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Contribute to a local ICE watch and/or legal services organization

The statewide **LUCE Defense Hotline** is recruiting both hotline operators (especially individuals with relevant language skills) and neighborhood ICE watch volunteers.



Visit their website for more information and to complete their interest forms:
www.lucemass.org

The Boston Immigrant Justice Accompaniment Network (BIJAN) provides accompaniment and support to those interacting with immigration systems including those in detention.



Learn more at www.beyondboston.org

PAIR provides free immigration services to indigent asylum seekers and detained immigrants, assuring fairness and access to justice.



Learn more at www.pairproject.org

Share Resources



Please share **Know Your Rights (KYR)** resources when interacting with immigration enforcement, available in various languages.
bit.ly/KYRMIRA

KYR information include legal resources, family preparedness tools, upcoming trainings, bystander tips and more.

Legal Assistance Massachusetts:

- Massachusetts Legal Resource Finder:
<https://masslrf.org/en/home>
- Immigration court list of legal services:
<https://www.justice.gov/eoir/file/ProBonoMA/download>
- City of Boston Immigration Consultations:
<https://www.boston.gov/departments/immigrant-advancement/free-immigration-consultations>

Outside of Massachusetts:

- Immigration Advocates Network Legal Directory:
<https://www.immigrationadvocates.org/legaldirectory/>

Contribute to mutual aid efforts

- **The Boston Immigrant Justice Accompaniment Network (BIJAN)**: Operates the *Beyond Bond & Legal Defense Fund* which raises money for immigration bonds to free people in ICE prisons in Massachusetts and Rhode Island or elsewhere, but are coming to live in MA upon release.
[Find out more - www.beyondbondboston.org](http://www.beyondbondboston.org)
- **Operation Milkweed**: provides mutual aid and direct support for Massachusetts families impacted by ICE enforcement since 2025.
[Find out more - www.operationmilkweed.org](http://www.operationmilkweed.org)
- **Metrowest Worker Center - Casa**: Focuses on food security, worker leadership, and direct aid for families.
[Find out more - www.mwc-casa.org](http://www.mwc-casa.org)
- **Massachusetts Migrant Families Relief Fund**: Distributes grants to local organizations providing emergency aid like housing and, clothing.
[Find out more - unitedwaymassbay.org](http://unitedwaymassbay.org)
- **Community Legal Aid**: Offers free legal representation to low-income non-citizens in Central and Western MA.
[Find out more - www.communitylegal.org](http://www.communitylegal.org)

Utilize MIRA's resources

Immigration Advocate Legal Helpline



The Immigration Helpline open to ALL Massachusetts-based providers serving immigrants and refugees.

Find out more
bit.ly/MIRALegalHelpline

MACI

Massachusetts Access to Counsel Initiative

The Massachusetts Access to Counsel Initiative is a joint effort between MIRA Coalition, CPCS, and a statewide network of legal organizations.

Find out more bit.ly/MACI2026

Attend trainings and community events



Find out more www.miracoalition.org

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Staying updated



Join the MIRA Coalition bulletin to receive important updates, event invitations, and volunteer opportunities.

Sign up at bit.ly/MIRA_Weekly_Bulletin

Challenge misinformation and harmful stereotypes and share accurate information about immigrants from reputable sources

Plug into reliable sources of information on *policy* changes:

MIRA Coalition

bit.ly/MIRApolicyupdates

Immigrant Legal Resource Center

www.ilrc.org

National Immigration Law Center

www.nilc.org

Immigrants Rising

www.immigrantsrising.org

American Immigration Council

www.americanimmigrationcouncil.org

Support the Protecting Massachusetts Communities campaign



The Protecting Massachusetts Communities (PMC) urges state lawmakers to pass reforms that would enhance the safety of all Massachusetts residents by ensuring a clear division between state and local law enforcement and federal immigration activities.

The PMC coalition is working to establish safeguards to protect our immigrant communities from violent and inhumane immigration enforcement.

The campaign's priorities will defend immigrants by

- Banning new 287(g) agreements
- Preventing partnerships between local law enforcement and ICE
- Prohibit local law enforcement from asking about immigration status and
- Fund legal representation for those facing deportation.

Visit bit.ly/PMCTakeAction to get involved!

Take Action!

