to apply for green card or citizenship Free translation Free copies and faxes of legal documents 	 Proof of address and photo ID 	Free, opportunity to make a donation	By appointment. Please first visit the office to get list of needed documents to bring, <u>Then</u> make an appointment

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Friendly House 36 Wall Street Worcester, MA 01604	Tel:508-755-4362	 Help fill out legal paperwork, applications, notarize, fax and copy No legal representation Translate some legal documents and certificates 	Within their zip code Low income	Free	Walk-ins, wait in line 9am-5pm M-F
Refugee and Immigrant Assistance Center (RIAC) 340 Main St. Suite 803 Worcester, MA 01608	Tel: 508-756-7557 Fax: 508-756-7708.	 Will help with legal services for those referred by federal government Will help with green card applications for non-referred families 	Must be a client referred from government or a refugee	Free	M-F 9-5
Political Asylum Immigration Representation/PAIR Project 98 N Washington St #106, Boston, MA 02114	617-742-9296 Mondays – Thursday 10am-4pm	 Specific services for detained immigrants and asylum seekers 	Asylum Seekers and Immigration Detainees	Free	

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Listing of Local Private Attorneys that Specialize in Immigration Law

Name & Address	Contact Information	Specific services	Approximate Cost per hour
Attorney Randy Feldman 500 Main Street, Suite 510 Worcester, MA 01608	508-792-1202 atyfeldman@aol.com *Spanish speaking paralegals	 All Immigration services Family-based immigration Green cards (lawful permanent resident cards) Deportation defense Student and visitor visas Adjustment of status Citizenship and naturalization Consular processing Political asylum 	\$100 consultation. Flat fee for total cost of case is provided at initial consultation.
Law Offices of Mary Yanneth Bermudez Camp P.O. Box 269 Leominster, MA 01453 484 Main St., Ste. 570 Worcester, MA 01608 305 Whitney St., Ste. G2 Leominster, MA 01453 Appointments are available evenings and Saturdays <i>Citas disponibles noches y</i> <i>Sábados</i>	(508) 577-4270 (cell/main number - <i>número principal</i>) (978) 466-8664 Spanish Speaker - <i>Hablamos Español</i>	 17 years of experience handling <i>immigration</i>, <i>family</i>, discrimina tion, personal injury, and workers' compensation matters 17 años de experiencia manejando asuntos de inmigración, familia, discriminación, lesiones personales y accidentes laborales Mainly offer family-based immigration services and deportation defense Ofrece principalmente servicios de inmigración de familia y defensa de deportación 	 Free first consultations Reasonable flat fee retainers (not hourly) Installment plans Offers probono representation to homeless individuals Offer reduced fees to victims of domestic abuse - ofrece cobro reducido a víctimas de abuso domestico

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Tadmor & Tadmor, LLP 340 Main St #610 Worcester, MA 01608	(508) 791-9400 *Spanish speaking.	 Family-based immigration Employment-based immigration Nonimmigrant visas: applications and extensions Citizenship and naturalization Green cards (lawful permanent resident cards) Adjustment of status Consular processing Political asylum Deportation defense 	\$100 consultation. Charge per case not by hour.
Moreno Law Office, LLC Slater Building, 390 Main St #718 Worcester, MA 01608	(508) 798-5291 *Spanish Speaking.	 Permanent Visas / Green Cards Temporary Visas Naturalization / Citizenship Deferred Action (DACA) / DREAM Act Employer Compliance / ICE I-9 Audits 	Cost differs on case to case basis. Will give reduced cost to those families referred from non-profit organizations.
Fletcher Tilton 370 Main Street, 12th Floor Worcester, MA 01608 161 Worcester Road, 5th Floor Framingham, MA 01701 Immigration attorney located in Framingham office, but comes to Worcester on Mondays.	508-459-8000	 Visas Green cards Citizenship Immigration Court 	Consultation fee \$100.00. Cost of case varies by person.

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Aurora Terpollari, Esq 108 Elm Street Worcester, MA 01609	Tel: 508-753-1800	 Represent individuals and businesses in immigration appeal process 	Call for more information
Alex Mooradian, Esq. 11 Harvard Street Worcester, MA 01609	Tel.: (508)-756-6206	 Representation with various immigration issues 	Cal for more information
Graves and Doyle 100 State Street 9 th Floor Boston, MA 02109	617-542-6400	 Representing all types of immigration cases Specific services for immigrants facing criminal charges 	Consultation fee \$250.00 (goes towards legal fees) Payment plans are set up Costs are case by case basis
Demissie and Church 929 Massachusetts Ave., Ste. 01 Cambridge, MA 02139	617-354-3944	 Representing all types of immigration cases Family Reunification, Adjustment of Status, Alien Criminal Convictions, Employment-based Immigration (H1B and Labor Certification). The firm has particular expertise in complex immigration problems, especially cases involving applications for political asylum, deportation defense and other immigration areas. Specific services for immigrants facing criminal charges and/or removal 	Cost differs on case to case basis.

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