

## **Immigration and Special Immigrant Juvenile Status (SIJS) Legal Resources:**

The Door Legal Services  
121 Avenue of the Americas  
New York, NY 10013  
(212) 941-9090  
Direct legal inquiries to ext. 3280  
<http://www.door.org/>

Empire Justice Center  
119 Washington Avenue  
Albany, NY 12210  
(518) 462-6831  
<http://www.empirejustice.org/>

International Institute of Buffalo  
864 Delaware Avenue  
Buffalo, NY 14222  
(716) 883-1900  
<http://www.iibuff.org/>

Lawyers for Children  
110 Lafayette Street 8th Floor  
New York, NY 10013  
(800) 244-2540  
(212) 966-6420  
<http://www.lawyersforchildren.org/>

The Legal Aid Society of Rochester  
One West Main Street  
Suite 800  
Rochester, NY 14614  
(585) 232-4090  
<http://www.lasroc.org>  
They also have offices serving the Albany and Syracuse areas.

Legal Aid Society of Rockland County  
Juvenile Rights Division  
2 Congers Road  
New City, NY 10956  
(845) 634-3627  
<http://www.legalaidrockland.org/>

Legal Aid Immigration Law Unit  
199 Water Street  
New York, NY 10038  
(212) 577-3300  
<http://www.legal-aid.org/en/home.aspx>

NYSDA Immigrant Defense Project  
3 W. 29<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 803  
New York, NY 10001  
(212) 725-6422  
(800) 391-5713  
<http://www.immigrantdefenseproject.org>

Safe Passage Immigration Project  
Justice Action Center  
New York Law School  
185 West Broadway  
NY, NY 10013  
(212) 431-2100  
[www.nyls.edu/immigration](http://www.nyls.edu/immigration)

They make referrals to immigration attorneys in Long Island, NYC, and some upstate counties.

**National Organizations that Provide Assistance/Referrals:**

Kids In Need of Defense (KIND)  
1331 G Street NW  
Suite 900  
Washington, DC 20005  
(202) 824-8680  
<http://www.supportkind.org/>  
(pro-bono partnership pairing youth with law firm volunteers)

Catholic Legal Immigration Network (CLINIC)  
415 Michigan Ave NE  
Suite 200  
Washington DC 20017  
(202) 635-5819  
<http://www.cliniclegal.org/pro-bono-kids>  
(pro-bono program only for youth in removal proceedings)

**SIJS questions/assistance for New York City agencies:**

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Director of Immigrant Services  
Administration for Children's Services  
Family Support Services  
2 Washington Street, 20-F-2  
New York, NY 10004  
(212) 487-8569  
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Assistant Supervising Attorney  
NYC Administration for Children's Services  
Family Court Legal Services  
Bronx Family Court Unit  
900 Sheridan Avenue #6A1  
Bronx, New York 10451  
(718) 590-5438 ext. 5944  
[Harry.Gelb@dfa.state.ny.us](mailto:Harry.Gelb@dfa.state.ny.us)

**Regional Training Resources:**

**Adolescent Services Resource Network**  
<http://nysasrn.org/index.html>

**Regions I and II**

ASRN at Buffalo State College  
Center for the Development of Human Services  
1695 Elmwood Avenue  
Buffalo, NY 14207-2407  
(716) 876-7600

**Regions III and IV**

ASRN at University at Albany  
Professional Development Program  
1400 Washington Avenue, UAB 410  
Albany, NY 12222  
(518) 591-8780

## **Region V**

ASRN at Stony Brook University School of Social Welfare  
L2-091 Health Sciences Center  
Stony Brook, NY 11794-8231  
(631) 444-7615

## **Region IV**

ASRN at Hunter College School of Social Work  
129 East 79<sup>th</sup> Street  
New York, NY 10021  
(212) 452-7483

## **Online Resources**

U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services: <http://www.uscis.gov>  
U.S. Department of State: <http://www.state.gov>  
American Immigration Lawyers Association: <http://www.aila.org>  
Immigration Legal Resource center: <http://www.ilrc.org>  
Bridging Refugee Youth and Children's Services: <http://www.brycs.org/>  
Immigration and Language Guidelines for Child Welfare Staff (ACS):  
[http://www.nyc.gov/html/acs/downloads/pdf/immigration\\_language\\_guide.pdf](http://www.nyc.gov/html/acs/downloads/pdf/immigration_language_guide.pdf)