NEIGHBORS LINK 2024 FACT SHEET

Neighbors Link works to **build stronger communities** through **immigrant empowerment and integration**.

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A 63% INCREASE OVER 2022		

More than 750 volunteers donated over 12,400 HOURS TO MAKE OUR WORK POSSIBLE.

OUR NEWEST DEPARTMENT,

Careers and Pathways reached more than **450 people** with digital literacy classes, workforce development programs, and individual assistance for job seekers.



Neighbors Link Community Law Practice served **nearly 3,000 unique clients** through consultations, screenings and cases. This includes **1,879 cases**, with an 86% success rate.



MORE THAN 1,500 ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS

took part in virtual or in-person classes.

OVER 2X MORE THAN LAST YEAR

1,400 PARENTS AND CHILDREN attended in-person Family Center programming.



NEIGHBORS LINK REACHED 4,500 residents with community education trainings on topics such as Knowing Your Rights, Cultural Awareness, legal clinics and immigration updates.



Our Migrant Relocation Assistance Program identified permanent housing in Westchester and moved the first 26 newly arrived families (a total of 127 adults and children) from shelters.



NEIGHBORS LINK PROGRAMS

Neighbors Link's programs include a Worker Center, English language education, legal services and advocacy, career development, digital literacy, workforce training, parent education, early childhood programs and academic support for school-age children of immigrants. Key to Neighbors Link's work is creating a shared forum for engagement between new Americans and longer-term residents through volunteerism, cultural awareness training, and civic advocacy.



NEIGHBORS LINK COMMUNITY LAW

PRACTICE provides a full array

of free immigration legal services, including deportation defense, naturalization, Temporary Protected Status, asylum, family reunification, DACA, and Special Immigrant Juvenile Status cases.



THE FAMILY CENTER supports parents raising bilingual, bicultural

children to succeed in school and beyond. Programming includes parent

education, early childhood development, academic support for students and partnerships to link families to community resources.



THE WORKER CENTER

facilitates connections to employment, advocacy for fair wages, and workforce

development training to help people move toward economic stability.



ADVOCACY OPPORTUNITIES allow

community members to come together to fight for policies that recognize the dignity and value of each person.



CAREERS AND PATHWAYS, launched

in 2023, offers workforce training programs in high-demand fields, support for entrepreneurship, a business center for community use, individual career guidance and a large number of digital literacy classes for adults. The overall goal is to support immigrants, regardless of citizenship status, to pursue their work and career goals for economic mobility.



ENGLISH FOR SPEAKERS OF OTHER LANGUAGES (ESOL)

programs support full integration for immigrants in our community. All ESOL levels are taught in person and online at Neighbors Link.



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

programs address issues related to knowing your rights when interacting with immigration or law enforcement,

important updates on immigration policy and encouraging meaningful dialogue throughout the entire community.



CRISIS AND SUPPORT SERVICES

are provided on medical issues, housing, employment, food insecurity and other issues through an extensive network of partnerships.



VOLUNTEER PROGRAMS bring diverse communities together and inspire a culture of integration and collaboration among residents.



MIGRANT RELOCATION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM is a

New York State-funded program to assist newly arrived immigrant families with children living in NYC shelters who would like to move to other parts of the state. Through this program, Neighbors Link identifies safe and affordable housing in Westchester, administers subsidies for rent and utilities for one year, assists with basic needs and provides case management services for one year.



Neighbors Link is **headquartered in Mount Kisco**, has three locations in Westchester County and offers services throughout the Hudson Valley.

For more information on locations or programs, please call us at 914-666-3410 or visit www.neighborslink.org.