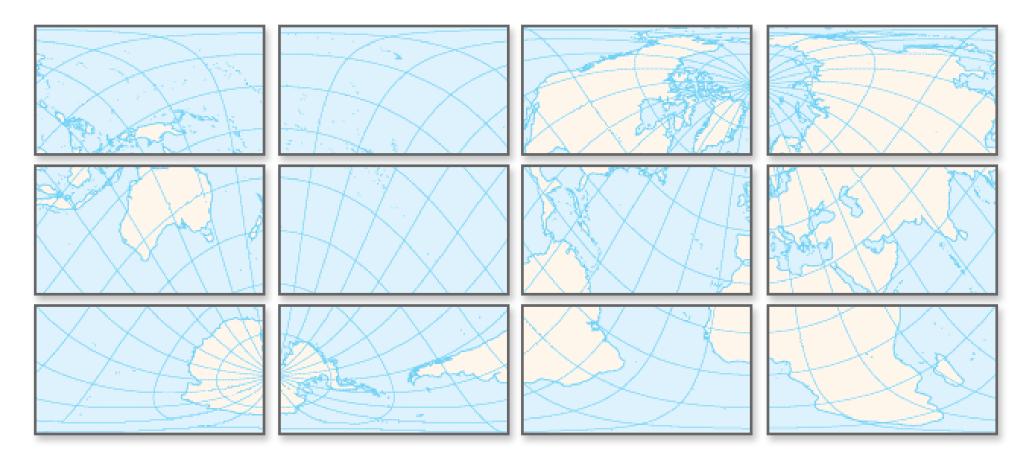
2012 MAA-CBO Directory

Mutual Assistance Associations and Community Based Organizations

Serving Refugees and Immigrants in Minnesota



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About Using This Resource

This document, MAA-CBO Directory 2012, was created to be a quick reference for individuals working to identify appropriate community based agencies that serve Minnesota's many diverse communities.

Listings are divided by group (African, Asian, Multicultural, Eastern European, Latino, Resettlement Agencies, State Councils, etc.). Agencies are then listed alphabetically within each category.

This guide is updated biennially and can also be accessed online in PDF format at: <u>www.health.state.mn.us/refugee.</u> Click on "Directories for Organizations Serving Refugees."

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Multicultural				
AccessAbility, Inc. 360 Hoover St. N.E. Minneapolis, MN 55413	Jacki Gale Linda Cazett	Main: 612-331-5958 Fax: 612-331-2448	Website: www.accessability.org Email: Jgale@accessability.org (J. Gale) Email: lcazett@accessability.org (L. Cazett)	A not-for-profit diversified training, employment & production facility providing training, work & recreational opportunities for individuals with disabilities & economic disadvantages who have barriers to employment & community inclusion.
The Advocates for Human Rights 330 2nd Ave. S. Suite 800 Minneapolis, MN 55401	Robin Phillips Executive Director Michele Garnett-Mackenzie Director of Advocacy Emily Good Refugee and Immigrant Program Director	Main: 612-341-3302 M. Garnett-Mackenzie: Ext.685 E. Good: Ext. 688 Client Line: 612-341-9845 Fax: 612-341-2971	Website: www.theadvocatesforhumanrights.org Email: hrights@advrights.org (General Inquiries) Email: rphillips@advrights.org (R. Phillips) Email: mmackenzie@advrights.org (M. Garnett-Mackenzie) Email: egood@advrights.org (E. Good)	Organization dedicated to the promotion and protection of internationally recognized human rights.
The Aliveness Project 730 E. 38th St. Minneapolis, MN 55407	Johnny Herda-Anzaldo, LSW Walter Gies, LSW Cathy Van Valkenburgh	Main: 612-822-7946 J. Anzaldo: Ext. 202 W. Gies: Ext. 203 C. Van Valkenburgh: Ext. 212 Fax: 612-822-9668	Website: www.aliveness.org Email: members@aliveness.org (J. Herda-Anzaldo) Email: casemanager@aliveness.org (W. Gies) Email: support@aliveness.org (C. Van Valkenburgh)	A drop-in community center for people living with HIV/AIDS. No income limit. All services are free. On-site meals Monday– Friday. Operates support groups, a free pet clinic and a food shelf. Also provides case management, a holiday basket program, computer access, free tickets to special events and integrative therapies including massage, acupuncture and chiropractics. Must be HIV positive to become a member.

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Multicultural (co	Multicultural (continued)						
American Refugee Committee 615 1st Ave. N.E. Suite 500 Minneapolis, MN 55413	Daniel Wordsworth Therese Gales Jessica Phinney	Main: 612-872-7060 Toll Free: 800-875-7060 Fax: 612-607-6499	Website: www.arcrelief.org Email: info@archq.org (General Inquiries) Email: thereseg@archq.org (T. Gales) Email: jessicap@archq.org (J. Phinney)	The American Refugee Committee is an international relief and development agency that empowers people impacted by conflict to take back control of their lives. Refugees and displaced people receive the support they need to recover through medical care, water and sanitation projects, skills training, and gender-based violence programs.			
Black Storytellers Alliance 1112 Newton Ave. N. Minneapolis, MN 55411	Nothando Zulu	Main: 612-529-5864 Fax: 612-529-5951	Website: www.blackstorytellers.com Email: nzulu@blackstorytellers.com (N. Zulu)	Promoting and preserving the art of storytelling. Specializes in storytelling performances for schools, libraries, community centers, and corporations, and conducts large and small group presentations for all ages. Story specialties include inspirational stories, informative stories, audience participation stories, historical stories and character portrayals. Members of BSA do school residencies and provide instructional workshops for teachers, librarians, parents, and volunteers.			
Blue Earth County Employment Services/ Mankato Rehabilitation Center 515 N. Riverfront Dr. Suite 200 Mankato, MN 56001	Marcia Highum	Main: 507-386-5750 M. Highum: 507-386-5751 Fax: 507-386-5788	Website: www.co.blue-earth.mn.us Email: MHighum@BECES.org (M. Highum)	Employment services offered in Anuak, Arabic, Nuer, Somali, and Spanish.			

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Brian Coyle Community Center Pillsbury United Communities 420 15th Ave. S. Minneapolis, MN 55454	Amano Dube Jennifer Blevins <i>Director</i>	Main: 612-338-5282 Fax: 612-338-8421	Website: www.puc-mn.org Email: dubea@puc-mn.org (A. Dube) Email: blevinsj@puc-mn.org (J. Blevins)	Brian Coyle Community Center offers employment and adult education services and English language learning and refugee resettlement assistance along with reading-tutoring and after school and summer progams for youth and teens. Also operates a food shelf and offers assistance in finding no- or low-cost health insurance.			
CAPI 3702 E. Lake St. Suite 200 Minneapolis, MN 55406	Ekta Prakash Executive Director Simran Arval Program Manager Eleanor Nelson Operations Coordinator	Main: 612-721-0122 Fax: 612-724-6085	Website: www.capiusa.org Email: info@capiusa.org (General Inquiries) Email: ekta.prakash@capiusa.org (E. Prakash) Email: simran.aryal@capiusa.org (S. Arval) Email: eleanor.nelson@capiusa.org (E. Nelson)	CAPI has an open door policy, everyone is welcome. CAPI provides: MFIP, employment services, elder care programming, RES, RSS, referrals for other social services. Languages spoken include: Hindi, Spanish, Somali, Hmong, Nepali, English, Oromo, Karen, Burmese, Thai, and Kiswahili.			
Cedar Riverside Adult Education Collaborative 1515 S. 4th St. Box 2009 Minneapolis, MN 55454	Seyou Nurie	Main: 612-376-0619 S. Nurie: 612-432-2081 Fax: 612-376-0695	Website: www.riversideplazata.org Email: wt_doma@yahoo.com	Provides education opportunities to adult immigrants and refugees living in and around the Cedar Riverside neighborhood. ESL classes, citizenship tutorial, and computer lab.			
Center for Victims of Torture 649 Dayton Ave. St. Paul, MN 55104	Douglas Johnson Executive Director Ruth Barret-Rendler Deputy Director Olivia Leuth Executive Assistant & Office Coordinator Dr. Andrea Northwood Director of Client Services	Main: 612-436-4800 Toll Free: 1-877-265-8775 Fax: 612-436-2600	Website: www.cvt.org Email:cvt@cvt.org (General Inquiries)	Provides medical, nursing, psychotherapy, social services and massage therapy to victims of torture. Works to heal the wounds of torture on individuals, their families, and their communities and to stop torture worldwide.			

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Civil Society 332 Minnesota St. Suite E-1436 St. Paul, MN 55101	Linda Miller Executive Director	Main: 651-291-0713 Fax: 651-291-2588 Toll free human trafficking crisis and tip line: 651-291-8810 or 1-888-772-3324	Website: http://civilsocietyhelps.org/test/html/ Email: office@civilsocietyhelps.org	Civil Society, a 501(c)(3) founded by Linda Miller in 1996, provides direct legal services for victims of human trafficking and referrals for comprehensive victim services for human trafficking victims in Minnesota.
Commonbond Communities 328 W. Kellogg Blvd. St. Paul, MN 55102	Kelly Matter Elizabeth Hagstrom	Main: 651-291-1750 K. Matter: 651-290-6243 E. Hagstrom: 651-290-6239 Fax: 651-291-1003	Website: www.commonbond.org Email: info@commonbond.org Email: kelly.matter@commonbond.org (K. Matter) Email: elizabeth.hagstrom@commonbond.org (L. Hagstrom)	A nonprofit provider of affordable housing for seniors, families and people with disabilities offering social services for residents. For housing information please call the main number listed only.
Community Services for the Deaf 2800 Rice St. Suite 154 St. Paul, MN 55113	Marty Barnum	Main: 651-256-1046 Fax: 651-256-1052	Website: www.ohsoez.com Email: mbarnum@c-s-d.org (M. Barnum)	Serves the Deaf Community; the refugee program helps refugees get into adult education programs and learn to sign. There are also classes to help refugees work towards U.S. citizenship and develop general life skills.
East Side Neighborhood Services, Inc. 1700 Second St. N.E. Minneapolis, MN 55413	Megna Schroff Mohamed Ahmed	Main: 612-781-6011 M. Ahmed: 612-342-1954 Fax: 612-787-4001	Website: www.esns.org Email: agencyInfo@esns.org (General Inquiries) Email: mschroff@esns.org (M. Schroff) Email: mahmed@esns.org (M. Ahmed)	Provides employment services, adult day services, family violence intervention, family counseling, teen parent support, child development & parent education, youth academic support, and school readiness services. Also operates the Northeast Child Deveolpment Center, Camp Bovey, and Menlo Alternative High School. *Please note the Somali Women's Program is not operating at this time.

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ECHO Minnesota (Emergency, Community, and Health Outreach) 125 Charles Ave. St. Paul, MN 55103	Lillian McDonald <i>Executive Director</i>	Main: 651-789-4342	Website: www.echominnesota.org Email: info@echominnesota.org (General Inquiries)	ECHO provides high-quality health, safety and emergency preparedness educational materials in multiple languages via TV, phone, radio, Web, and email. These communication tools function as an emergency infrastructure ensuring that in a crisis, ECHO can rapidly and effectively translate, produce and distribute life-saving health and safety messages.		
Employment Action Center RESOURCE, Inc. 900 20th Ave. S. Minneapolis, MN 55404	Jackie Range Ahmed Nur	Main: 612-752-8888 Fax: 612-752-8801 J. Range: 612-752-8856 A. Nur: 612-752-8841	Website: www.eac-mn.org Email: jrange@resource-mn.org (J. Range) Email: anur@resource-mn.org (A. Nur)	Provides employment services to MFIP refugees who are MFIP/DWP participants and who have been in the U.S. less than one year.		
English Learning Center c/o Our Saviour's Community Service 2315 Chicago Ave. S. Minneapolis, MN 55404	Sarah Shankle Program Director	Main: 612-874-9963 S. Shankle: Ext. 4 Fax: 612-871-0017	Website: http://oscs-mn.org/englishlearningcenter/ Email: info@englishlc.org (General Inquiries) Email: sarah@englishlc.org (S. Shankle)	We are a learning community; building knowledge for better lives. Educationally empowering immigrant and refugee adults and their families toward self-determination. Offers classes in basic English, math, computer, and citizenship for refugees and immigrants.		
Episcopal Community Services Center for Families 3333 N. Fourth St. Minneapolis, MN 55412	Patrick Kugmeh Case Manager	P. Kugmeh: 612-276-1571 Ext. 267 Fax: 612-870-7228	Website: www.ecsmn.org Email: pkugmeh@ecsmn.org (P. Kugmeh)	Housing focused social services provided to new Americans.		
Family and Children's Service 414 S. 8th St. Minneapolis, MN 55404	John Till	Main: 612-339-9101 Fax: 612-339-9150	Website: www.fcsmn.org Email: jtill@fcsmn.org (John Till) Email: inquires@fcsmn.org (General Inquiries)	Offers mental health counseling and helps rebuild a sense of community in neighborhoods where families live in poverty.		

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Goodwill Easter Seals 553 Fairview Ave. N. St. Paul, MN 55104	Boyd Brown Employment Krista Tintor Employment Carrie Owens Training Programs/Orientation	Main: 651-379-5800 B. Brown: 651-379-5875 K. Tintor: 651-379-5594 C. Owens: 651-379-5879 Fax: 651-379-5803	Website: www.goodwilleasterseals.org Email: bbrown@goodwilleasterseals.org (B. Brown) Email: ktintor@goodwilleasterseals.org (K. Tintor) Email: cowens@goodwilleasterseals.org (C. Owens)	Transitional Employment program that enhances employability and long-term career success by providing soft skills assessment and training and comprehensive support in addressing barriers to employment.
Hands Across the World 1605 Goettens Way Suite 206 St Cloud, MN 56301 School Site Mary Center 823 1st St. S.	Brianda Cediel Executive Director	Main: 320-260-1072 Fax: 320-217-8809	Website: www.handsacrosstheworldmn.org Email: handsacrosstheworldmn@gmail.com (General Inquiries)	Provides a first contact for newly arrived immigrants and refugees who do not have language or living skills necessary to thrive in our community. Child care provided.
St. Cloud, MN 56301				
Hennepin County Human Services & Public Health Department Children, Youth and Families Services -Child & Teen Checkups Century Plaza 330 S. 12th St. #4710 Minneapolis, MN 55404	Ana Temim Kathy Wood Jeanne Peterson-Price	A. Temim: 612-348-0095 K. Wood: 612-348-4415 J. Price: 612-348-4684 Fax: 612-348-2912	Email: ana.temim@co.hennepin.mn.us (A. Temim) Email: kathryn.wood@co.hennepin.mn.us (K. Wood) Email: jeanne.p.peterson@co.hennepin.mn.us (J. Price)	Promotes early detection and treatment of health related problems to families with children and teens from newborn through the age of 20 who are enrolled in Medical Assistance or Minnesota Care.
Hope International Health & Social Services, Inc. 220 S. Robert St. Suite 109 St. Paul, MN 55107	James W Gbala Jerry Norkeh Dr. Richard Oni	Main: 651-222-3962	Email: hopeinternational@comcast.net (General Inquiries)	Provides health education, promotion and intervention. Also provides home health services and children programming.
Immigrant Law Center of Minnesota 450 N. Syndicate St. Suite 175 St. Paul, MN 55104	John Keller	Main: 651-641-1011 Fax: 651-641-1131	Website: www.ilcm.org Email: oficinalegal@ilcm.org (General Inquiries)	An organization dedicated to providing high-quality legal services to low-income immigrants in Minnesota.

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Intercultural Mutual Assistance Association 2500 Valleyhigh Dr. N.W. Rochester, MN 55901	Armin Budimli Courtney Lawson Ron Buzard	Main: 507-289-5960 A. Budimlic: Ext. 105 C. Lawson: Ext. 121 R. Buzard: Ext. 122 Fax: 507-289-6199	Website: www.imaa.net Email: armin.budimlic@imaa.net (A. Budimlic) Email: courtney.lawson@imaa.net (C. Lawson) Email: ron.buzard@imaa.net (R. Buzard)	IMAA has four program areas: employment services, health care access & education services, professional language services, and social services. The refugee health program area includes a Community Health Worker program and Nursing Career Academy.			
Islamic Center of Minnesota 1401 Gardena Ave. N.E. Fridley, MN 55432	Meri Ayoub	Main: 763-571-5604 Fax: 763-273-8487	Website: www.islamiccentermn.org	The Islamic Center of Minnesota operates a free clinic and food-shelf open to all in addition to classes in Islamic studies for all ages, a library/bookstore and a helping hand to those in financial need. The ICM also has a Mosque in Columbia Heights.			
Legal Aid Society 430 1st Ave. N. Suite 300 Minneapolis, MN 55401	Greg Marita Deputy Director (Mpls.) Ann Cofell Deputy Director (St. Cloud and Willmar offices) Peggy Russell Manager of Immigration Law Project and Client Intake.	Main: 612-746-3608 Fax: 612-746-3608 (same as phone)	Website: www.mylegalaid.org	Primary provider of general civil legal services to low-income and elderly people in 20 central Minnesota counties, also provides legal services to elderly persons.			
Lifetrack Resources, Inc. Main Office 709 University Ave. W. St. Paul, MN 55104 Minneapolis Office 2218 Central Ave. NE Minneapolis, MN 55418	Diane Heldt Program Director	Main: 651-227-8471 D. Heldt: 651-265-2339 Fax: 651-227-0621 TTY: 651-227-3779 Main: 612-788-8855 Fax: 612-788-8577	Website: www.lifetrackresources.org Email: mail@lifetrackresources.org (General Inquiries) Email: dianeh@lifetrackresources.org (D. Heldt)	Provides customized trainings, child and adult therapies, early childhood & family services, MFIP, job development and job placement for refugees and immigrants, paid transitional work program for refugees and immigrants to gain American work experience. Lifetrack staff members speak 19 different languages.			
Mankato Area Life Lines Lincoln Community Center 110 Fulton St. Room 255 Mankato, MN 56001	Bev Mountain Joan Eisenreich	Main: 507-345-5222 Fax: 507-387-4770	Website: www.mankatocer.com Email: commed@isd77.k12.mn.us (General Inquiries) Email: bmount1@isd77.k12.mn.us (B. Mountain) Email: jeisen1@isd77.k12.mn.us (J. Eisenreich)	Provides housing, safe environments, access to community services, family functioning, and an alternative diploma completion program.			

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Mankato Rehabilitation Center, Inc. 515 N. Riverfront Dr. Suite 200 Mankato, MN 56002	Marcia Highum	Main: 507-386-5750 Fax: 507-386-5788	Website: www.co.blue-earth.mn.us Email: MHighum@BECES.org (M. Highum)	Provides employment plan development, job coaching, work skill instruction, ABE, and coordination of MFIP support services.
Mankato Rehabilitation Center, Inc. (MRCI) - Refugee Services 515 N. Riverfront Dr. Suite 200 Mankato, MN 56002	Jessica O'Brien	Main: 507-386-5750 J. O'Brien: 507-386-5759 Fax: 507-386-5788	Website: www.mrciworksource.org Email: jobrien@beces.org (J. O'Brien)	Provides refugee resettlement services, assists with referral to access available services, employment services, and social services.
Marshall Adult Learning Center Lyon Co. Gov't Center 607 W. Main St. Marshall, MN 56258 401 South Saratoga Marshall, MN 56258	Pat Thomas <i>Coordinator</i>	Main: 507-537-7046 Fax: 507-537-7047	Website: www.marshalladulteducation.org Email: marshallabe@starpoint.net (General Inquiries) Email: pthomas@starpoint.net (P. Thomas)	Conducts citizenship classes and basic skills training along with ESL and GED services.
Masjid An-Nur (mosque) 1729 Lyndale Ave. N. P.O. Box 11781 Minneapolis, MN 55411	Arlene N. El-Amin	Main: 612-521-1749 Fax: 612-521-1282	Website: www.masjidannur.org Email: info@masjidannur.org (General Inquiries)	The Mosque is open for daily prayers and Islamic religious studies. Also operates a food shelf and an adult day center.
Migrant Health Service, Inc. Hispanic Battered Women/ Children Program & Sexual Assault Intervention Project 810-4th Ave. S. #101 Moorhead, MN 56560 and P.O. Box 364 202 S. Broadway, Ste 204 Crookston, MN 56716	María García Coordinator Lucía Sánchez Advocate Leticia Sánchez Coordinator Anna Corona Advocate	Moorhead: Main: 218-236-4879 or 800-556-9661 Crookston: Main: 218-281-3552 or 800-342-7756 Fax: 218-281-2505	Website: http://migranthealthservice.org/en/ victimadvocacy Email: lsanchez@702com.net (Lucía Sánchez) Email: letys@qwestoffice.net (Leticia Sánchez) Email: annac@qwestoffice.net (A. Corona)	Bilingual victim advocacy services for women, children, and men who have been affected by domestic abuse. Services include shelter assistance, transportation assistance, access to counseling, support services, and referrals to community organizations, and coordination with legal systems in order to obtain Orders for Protection and assist with court advocacy.

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Minnesota Brain Injury Alliance 34 13th Ave. N.E. Suite B001 Minneapolis, MN 55413	Beatriz H. Martinez	Main: 612-378-2742 Help Line: 1-800-669-6442 B. Martinez: 612-238-3257 Fax: 612-378-2789	Website: www.braininjurymn.org Email: info@braininjurymn.org (General Inquiries) Email: beatrizm@braininjurymn.org (B. Martinez)	Enhances the quality of life and brings the promise of a better tomorrow to people affected by brain injury. Serves all communities and has staff that speak English, Spanish, and Hmong.
Minnesota Food Association 14220-B Ostlund Trail N. Marine on St. Croix, MN 55407	Glen Hill Executive Director Joci Tilsen Director of Programs	Main: 651-433-3676 G.Hill: 651-433-3676 Ext. 11 J. Tilsen: 651-433-3676 Ext. 14 Fax: 651-433-5050	Website: www.mnfoodassociation.org Email: info@mnfoodassociation.org (General Inquiries) Email: glenhill@mnfoodassociation.org (G. Hill)	Trains and supports new immigrants to farm and to develop their own farming enterprises. Currently working with Hmong, Latino, and African farmers; looking to work with other communities as well.
Minnesota Literacy Council 700 Raymond Ave. Suite 180 St. Paul, MN 55114	Eric Nesheim Executive Director	Main: 651-645-2277 Toll Free: 800-225-7323 Fax: 651645-2272	Website: www.mnliteracy.org Email: email@mnliteracy.org	The Minnesota Literacy Council is a nonprofit organization dedicated to sharing the power of learning throughout our state. We offer services for adults, children and families seeking to improve their literacy skills as well as support for literacy programs across Minnesota.
MORE Multicultural School for Empowerment 96 E. Wheelock Prky. St. Paul, MN 55117	Sr. Stephanie Spandl Social Services Sheryl Fried Education Program Cathy Rucci Director	Main: 651-487-2728 Fax: 651-487-1512	Website: www.more-empowerment.org Email: sspandl@more-empowerment.org (S. Spandl) Email: sfried@more-empowerment.org (S. Fried) Email: crucci@more-empowerment.org (C. Rucci)	Located in a residential home in the McDonough neighborhood, MORE is a second home for many immigrants/refugees and other low income individuals/families in our neighborhood. Specific services include ELL classes and social services, such as advocacy and case management services, counseling services and distribution of food, clothing, household goods, and furniture.
Multicultural Center Park Elder Center c/o Volunteers of America MN 1505 Park Ave. S. Minneapolis, MN 55404	Bee Vue	Main: 612-339-7581 B. Vue: 612-455-2926	Email: bvue@voamn.org (B. Vue)	Park Elder Center offers a wide variety of programs and services that support the health and independence of older adults including a program that connects older African-American, Hmong, and Somali adults with community resources and provides them with a forum to discuss concerns, needs and barriers to understanding.

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NAVIGATE 4137 Bloomington Ave. Minneapolis, MN 55407	Isabel Durán	Main: 612-600-2680	Website: www.navigatemn.org Email: navigatemn@gmail.com (General Inquiries) Email: isabel@navigatemn.org (I. Durán)	NAVIGATE was created to address the growing need for resources that help immigrant students, regardless of immigration status, in Minnesota to pursue higher education.
Neighborhood House 179 E. Robie St. St. Paul, MN 55107	Cindy Yang	Main: 651-789-2500 C. Yang: 651-789-2547 Fax: 651-789-2501	Website: www.neighb.org Email: cyang@neighb.org (C. Yang)	Provides classes and services in adult education, English language learner, GED, college access, school readiness, arts access, health access, cultural competency, and operates a food shelf. Refugee resettlement family support is provided for Latino, Hmong, Karen, Somali, East African, and anyone else.
New Americans Community Services (NACS) 450 Syndicate St. N. Suite 380 St. Paul, MN 55104	Sirad Osman	Main: 952-465-9675	Website: www.newamericans.us	New Americans Community Services provides health care at its clinic, New Americans Community Health Center (NACHC). The agency offers outpatient mental health services with both western and traditional African elements focused on African immigrants and refugees. NACS also provides employment services and job training, Developmental Disabilities & Supplemental Security Income, English language & financial education, research on health disparities, transportation and support services.
NW Hennepin Human Services Council 6120 Earle Brown Dr. Suite 230 Brooklyn Center, MN 55430	Susan Blood	Main: 763-503-2520 Fax: 763-503-2510	Website: www.nwhhsc.org Email: info@nwhhsc.org (General Inquiries)	Provides research, planning and coordination to better the lives of Northwest Hennepin residents living in member cities. Develops and provides resource information and connects area programs and agencies.

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Oak Park Center Pillsbury United Communities 1701 Oak Park Ave. N. Minneapolis, MN 55411	Debra Chavis Director	Main: 612-377-7000 Fax: 612-377-0860	Website: www.pucia.org (Interpreting agency) Email: perazaj@puc-mn.org (PUC Interpreting Agency) Website: www.puc-mn.org Email: chavisd@puc-mn.org (D. Chavis) Email: raumar@puc-mn.org (front desk)	 One of the neighborhood centers that is operated by Pillsbury United Communities. Programs focus on: Early Childhood Development Youth and Teen Development Adult Education and Skill Development Civic Engagement Essential Resources Wellness The Oak Park Center also houses the PUC Interpreting Agency. Pillsbury United Communities is a trusted provider of translation and interpretation services to businesses or organizations hoping to reach a broader audience by providing written or verbal material in different languages. We provide a qualified, interpreter(s) who will best fit your needs and speaks in the same native languages as your client(s). All of our interpreters are screened to meet your exact needs. 			
Pillsbury House Pillsbury United Communities 3501 Chicago Ave. S. Minneapolis, MN 55407	Noel Raymond Co-Artistic Director Faye Price Co-Artistic Director	Main: 612-824-0708 Fax: 612-827-5818	Website: www.puc-mn.org Email: raymondn@puc-mn.org (N. Raymond) Email: pricef@puc-mn.org (F. Price) Email: kehrwaldm@puc-mn.org (front desk)	 One of the neighborhood centers that is operated by Pillsbury United Communities. Programs focus on these key areas: Early Childhood Development Youth and Teen Development Adult Education and Skill Development Civic Engagement Essential Resources Wellness 			
Pillsbury United Communities 1200 37th Ave. N. Minneapolis, MN 55411	Chanda Smith Baker President & CEO Adair Mosley Executive Assistant	Main: 612-302-3400 Fax: 612-302-3414	Website: www.puc-mn.org Email: bakerc@puc-mn.org (C. Smith Baker)	Neighborhood services for individuals with basic needs; provides food shelf programs, health care enrollment, domestic abuse advocacy, housing services, youth development services, employment services, and ESL classes.			

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Refugee, Immigrant, and Migrant Services of Southern Minnesota Regional Legal Services 450 N. Syndicate St. Suite 285 St. Paul, MN 55104	Jennifer Stohl Powell Senior Leadership Attorney Lou Her Staff Attorney Sothea Poch Paralegal Anisa Hajimumin Paralegal Candelario Arredondon Staff Attorney	J. Stohl Powell: 651-291-2837 For new clients residing in southern Minnesota: 1-888-575-2954 Fax: 651-645-0757	Website: www.smrls.org Email: smrls.administration@smrls.org (General Inquiries) Email: jennifer.stohl@smrls.org (J. Stohl Powell)	Provides high quality immigration legal services to low income immigrants and refugees in the East metro and Southern Minnesota.
Sabathani Community Center 310 E. 38th St. Minneapolis, MN 55409	Sharon Turner <i>Office Manager</i>	Main: 612-821-2300 S. Turner: 612-821-2316 Fax: 612-824-0791	Website: www.sabathani.org Email: admin.asst@sabathani.org (General Inquiries)	Services available to aid in job readiness, basic needs, education & school success, mental health care, child care, navigation, emergency assistance, and after-school programming for children and youth. There is a food shelf on-site along with free clothing and household goods, free health care and low-cost dental for children, senior services, family services, and cultural services.
South Minneapolis Workforce Center 777 E. Lake St. Minneapolis, MN 55407	Terrell Towels	Main: 612-821-4000 TTY: 612-821-4013 T. Towels: 612-821-4411 Fax: 612-821-4014	Website: www.positivelyminnesota.com	Specialty services include non-English job placement, application, resume preparation, interviewing practices, preparation for the American world of work, transportation to submit job applications, interviews, bus-routes training, and job coaching after placement.
Southwest Adult Basic Education Marshall Region 607 W. Main St. Marshall, MN 56258	Pat Thomas	Main: 507-537-7046 Fax: 507-537-7047	Website: www.marshalladulteducation.org Email: marshallabe@starpoint.net (General Inquiries) Email: pthomas@starpoint.net (P. Thomas)	Access to community services and family functioning (Hispanic, Hmong, and Somali).
St. Cloud Area Legal Services 830 W. St. Germain St. Suite 300 P.O. Box 886 St. Cloud, MN 56302	Erin Swaab Nordell	Main: 320-253-0121 Fax: 320-253-5794	Website: www.midmnlegal.org Email: ebswaabnordell@stcloudlegal.org (E. Swaab Nordell)	Legal services for immigrants.

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Storefront Group 6425 Nicollet Ave. #210 Richfield, MN 55423	Sahro Abdullahi Mark McNamer Hal Picket	Main: 612-861-1675 S. Abdullahi: 651-214-6583 M. McNamer: 612-798-8174 H. Picket: 612-798-8189 Fax: 612-861-3446	Website: www.storefront.org Email: hal.pickett@storefront.org (H. Pickett)	Supports families and children by reducing risk behaviors and by providing counseling and shelter. MDH grant recipient to reduce health disparities in Somalis living in Dakota County.			
The Family Partnership 414 S. 8th St. Minneapolis, MN 55404	John Till	Main: 612-339-9101 J. Till: 612-728-2086 Fax: 612-339-9150	Website: www.thefamilypartnership.org Email: jtill@thefamilypartnership.org (J. Till)	Offers mental health counseling and helps rebuild a sense of community in neighborhoods where families live in poverty.			
Waite House Pillsbury United Communities 2323 11th Ave. S. Minneapolis, MN 55404	Francisco Segovia Director	Main: 612-721-1681 Fax: 612-721-2752	Website: www.puc-mn.org Email: segoviaf@puc-mn.org (F. Segovia) Email: moralesj@puc-mn.org (front desk/ community organizer)	One of the neighborhood centers that is operated by Pillsbury United Communities. Programs focus on these key areas: • Early Childhood Development • Youth and Teen Development • Adult Education and Skill Development • Civic Engagement • Essential Resources • Wellness The Waite House also houses the program Mujeres en Liderazgo. Mujeres en Liderazgo is a leadership development program that builds upon pre-existing strengths and assets of Latina women in South Minneapolis. This program aims to develop Latina women leaders who will have the knowledge and experience to be change makers in their family, work, and community.			
Women's Initiative for Self Empowerment (WISE) 570 Asbury St. Suite 202 St. Paul, MN 55104	Dr. Wilhelmina Holder, MD CM, DTPH, MS <i>Executive Director</i> Prisca Okeahialam-Swaray, MSW, LGSW Youth Program Coordinator Cheryl Field, MA <i>Financial Literacy</i> Program Coordinator	Main: 651-646-3268 Fax: 651-646-3278	Website: www.womenofwise.org Email: womenofwise@gmail.com (General Inquiries) Email: wholder@womenofwise.org (W. Holder) Email: prisca@womenofwise.org (P. Okeahialam-Swaray) Email: chryl@womenofwise.org (C. Field)	Empowering immigrant women and girls to succeed through diversity and innovative community solutions: money management, access to health through community health agents, access to higher education for immigrant youth, assisting foreign trained professionals, (both men and women), with the process of getting their licensure through mentorship, scholarships, advocacy, case management, and English language development. Serves all races.			

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Refugee Resettler	ment Voluntary Age	encies (VOLAGS)		
Catholic Charities, Minneapolis & St. Paul (USCCB) 1200 2nd Ave. S. Minneapolis, MN 55403	Ixia Helmueller Program Manager	Main: 612-204-8500 I. Helmueller: 651-647-3113 Fax: 651-641-1005	St. Paul Office Email: ixia.helmueller@cctwincities.org (I. Helmueller)	Provides resettlement and immigration related services.
Catholic Charities, Winona (USCCB) 903 W. Center St. Suite 220 Rochester, MN 55902	Mary Alessio	Main: 507-287-2047 Fax: 507-287-2050	Winona Office Website: www.ccwinona.org Email: malessio@ccwinona.org (M. Alessio)	
International Institute of Minnesota 1694 Como Ave. St. Paul, MN 55108	Amanda Smith Amy Wehrman	Main: 651-647-0191 A. Smith: Ext. 338 A. Wehram: Ext. 356 Fax: 651-647-9268	Website: www.iimn.org Email: smaki@iimn.org (General Inquiries) Email: asmith@iimn.org (A. Smith) Email: awehrman@iimn.org (A. Wehrman)	Services include: refugee resettlement and case management, passport and immigration photos, education (ESL, nursing assistant training, college readiness courses, Spanish classes), employment services, medical career advancement counseling, refugee mentoring and immigration services. The IIMN also presents the annual Festival of Nations: www.festivalofnations.com.
Jewish Family & Children's Services of Minneapolis (HIAS) 13100 Wayzata Blvd. #400 Minnetonka, MN 55305	Asya Fridland	Main: 952-542-4844 TTY: 952-951-0041 Fax: 952-593-1778	Website: www.jfcsmpls.org Email: jfcs@jfcsmpls.org (General Inquiries) Email: afridland@jfcsmpls.org (A. Fridland)	Multi-faceted social services agency. Information and referrals for Russian speaking populations.
Lutheran Social Services of Minnesota (LIRS) 2414 Park Ave. Minneapolis, MN 55404	Kim Dettmer Refugee Resettlement Director	Main: 612-879-5258 Fax: 612-871-0354	Website: www.lssmn.org Email: kim.dettmer@lssmn.org (K. Dettmer)	Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota's (LSS) vision is that all people will live and work in community with dignity, safety, and hope. As an affiliate of Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Service (LIRS), our desire is to welcome newcomers to Minnesota from around the world.

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Lutheran Social Services of Pelican Rapids (LIRS) 30 West Mill P.O. Box 867 Pelican Rapids, MN 56572	Dianne Kimm Program Manager	Main: 218-863-2252 Fax: 218-863-3798	Website: www.lssmn.org Email: dkimm@lssmn.org (D. Kimm)	Refugee and placement services serving the Western Minnesota counties surrounding Pelican Rapids (Otter Tail County). Connecting refugees with agencies and services available to them through local, county, state, and federal providers.
Lutheran Social Services Stearns County 22 Wilson Ave. N.E. P.O. Box 6069 St. Cloud, MN 56302	Jennifer Jimenez-Wheatley	Main: 320-251-7700 Fax: 320-251-8898	Website: www.lssmn.org Email: Jennifer.Jimenez-Wheatley@lssmn.org	Provides refugee resettlement, immigration, Refugee Cash Assistance (RCA), and Refugee Employment Services (RES).
Minnesota Council of Churches Refugee Services 122 Franklin Ave. W. #100 Minneapolis, MN 55404	Rachele King Director Kristine Freisen Associate Director of Case Management Services	Main: 612-870-3600 R. King: 612-230-3216 K. Freisen: 612-230-3215 Fax: 612-870-3622	Website: www.mnchurches.org Email: mcc@mnchurches.org (General Inquiries) Email: Rachele.King@mnchurches.org (R. King) Email: kristine.bjerkaasfriesen@mnchurches.org (K. Freisen)	Provides case management, employment, education and immigration services for asyless that have been in the USA for less than five years.
World Relief of Minnesota 1515 E. 66th St. Richfield, MN 55423	Bob Oehrig Executive Director	Main: 612-243-2946 Fax: 612-798-4314	Website: www.worldreliefmn.org Email: boehrig@wr.org	World Relief provides many services for refugees, asylees and victims of severe forms of human trafficking including: Initial Reception and Placement Services for new refugee arrivals, employment services, immigration services, refugee cash assistance, Somali Adult Literacy Training (SALT), elderly outreach/services, volunteer/mentor program, and educational and training seminars and classes for churches.

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State Councils				
Chicano Latino Affairs Council (CLAC) for the State of Minnesota 60 Empire Dr. Suite 203 St. Paul, MN 55103	Hector Garcia Executive Director Oscar Echand Community Liaison	Main: 651-296-9587 Other: 1-888-234-1291 H. Garcia: 651-296-2992 O. Echandi: 651-284-3035 Fax: 651-297-1297	Website: www.clac.state.mn.us/ Email: clac.desk@state.mn.us (General Inquiries) Email: oscar.echandi@state.mn.us (O. Echandi)	CLAC serves as a liaison between local, state and federal governments and Minnesota's Chicano/Latino community. CLAC also serves as an information and referral agency to ensure that Chicanos and Latinos in Minnesota are connected to the appropriate government agencies and community based organizations to address their concerns, which range from immigration and education to discrimination and social welfare.
Council on Asian- Pacific Minnesotans Centennial Office Building First Floor 658 Cedar St. St. Paul, MN 55155	Kao Ly Ilean Her <i>Executive Director</i>	Main: 651-757-1740 Fax: 651-297-8735	Website: www.capm.state.mn.us Email: kao.ly.her@state.mn.us	Advises the governor and members of the legislature on issues pertaining to Asian Pacific Minnesotans. Advocates on issues of importance to the Asian Pacific community and acts as a broker between the Asian Pacific community and mainstream society.
Council on Black Minnesotans 2233 University Ave. Wright Building Suite 426 St. Paul, MN 55114	Edward McDonald	Main: 651-642-0811	Website: www.cobm.state.mn.us	Policy-oriented agency that is responsible for advising and educating policy makers along with researching and analyzing issues affecting Black Minnesotans. Other responsibilities include educating and reeducating Black Minnesotans regarding specific policy issues and the value of political and policy participation.

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African				
African Aid C/O Sabathani Community Center 310 E. 38th St., #200 Minneapolis, MN 55409	Kerim Behi	Main: 612-730-1096	Email: Behik2002@yahoo.com (K. Behi)	Provides services focusing on health and HIV/AIDS.
African Immigrant Services (AIS) 7710 Brooklyn Blvd. Suite 206B Brooklyn Park, MN 55443	Abdullah Kiatamba Executive Director	Main: 763-432-2913 Fax: 763-432-6700	Website: http://aisusa.org Email: akiatamba@aisusa.org	African immigrants and refugees face many barriers as they navigate into mainstream communities. AIS exists to confront these challenges through increased civic engagement, where African immigrants strive to create inclusive communities as change agents, and work to build bonds across cultures as volunteers serving others; and through creative access to resources, to help close the information gap (which increases access to opportunities), empowering them to achieve economic independence. Services include: civic engagement initiatives, community engagement & education, computer learning center, immigration sessions & clinic, and Minnesota Health Care Program.
Africa Network for Development Inc. (ANDI) 370 Dorland Rd. S. Maplewood, MN 55119	Charity Tatah Mentan, LLM, MPA, MA <i>Executive Director</i> Emmanuel Tatah Mentan, Ph.D. <i>Consultant</i>	Main: 651-283-4797 651-642-1312 Fax: 651-917-1962 E. Tatah Mentan: 651-373-8885 Outreach Workers: Kenneth Aboh Mbah: 651-263-3417 Janet Tita: 612-964-2780	Website: www.andimn.org Email: andiandi0102@yahoo.com (General Inquiries) Email: yekinnib@yahoo.com (C. Tata-Mentah)	Provides health, HIV/AIDS prevention education, counseling, youth enhancement (after school programs and pre-college counseling), civic engagement and human rights education.
African & American Friendship Association for Cooperation and Development 1821 University Ave. W. Suite S328 St. Paul, MN 55104	Mayalan Keita-Brown Program Advocate	Main: 651-645-5828	Website: http://aafacd.org/ Email: aafacd-inc@hotmail.com (General Inquiries)	AAFACD, Inc.'s mission is to provide education and services to empower African immigrants to participate fully in Minnesota's growth and development.

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African Assistance Program 3300 Bass Lake Rd. Suite 312 Brooklyn Center, MN 55429	John P. Tarley Asneth Omare Andrew Suah	Main: 763-560-9643 J. Tarley (direct): 763-560-8995 J. Tarley (cell): 612-296-1966 Fax: 763-560-9720	Website: www.aapusa.org Email: admin@aapusa.org (General Inquiries) Email: jtarley@aapusa.org (J. Tarley) Email: asuah@aapusa.org (A. Suah)	Provides services that focus on employment, health education, and community empowerment.
African Community Services 1305 E. 24th St. Minneapolis, MN 55404	Abdullahi Nur Khalif Jama	Main: 612-721-9984 or 612-722-6163 Fax: 612-721-9031	Website: www.africancs.org Email: anur@africancs.org (A. Nur) Email: kjama@africancs.org (K. Jama)	Provides employment opportunities to newly arrived refugees by linking them to the appropriate job banks that are available in the Metro area and further assisting them to acquire the appropriate occupational skills needed to obtain employment.
African Development Center 1931 S. 5th St. Minneapolis, MN 55454	Hussein Samatar Executive Director	Main: 612-333-4772 Toll Free: 1-877-232-4775 Fax: 612-746-0470	Website: www.adcminnesota.org Email: info@adcminnesota.org (General Inquiries)	Provides services that involve business development and financial literacy.
African Immigrant Community Services 1933 13th Ave. S. Minneapolis, MN 55404	Mustafa Hassan Executive Director	Main: 612-871-9184 M. Hassan: 612-309-2097 Fax: 612-871-9162	Website: www.aicsmn.org Email: aicsmn@gmail.com (General Inquiries) Email: mustafa@aicsmn.org (M. Hassan)	Provides refugee employment and social services, ABE, and general services for all refugees; East Africans and Kiswahili speakers and Somali, Amharic, and Oromo.
Al-Amal School 1401 Gardena Ave. N.E. Fridley, MN 55432	Audrey Zahra Williams Principal	Main: 763-571-8886 Fax: 763-571-1925	Website: www.al-amal.org Email: info@al-amal.org (General Inquiries)	Full-time Islamic school in Minnesota with Pre-K through 12th grade offered.

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Disabled Immigrant Association 3033 2nd Ave. S. Minneapolis, MN 55408	Mahad Abdi Executive Director	Main: 612-824-7075 Fax: 612-822-2446	Website: www.dialink.org Email: mahad@dialink.org	The Disabled Immigrant Association offers employment, ESL, transportation, and health services. Languages spoken: Somali, Swahili, and Arabic.			
East African Education, Inc. C/O Safe Place Home Work Help 2001 Riverside Ave. Minneapolis, MN 55454 Or P.O. Box 6140 Minneapolis, MN 55406	Abdullahi Aden <i>Founder</i>	Main: 612-392-0783 Fax: 612-333-2560	Website: http://eastafricaneducation.org Email: info@eastafricaneducation.org	 East African Education fulfills the mission of bridging the gap between secondary and higher education among first and second generation East African immigrants with five strategies: Academic skill development. Communication between families, students, teachers and colleges. Self sufficiency and independence. Clearly defined goals. Raising awareness of immigrant and refugee issues. 			
East African Health Project 1349 Maryland Ave. St. Paul, MN 55106	Dr. Osman Ahmed (Harare) Executive Director	Main: 612-306-0539	Website: www.eahpro.org Email: osman@eahpro.org (O. Harare)	A nonprofit organization dedicated to improving the health and wellness of the East African community in the USA.			
Eftin c/o Center for Families 3333 N. 4th St. Minneapolis, MN 55412	Anab Gulaid Founder/Executive Director	Main: (612) 276-1571 Ext. 259 A. Gulaid: 763-443-0305	Email: anabgulaid@gmail.com	Eftin, which means "enlightenment" in the Somali language, is a $501(c)(3)$ nonprofit organization founded in 2003. Eftin was created to address the educational, social, and health needs of African refugee and immigrant families and their children living in Minnesota.			

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EMERGE workforce Brian Coyle Center 420 15th Ave. S. Minneapolis, MN 55454	Amy Knaus Mohamed Ali Mayura (Maya) Rutherford	Main: 612-338-5282 Fax: 612-338-8421	Website: www.emerge-mn.org Email: hansonj@emerge-mn.org (General Inquiries) Email: knausa@emerge-mn.org (A. Knaus) Email: alim@emerge-mn.org (M. Ali) rutherfordm@emerge-mn.org (M. Rutherford)	Refugee Employment Services: Job placement, job search assistance, customized training, limited transportation assistance, limited support services (work uniform, tools), career development, Work Readiness workshops, job retention coaching, referrals for ESL, training and emergency assistance grants.			
International Institute of Minnesota 1694 Como Ave. St. Paul, MN 55108	Htet Lin	Main: 651-647-0191 Fax: 651-674-9268	Email: linh@emerge-mn.org (H. Lin)	Low income, Minneapolis residents (DV, permanent residents, U.S. citizens) may be eligible for employment services provided they meet program requirements. Bilingual/Multilingual Staff: Amharic, Arabic, Burmese, Hindi, Italian, Karen, Kiswahili, Nepali (Bhutanese), Oromo, Somali.			
EMERGE headquarters 1101 West Broadway Ave. N. Suite 200 Minneapolis, MN 55411		Main: 612-529-9267 Fax: 612-588-5611	Website: www.emerge-mn.org Email: clarkm@emerge-mn.org	Workforce reentry services for individuals who have criminal background, limited work history, and multiple barriers to employment. Services are provided at the Emerge Headquarters location. Eligibility: Open to any person that has been released from a Minnesota correctional facility (county, state, federal) within the past two years.			
Eritrean Community Center of Minnesota 1935 University Ave. W. St. Paul, MN 55104	Dawit Solomon	Main: 763-250-8589	Email: eccmcomm@gmail.com	Provide Eritrean in Minnesota health, social and educational services while retaining the Eritrean cultural traditions in a familiar environment.			
Ethiopian Community in Minnesota Oneida St. Suite #209 St. Paul, MN 55102	Ms. Lemlem Kebede	Main: 651-645-9668	Website: www.ethiomn.org Email: info@ethimin.org (General Inquiries)	Provides information and resources related to education, health care, housing and employment. Shares skills and knowledge for the benefit and welfare of the Ethiopian community, and preserves the artistic culture of Ethiopians.			

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Greater Minneapolis Council of Churches (GMCC) Center for Families 3333 N. Fourth St. Minneapolis, MN 55412	Edmund Ocansey Executive Director	Main: 612-276-1571 E. Ocansey: 612-276-1527 Fax: 612-276-1531	Website: www.centerforfamilies.gmcc.org Email: centerforfamilies@gmcc.org (General Inquiries)	Provides support to struggling African immigrant and refugee teens and their families. Also provides assistance with job training, housing, mental health, health screenings and referrals, and parent-child play groups for pre-schoolers
Health Commons at Cedar Riverside 1501 S 6th St. Minneapolis, MN 55454	Hiba Sharif Community Health Coordinator Sahra Noor Community Health & Language Services Director Katie Clark Nursing Instructor and Coordinator	Main: 612-273-0112 K. Clark: 612-330-1203 Fax:612-273-3965	Website: www.augsburg.edu/nursing/cedar-riverside/ Email: Hsharif1@fairview.org (H. Sharif) Email: Snoor1@fairview.org (S. Noor) Email: clarkk@augsburg.edu (K. Clark)	The Health Commons is a drop-in center that is dedicated to serving those in the Ce- dar-Riverside area, with a focus on keeping individuals and the community healthy. The Health Commons is a collaborative effort between Augsburg College, UMMC, Fairview, and The East African Health Project. The services provided are free of charge and open to everyone. The mission of the center is to provide health related education, link people to existing resources and health services and to provide basic supplies for people who can't afford them. The space is meant to be welcoming, inclusive and culturally relevant for everyone.
Isuroon Project 500 Blake Road S. Hopkins, MN 55343	Fartun Weli Executive Director	Main: 952-564-1131 Fax: 952-935-6127	Web: www.isuroon.org Email: Fartun@isuroon.org (F. Weli)	A preventative health care agency and Somali women's health support group. Their vision is to promote the well-being and self -empowerment of Somali women participants, create trusting partnership between program participants, and local health providers.

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Ka Joog Organization 2625 E. Franklin Ave. Suite # LL-7 Minneapolis, MN 55406	Abdul Mohamed <i>Public Relations</i> Mohamed Farah <i>Executive Director</i>	A. Mohamed: 612-735-0356 M. Farah: 651-795-1589	Website: www.kajoog.org Email: kajoog07@gmail.com (General Inquiries)	Ka Joog encourages Somali youth to "ka joog" or "stay away" from the drugs, violence, radicalization and other negative influences, and instead to stay on the right path by attaining higher education and serving and volunteering in their communities. Ka Joog helps Somali teens make the right choices, and provides positive outlets for their feelings and experiences through the arts–music, poetry, visual arts, drama, and other media.			
Liberian Youth Network P.O. Box 48101 Coon Rapids, MN 55448	Decontee Sawyer Executive Director	Main: 763-232-6606	Website: www.liberianyouthnetworkmn.org Email: info@liberianyouthnetworkmn.org (General Inquiries)	To get Liberian youth groups, as well as youths of Liberian descent, connected with one another to network and support each other through: youth groups networking, social networking, youth advocacy, college preparation, leadership retreats, connecting Liberian youths with service providers both within and outside of the Liberian community.			
Liberian Human Rights and Refugee Welfare Organization 3300 Bass Lake Rd. Suite 312 Brooklyn Center, MN 55430	Kirkpatrick Weah	Main: 763-355-5600	Email: lihrrwo2004@yahoo.com	The Liberian Human Rights and Refugee Welfare Organizations (LIHRRWO) helps serve refugee and immigrant communities through: assistance and tutorials for citizenship, green cards, TPS and DED; referrals for lawyers; advocacy for social justice and representation of clients; and research and awareness for refugee health.			
Minnesota African Women's Association (MAWA) 3300 County Rd. 10, Suite 510 (a.k.a 3300 Bass Lake Rd) Brooklyn Center, MN 55429	Ms. Melissa Nambangi Executive Director	Main: 763-561-2224 Fax: 763-561-0405	Website: www.mawanet.org Email: mawa0302@yahoo.com (General Inquiries)	Promoting the health and well-being of African women and their families; works with Pillsbury United Communities.			

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Multicultural Center Park Elder Center c/o Volunteers of America MN 1505 Park Ave. S. Minneapolis, MN 55404	Bee Vue Service Director	Main: 612-339-7581 B. Vue: 612-455-2926	Website: www.voamn.org Email: bvue@voamn.org (B. Vue)	Park Elder Center offers a wide variety of programs and services that support the health and independence of older adults including a program that connects older Somali adults with community resources and provides them with a forum to discuss concerns, needs, and barriers to understanding.
New Americans Community Services (NACS) 450 Syndicate St. N. Suite 380 St. Paul, MN 55104	Sirad Osman Executive Director Azebe Matyas	Main: 952-465-9675 Fax: 651-999-7355	Website: www.newamericans.us Email: sirad@newamericans.us (S. Osman)	Employment orientation, job search and replacement, referrals to appropriate trainings, SSI assistance.
New Sudan-American Hope P.O. Box 545 1700 N. Broadway Suite 108 Rochester, MN 55903	Benson Giwa Executive Director	Main: 507-361-1626 Fax: 507-361-1627	Website: www.newsudanamericanhope.org Email: nsahorg@yahoo.com Email: giwa2007@gmail.com	Supporting Sudanese immigrants and refugees resettlement and other services.
Organization of Liberians in MN 7001 78th Ave. N. Suite 200 Brooklyn Park, MN 55445	Christian Harris <i>Executive Director</i>	Main: 763-208-5739	Website: www.olm-usa.org/	Umbrella organization for Liberians providing adjustment social services and intermediation.
Oromo Community of Minnesota Brian Coyle Center c/o Pillsbury United Communities 465 Mackubin St. St.Paul, MN 55103	Alemayehu Baisa Executive Director	Main: 651- 757-3040 Fax: 651-224-1786	Website: www.oromocommunitymn.org Email: baisaa@oromocommunitymn.org (A. Baisa)	Providing clients referrals to social services to their clients, help filling out legal documents, ESL lessons, housing and employment, financial literacy, and meetings and events space.
Oromo Studies Association P.O. Box 32391 Fridley, MN 55432	Hamza Abdurezak President	Main: 617-851-8406	Website: www.oromostudies.org Email: abdurez@fas.harvard.edu	Leadership formation, organization building, group dynamics, effective cooperation systems, conflict management, effective communication methods, improvement of family life, and social education.

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Pan African Community Organization 2500 E. 25th St. Minneapolis, MN 55406	Dukassa Lemu Executive Director	Main: 612-338-1778 Fax: 612-338-2299	Email: info@paco-mn-us.org (General Inquiries) Email: dukassa.lemu@paco-mn-us.org (D. Lemu)	Community health outreach (including HIV/AIDS education and prevention), adult literacy, and employment.			
Pan African Legal Aid c/o Pillsbury United Communities 420 15th Ave. S. Minneapolis, MN 55454	Rhonda Eastlund-David Center Director	Main: 612-338-5282 Fax: 612-338-8421	Website: www.puc-mn.org Email: dubea@puc-mn.org (General Inquiries)	An organization devoted to promoting and protecting individual and collective rights throughout Africa and to challenging the impunity of gross human rights violators.			
Pan African Network St Alphonsus Church 7025 Halifax Ave. N. Brooklyn Center, MN 55429	Justin Attipou	Main: 763-561-5100 J. Attipou: 763-503-0535 Fax: 763-561-0336	Email: parishoffice@stalsmn.org (General Inquiries) Email: justin.93@netzero.com (J. Attipou)	Focuses on issues in education and trends, which affect students and professionals of color.			
Sierra Leone Community in Minnesota 3333 N. 4th St. Minneapolis, MN 55412	Jonathan Rose	Main: 612-276-1571 Ext. 254	Website: www.centerforfamilies.gmcc.org Email: sierraleone@gmcc.org (General Inquiries)	Pools resources together to help smaller Sierra Leonean organizations in the Twin Cities area.			
Somali Action Alliance 2525 E. Franklin Ave. Suite 301 Minneapolis, MN 55406	Hashi Shafi Executive Director Hinda Ali Youth Leadership Development Coordinator	Main: 612-455-2185 Fax: 612-339-5501	Website: www.somaliactionalliance.org Email: shafi@somaliactionalliance.org (Hashi) Email: hindia@somaliactionalliance.org (Hinda)	Bringing together Somali individuals and organizations who share a common interest in building and understanding of public policy and expanding civic engagement among members of this immigrant community.			
Somali American Parent Association 1421 Park Ave. S. Suite 304 Minneapolis, MN 55404	Mohamed Mohamud Executive Director	Main: 612-359-4949 Fax: 612-359-4994	Website: http://mnsapa.org Email: momoh@mnsapa.org	The vision of the Somali American Parent Association is for Somali parents to have the capacity to navigate and participate in the school system, to be knowledgeable about children and youth issues, and to be supportive of their children's school work.			
Somali Benadiri Community of MN, Inc. 1433 E. Franklin Ave. Suite 7E Minneapolis, MN 55404	Mohamed Haji-Husein Executive Director	Main: 612-879-4326 Fax: 612-871-0014	Email: benadiri@aol.com (General Inquiries)	Individual and family social services for Somali Benadiri.			

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St. Cloud Area Somali Salvation 22 Wilson Ave. N.E. Suite 26 St. Cloud, MN 56304	Mohamoud Ismail Mohamed <i>Director</i>	Main: 320-224-9450 Fax: 320-230-8707	Website: www.sassomn.org Email: Mohamed@sassomn.org (F. Mohamud)	St. Cloud Area Somali Salvation Organization's (SASSO) provides services to help the refugee/immigrant population in the St. Cloud Area so they become fully participating and vested members of the community at large.			
Sub-Saharan African Youth and Family Services in MN (SAYFSM) 1885 University Ave. W. Suite 297 St. Paul, MN 55104	Ephraim Olani Executive Director Tadese Negasa Aster Tesema	Main: 651-644-3983 Cell: 763-228-2112 Fax: 651-646-0946	Website: www.sayfsm.org Email: info@sayfsm.org (General Inquiries)	Provides case management, care advocacy, sewing classes, HIV/AIDS support group, HIV/AIDS education, community outreach, women self-sufficiency, and medical transportation.			
Umunne Cultural Association P.O. Box 4736 St. Paul, MN 55104	Chris Obasi President Chidi Chidozie Outreach Officer	Main: 651-644-2010	Website: www.umunne.org Email: generalsecretary@umunne.org Email: christopher0011@comcast.net (C. Obasi)	Focus: Nigerian immigrants/cultural events (Igbofest).			
Volunteers of America Somali Behavioral Health Program 924 19th Ave. S. Minneapolis, MN 55404	David McGraw Schuchman, MSW, LICSW	Main: 612-767-0019 Fax: 612-375-0800	Website: www.voamn.org/Somali-MH Email: dschuchman@voamn.org (D. Schuchman)	Offers culturally and language specific behavioral health services for Somali and East African youth, who experience significant difficulty due to emotional or behavioral problems, and their families.			
WellShare International 122 W. Franklin Ave. Suite 510 Minneapolis, MN 55404-2480	Diana Dubois Executive Director	Main: 612-871-3759 Fax: 612-379-3857	Website: www.wellshareinternational.org Email: info@wellshareinternational.org (General Inquiries)	Public health education, outreach, training, research and partnerships with refugee and immigrant communities.			

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Asian and Pacific	Asian and Pacific Islander					
Asian Media Access 2418 Plymouth Ave. N. Minneapolis, MN 55411	Ange Hwang David Kang	Main: 612-376-7715 Fax: 612-376-7730	Website: www.amamedia.org Email: info@amamedia.org (General Inquiries) Email: angehwang@amamedia.org (A. Hwang) Email: david.kang@amamedia.org (D. Kang)	Provides education through media, and projects with Asian youth.		
Asian Ministries c/o Union Gospel Mission 899 Payne Ave. St. Paul, MN 55130	Rev. T. Cher Moua Pa Yang Pa Houa Xiong	Main: 651-774-5567 Fax: 651-774-5924	Website: www.ugmtc.org	Faith-based nonprofit organization established in 1995 to serve the Hmong community in the Twin Cities and beyond.		
Asian Women United of MN P.O. Box 6223 Minneapolis, MN 55406	Claudia Stahl Executive Director Nancy Wong Communications Manager	Main: 612-724-0756 Fax: 612-729-0660	Website: www.awum.org Email: claudia@awcm.org (C. Stahl) Email: nancy@awum.org (N. Wong) Email: awum@awum.org	Provides community advocacy, 24 hour multi-lingual domestic violence crisis line for Asian community, safe shelter for women and children affected by domestic violence, courtroom advocacy and Orders For Protection (OFP) & Harassment Restraining Orders (HRO), personal and group support, help with housing, money and employment, immigration assistance, programs for children, awareness-raising and community presentations, and volunteer and internship opportunities.		
Association for the Advancement of Hmong Women in MN, Inc. (AAHWM) 225 E. Roselawn Ave. #6 St. Paul, MN 55117	Ly Vang Executive Director Mary Lange Lisa Ly Vang	Main: 651-222-0475 Fax: 651-222-0347	Website: www.aahwm.org Email: admin@aahwmn.org	Strengthens Hmong families through education and leadership development for women, girls, and families; teen pregnancy prevention, child-care training, and breast cancer awareness.		

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Chinese Social Service Center 6632 Penn Ave. S. Richfield, MN 55423	Yi Li You Director Frances Li Secretary Peiju Liu Picard Program coordinator Jack Wu Program coordinator Paul Knauf Board Chair	Main: 612-529-2602 Yi Li You: 952-200-8972 F. Li: 763-560-1185 P. Knauf: 952-920-7192 Fax: 612-465-2733	Website: www.csscmn.com Email: yiliyou@msn.com (Yi Li You)	Provides social services to Chinese immigrants and refugees. Programs include ESL and citizenship classes; Monthly Senior Program: seniors who have no insurance gather together for socialization, listen to health seminar, and engage in creative activities; after-school and summer youth programs for K-12 school children who are behind academically; health screening and education program, help uninsured, low income clients to do health screenings through SAGE program and others; home care services to the elderly and disabled; and provides senior adult day care services.			
Hmong American Mutual Assistance Association 1718 Washington Ave. N. Minneapolis, MN 55411	Amay S. Yang Executive Director	Main: 612-374-2694 Fax: 612-374-5205	Website: www.hamaa.org Email: admin@hamaa.org (General Inquiries) Email: ayang@hamaa.org (A. Yang)	Promotes leadership in the Hmong community, educational advancement for Hmong youth and teens. Encourages Hmong refugees to be self-sufficient and contributing members of their community, and promotes and maintains Hmong cultural heritage.			
Hmong American Partnership Arcade Office (Main) 1075 Arcade St. St. Paul, MN 55106	Bao Vang Executive Director	Main: 651-495-9160 B. Vang: 651-495-1579 Fax: 651-495-1699	Website: www.hmong.org Email: hapmail@hmong.org (General Inquiries)	Assists refugees and permanent residents in improving job skills and placement; access to health care, youth programs, community and economic development.			
Hmong Community United Methodist Church 215 W. George St. St. Paul, MN 55107	Pastor Daniel Jouapao Yang	Main: 651-222-5358 Fax: 651-222-0077	Email: revdjpy@msn.com	Spiritual needs with English and Vietnamese spoken during worship.			
Hmong Cultural Center 995 University Ave. W. Suite 214 St. Paul, MN 55104	Txong Pao Lee Executive Director Cher Vue Adult Basic Education Coordinator	Main: 651-917-9937	Website: www.hmongcc.org/ Email: hmongcc@yahoo.com (General Inquiries) Email: txong@hmongcc.org	Offers literature, arts, and dance programs. Prepares those with limited English for citizenship and basic work skills.			

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Hmong Resource Fair c/o Hmong Education & Resources Today (HE&RT) 217 Mackubin St. St. Paul, MN 55102	Kazoua Kong-Thao President/Founder	Main: 612-570-1059	Website: www.hmongresourcefairmn.org Email: hmongresourcefair@gmail.com	The mission of the Hmong Resource Fair is to focus on providing resources assistance to members of the Hmong community and to those who work with them. We are the Fair that brings health, education, employment, housing, and a variety of other resources to you every year. The Hmong Resource Fair is committed to providing opportunities and a source of networking with local and national organizations for the community.
Hmong Elder Connections/Park Elder Center c/o Volunteers of America- Minnesota 1505 Park Ave. S. Minneapolis, MN 55404	Bee Vue	Park Elder Center General Number: 612-339-7581 B. Vue: 612-377-4472	Website: www.voamn.org Email: bvue@voamn.org (B. Vue)	Park Elder Center offers a wide variety of programs and services that support the health and independence of older adults including a program offers positive cultural, educational and social experiences for seniors of the Hmong community to help preserve their physical and emotional health and well-being.
Karen Organization of Minnesota (KOM) 1394 Jackson St. Suite 200 St. Paul, MN 55117	Chong Vang Executive Director	Main: 651-788-7593 Fax: 651-788-7909	Website: www.mnkaren.org Email: info@mnkaren.org (General Inquiries) Email: cvang@mnkaren.org (C. Vang) Email: smorrison@mnkaren.org (S. Morrison)	A full service community based organization assisting the Karen and other refugees from Burma. Offering housing, employment, and social services, resources for English education, early childhood development, civic participation, safety trainings, immigration, and community support.
Korean Service Center 630 Cedar Ave. S. #B1 Minneapolis, MN 55454	Yoonju Park Kwangia Kwon	Main: 612-332-3483 Fax: 612-342-1341	Email: yoonjupark@gmail.com (Y. Park) Email: kwonksc@gmail.com (K. Kwon)	Assists the Korean community with a variety of social service needs: Grace place (assisted living), family counseling, home delivery meals, and other social services.

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Lao Advancement Organization of America 2648 W. Broadway Ave. Minneapolis, MN 55411	Khamchanh Phanthavong, PhD Interim Executive Director Monemany Daoheuang Health Educator	K. Phanthavong: 612-302-9154 M. Daoheuang: 612-302-9048 Fax: 612-522-2431	Website: www.laoamerica.org Email: laoamerica@laoamerica.org (General Inquiries) Email: khphanthavong@laoamerica.org (K. Phanthavong) Email: monemany@laoamerica.org (M. Daoheuang)	Provides programs and services for youth, adults, and seniors including but not limited to translations and interpretations, citizenship classes, English classes, youth support groups, chemical dependency prevention programs, computer classes, and leadership trainings.
Lao Assistance Center of Minnesota Harrison Community Center 503 Irving Ave. N. Suite 100A Minneapolis, MN 55405	Sunny Chanthanouvong Executive Director Chongchith Saengsudham Health Prevention & Cancer Education Program Manager	Main: 612-374-4967 Fax: 612-312-1150	Website: www.laocenter.org Email: sunny@laocenter.org (S. Chanthanouvong) Email: chongchith@laocenter.org (C. Saengsudham)	Serves as a resource for Lao community providing information about local clinics and health-related agencies that specialize in serving Lao. Resource for those looking for legal referral, tax preparation, elderly health care access, elderly special access, chemical dependency, court probation community works, health insurance, cervical cancer screening, Hep. B screening, breast cancer education, civic Engagement, arts, traditional dance, classical folk, unemployment, organizing, US citizenship class, translation, interpretation, alcohol treatment, complete alcohol assessments, domestic abuse referral, financial literacy, voting, housing including house foreclosure, house rental and housing education pre-purchase and post-purchase.
Lao Family Community of Minnesota, Inc. 320 W. University Ave. St. Paul, MN 55103	Long Yang Executive Director Yao Lo Employment Services Sharon Nelson Assistant Executive Director	Main: 651-221-0069 Fax: 651-221-0276	Website: www.laofamily.org Email: admin@laofamily.org (General Inquiries) Email: lyang@laofamily.org (L. Yang) Email: yaolo@laofamily.org (Y. Lo)	LFC offers programming to refugees and immigrants in the areas of English education/citizenship, employment, youth and families, health education, and information and referral.

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Lao Women Association 503 Irving Ave. N. Minneapolis, MN 55405	Phouninh Vixayyoung	Main: 612-374-4906		Empowers Lao women and girls through social services, music, and dance.
Minnesota American Karen Society (MAKS) 187 Cottage Ave. W. St. Paul, MN 55104 Office Address 400 Oxford St. N. St. Paul, MN 55104	Ken T. Lay President	K. Lay: 651-500-3103	Website: www.maksusa.org Email: kenl@maksusa.org	MAKS assists newly arrived Karen refugees in Minnesota by providing basic and unique services and programs for new arrivals including, but not limited to, housing assistance, transportation, education, and employment opportunities.
SEWA-AIFW 3702 E. Lake St. Minneapolis, MN 55406	Raj Chaudhary Executive Director	Main and Crisis Line: 952-912-9100	Website: http://www.sewa-aifw.org/ Email: info@sewa-aifw.org (General Inquiries)	Domestic violence education, referral and direct services, human trafficking, health initiatives and senior programs to bring the mission of Total Family Wellness. Assists with job training and placement, language, skills for refugees, application assistance-translation, immigration. Serves all communities in transition, cultural education, assistance with a food support program, and social adjustment.
Southeast Asian Community Council 1827 44th Ave. N. Minneapolis, MN 55412	Doua Lee Executive Director Xou Xai Yang Adult/Family Programs Say Lee Community Health Worker	Main: 612-521-4859 Fax: 612-521-4864	Website: www.seacc-mn.org Email: info@seacc-mn.org (General Inquiries) Email: dlee@seacc-mn.org (D. Lee) Email: xyang@seacc-mn.org (Yang) Email: slee@seacc-mn.org (S. Lee)	Health education, youth services, elderly services, family support, and more.
Southeast Asian Ministry (SeAM) 105 W. University Ave. St. Paul, MN 55103	Jennifer Schneider Executive Director Eh Thweet Employment Counselor Dan Murphy Associate Program Director	Main: 651-293-1261 Employment: 651-789-2985 Fax: 651-293-0341	Website: www.seam-stpaul.org Email: director@seam-stpaul.org (General Inquiries) Email: seam-work@hotmail.com (Employment)	Provides community nursing, elder programs, ESL classes, computer lab, sewing classes, advocacy, quilt distribution, Christmas gift distribution, handwork consignment, and opportunities for healthy connections and friendships among communities. Serves immigrants and refugees: Cambodian, Hmong, Karen, and more.

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Southeast Asian Refugee Community Home (SEARCH) 1113 E. Franklin Ave. Suite 212 Minneapolis, MN 55404	Hoang Tran President/Public Relations	Main: 612-673-9388 Fax: 612-673-0840	Website: www.asian-search.org Email: search-mn@visi.com (General Inquiries)	Helps assist Southeast Asians to become integrated into, and to contribute to, the social and economic well-being of society.
Southeast Asian Services c/o Amherst H. Wilder Foundation 451 Lexington Pkwy. N. St. Paul, MN 55104	Tony Yang Paul Sinclair Pahwa Yang	Main: 651-280-2310 Fax: 651-280-3995 T. Yang: 651-280-2111 Fax: 651-644-1170	Website: www.wilder.org/ Email: tony.yang@wilder.org (T. Yang)	Providing culturally specific mental health programs for Hmong, Cambodian, Laotian, and Vietnamese immigrants and refugees living in the Twin Cities east metro area.
St. Paul Hmong Alliance Church 1770 McMenemy St. Maplewood, MN 55117	Chong Lee Yang Senior Pastor Gary P. Xiong Assistant Pastor	Main: 651-774-7955 Fax: 651-774-1861	Website: www.sphac.org Email: sphacgb@gmail.com	Spiritual needs for The Christian Hmong community.
Tibetan American Foundation of Minnesota 1096 Raymond Ave. St. Paul, MN 55108	Tenzin Lekphel Program Assistant Namgyal Doriee	Main: 651-917-9556 Fax: 612-917-9565	Website: www.tafm.org Email: office@tafm.org (General Inquiries) Email: tenlek09@gmail.com (T. Lekphel)	Assists Tibetans in Minnesota with resettlement and provide social services. Serve about 2500 to 3000 Tibetans.
United Cambodian Association of MN, Inc. 6415 Carmen Ave. P.O. Box 2397 Inver Grove Heights, MN 55076	Yorn Yan Executive Director Glenda Potter Legal/Immigration Attorney Newhope Zan Refugee Outreach Worker	Main: 651-255-0724 Y. Yan: 651-255-0724 G. Potter: 651-255-0720 N. Zan: 651-255-0723 Fax: 651-222-3599	Website: www.ucamn.org Email: yornyan@comcast.net (Y. Yan) Email: GKPotter@aol.com (G. Potter) Email: nzan@ucaminc.org (N. Zan)	Provides health, work, and social services to Cambodians.
Vietnamese Community of Minnesota 16794 78th Ave. N. Maple Grove, MN 55311	Liz Phan Director Hieu Tu President	Main: 763-218-4928	Website: www.vietnam-minnesota.org Email: info@vietnam-minnesota.org (General Inquiries) Email: liz.phan@vietnam-minnesota.org (L. Phan) Email: hieu.tu@vietnam-minnesota.org (H. Tu)	Cultural and social services nonprofit (Vietnamese). Coordinates Vietnamese communities and MAA activities nationwide.

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Vietnamese Minnesotans Association 1030 University Ave. W. St. Paul, MN 55104	John Tranberg Tinh Tran	Main: 651-290-4791 Fax: 612-290-4785	Email: Vietassoc@aim.com (General Inquiries)	Provides social services for Vietnamese and other people of Southeast Asia.
Vietnamese Social Services 277 University Ave. W. St. Paul, MN 55103	Yen Van Pham Executive Director Diane Anastos Development and Communication Director	Y. Pham: 651-641-8907 D. Anastos: 651-641-8993 Fax: 651-641-8908	Website: www.vssmn.org Email: ypham@vssmn.org (Y. Pham) Email: danastos@vssmn.org (D. Anastos)	Offering employment, youth and social services to the SE Asian community.

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European	·			
Croatian Cultural Society of MN 4119 White Bear Pkwy. Suite 220 St. Paul, MN 55110	Joe Rukavina MaryAnn Novak Vanca Schrunk Language classes	Crotec Croatian Room: 651-429-6183 V. Schrunk: 612-788-3328 Fax: 651-429-6079	Email: idshrunk@stthomas.edu (V. Schrunk)	Serves as a source of cultural information for the Minnesotan Croatian Community with a newsletter, cultural events, as well as providing interpreting services for new immigrants and refugees. Croatian Language Classes.
Jewish Family & Children's Services of Minneapolis (HIAS) 13100 Wayzata Blvd. Suite 300 Minnetonka, MN 55305 and Designers Guild Building 401 N. Third St. Suite 605 Minneapolis, MN 55401	Judy Halper Chief Executive Officer	Minnetonka Main: 952-546-0616 TTY: 952-591-0041 Fax: 952-593-1778 Minneapolis Main: 612-692-8920 Fax: 612-692-8921	Website: www.jfcsmpls.org Email: jfcs@jfcsmpls.org (General Inquiries)	Multi-faceted family service agency.
Jewish Family Service of St. Paul 1633 W. 7th St. St. Paul, MN 55102	Rena Waxmen Executive Director Debbie Vertelney Office Manager	Main: 651-698-0767 Fax: 651-698-0162	Website: www.jfssp.org Email: info@jfssp.org (General Inquiries)	Assisting with refugee resettlement, vocational and language training, family counseling, and senior services.
Minneapolis Jewish Federation 13100 Wayzata Blvd. Suite 200 Minnetonka, MN 55305	Stephen Silberfarb CEO	Main: 952-593-2600 Fax: 952-593-2544	Website: www.jewishminnesota.org Email: steves@mplsfed.org (S. Silberfarb)	We build community, care for the welfare of Jews everywhere, and maximize participation in Jewish life.
Russian Cultural Center "Russian Soul"	Elena Kallevig General Director Elena Shurkina Artistic Director	Main: 612-978-6209	Website: www.rusculturemn.com Email: info@rusculturemn.com (General Inquiries)	Russian Cultural Center is the only organization in Minnesota representing ethnic Russians, with a goal of preserving the rich Russian cultural heritage and share it with broader community, and to provide a safe and nurturing environment for Russian immigrants to help in the adaptation and acculturation process.

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Slavic Community Center 1219 S. Cleveland Ave. St. Paul, MN 55116 Satellite Office Brian Coyle Community Center Attn: Slavic Community Center 420 15th Ave. S. Minneapolis, MN 55454		Main: 651-690-2395 Main: 612-801-6682	Website: http://www.sccmn.org/ Email: info@sccmn.org	Bringing together the Twin Cities' Slavic community to retain its cultural identity by providing opportunities for health, improved self-esteem, social interaction, and learning according to Slavic cultural traditions in a friendly environment.
United Jewish Fund and Council of Saint Paul 790 S. Cleveland Ave. Suite 227 St. Paul, MN 55116	Eli Skora Executive Director Sharyn Effress-Pesses Women's Division Director	Main: 651-690-1707 E. Skora: 651-695-3187 S. Effress-Presses: 651-695-3186 Fax: 651-690-0228	Website: www.jewishstpaul.org Email: eskora@ujfc.org (E. Skora) Email: spesses@ujfc.org (S. Effress-Presses)	Enhances and sustains the St. Paul and overseas Jewish communities through financial resource development and planning, and by working in partnership with social service agencies, educational institutions, and synagogues.

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Latino				
Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis Latino Ministries 328 Kellogg Blvd. W. St. Paul, MN 55102	Estela Villagrán Manancero Parish Services Team	Main: 651-290-1639 E. Manancero: 651-357-2478 Fax: 651-290-1620	Website: www.archspm.org/departments/ latino-ministries/index.php Email: mananceroe@archspm.org (E. Manancero)	The Archdiocese has 23 parishes that offer mass and additional services in Spanish. Our primary goals consist of creating intercultural parish communities, faith formation and lay leadership training for youth and adults, the development of liturgical ministers, and collaborative efforts on issues of justice for immigrants.
Casa de Esperanza P.O. Box 75177 St. Paul, MN 55175 Mercado Central 1515 E. Lake St. Minneapolis, MN 55407 and Plaza Latina 927 Payne Ave. St. Paul, MN 55101	Patricia J. Tototzintle <i>CEO</i> Amy J. Sánchez <i>Chief Executive for External</i> <i>Relations</i>	Main: 651 646-5553 24-hour Spanish/English Domestic Violence Crisis Line: 651-772-1611 Centro de Información: 612-728-5438 (Minneapolis) 651-774-3964 (St. Paul) Fax: 651-646-5299	Website: www.casadeesperanza.org Email: info@casadeesperanza.org (General Inquiries)	Casa de Esperanza mobilizes Latinas and Latino communities to end domestic violence. The Family Advocacy initiative supports individuals experiencing domestic violence and their families, e.g., family and court advocacy, bilingual 24-hour crisis line, and shelter. Workshops are provided by trained community women on topics requested by participants. The Community Engagement work area offers two Information and Resource Centers in Minneapolis and St. Paul, and leadership initiatives for women and youth. The National Latino Network for Healthy Families and Communities provides trainings on domestic violence and Latino realities for organizations and systems serving Latinos, and research and public policy initiatives.

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CLUES St. Paul 797 E. 7th St. St. Paul, MN 55106 CLUES Minneapolis 720 E. Lake St. Minneapolis, MN 55407	Cira Sanchez Director of Family Enrichment Services Melissa Flores-Fioravanti Director of Mental Health & Aging Well Services Jose William Castellanos Director of the Community Health Worker Services	Main: 651-379-4200 Fax: 651-292-0347 Main: 612-746-3500 Fax: 612 -871-1058	Website: www.clues.org	Provider of behavioral health and human services to the Latino community. Providing a continuum of six core services: Mental Health Services, Chemical Health Services, Family Services, Aging Well Services, Employment Services, and Educational Services to achieve the following: increase educational levels, improve English language proficiency, and overcome other barriers to self-sufficiency. Also offers job search and retention help.				
The Church Of The Assumption La Mision (Latino Resource Center) 305 E. 77th St. Richfield, MN 55423	Ruth Evangelista Coordinator	Main: 612-869-1824 Fax: 612-866-5274	Website: www.assumptionrichfield.org Email: revangelista@assumptionrichfield.org Email: ruthevangelista@hotmail.com	La Mision is a parish based community organization which responds to the Social Teaching of the Church. We are dedicated to improving the health and wellness, educational attainment, human welfare, and opportunities for youth, adults, and families in the Latino community of the Richfield and Bloomington areas. We assist Latino individuals, families, and children by connecting them with existing community agencies that provide spiritual, medical, educational, and support services.				
Consulado de Mexico en Saint Paul, Minnesota 797 E. 7th St. St. Paul, MN 55106	Paola Deza Álvarez Asistente de la Cónsul	Main: 651-771-5494 Ext. 13 Fax: 651-772-4419	Website: www.consulmexstpaul.com Email: contacto@consulmexstpaul.com Email: pdeza@consulmexstpaul.com	Our mission is to represent Mexico; to preserve the relations with federal, state, and local authorities, and to strengthen friendship and cooperation, according with our foreign policy. Also, the Consulate has the obligation to protect the rights of Mexican Nationals living in the district of our responsibility, regardless its legal status in the United States of America; to provide documents to Mexicans and nationals of different countries, according to Mexican Law, and to promote ties with Mexican community.				

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Latino (continued)								
El Arco Iris (The Rainbow) Center for the Arts 308 Prince St., No. 262 St. Paul, MN 55101	Jose Caban Chairperson Maria L. Perez Artistic Director	Main: 651-292-8719	Website: www.elarcoirismn.org Email: jcaban@elarcoirismn.org (J. Caban) Email: mariaisa@elarcoirismn.org (M. Perez)	A Latino community arts school for children and adults, with a focus on Latino American cultures using dance, music, visual and media arts to educate and develop personal growth within and outside our community. Instruction: Afro-Caribbean dance and drumming, Flamenco, Tango, Latin singing, theater, and different forms of visual art, such as mural painting, puppet and mask making, folkloric arts, and media arts.				
Guadalupe Alternative Programs 381 E. Robie St. St. Paul, MN 55107	Erika Vazquez Adult Education Coordinator Allen Selinski Executive Director	Main: 651-222-0757 Fax: 651-290-2703	Website: www.gapschool.org Email: evazquez@gapschool.org (E. Vazquez) Email: aselinski@gapschool.org (A. Selinski)	Guadalupe Alternative Programs is a community based education and social service agency that serves the Twin Cities area. It is located on St. Paul's west side. GAP is inspired by its founder Sr. Mary Giovanni Gourhan SSND, and her dream of eliminating the barriers of poverty and racism faced by many who live in the inner city. Three basic yet powerful strategies define the community building work of GAP: education and enrichment, social and emotional support, and training leading to employment.				
La Oportunidad Inc. 2700 E. Lake St. Suite 3100 Minneapolis, MN 55406	Eloisa Echavez Executive Director Alison Engel Volunteer Program Coordinator & Office Manager	Main: 612-872-6165 Fax: 612-872-0964	Website: www.oportunidad.org Email: oportunidad@oportunidad.org (General Inquiries)	Serves the needs of the Chicano/Latino community, by offering culturally appropriate services that strengthen Latino children, youth, and families by focusing on family centered, educational, and supportive programming. Its mission is championing the development of Latino individuals and families to create a strong, peaceful community. Offers programs and services for Latino children, youth, and adults.				

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Latino Ministry St. Alphonsus Parish Office 7025 Halifax Ave. N. Brooklyn Center, MN 55429	Luz Zagal	Main: 763-561-5100 L. Zagal: 763-503-3326 Fax: 763-561-0336	Email: stallatino@hotmail.com	Serves the Latino community in Minnesota through: Latino Youth Group and adult education.			
Migrant Health Service, Inc. Hispanic Battered Women/Children Program & Sexual Assault Intervention Project Townsite Center 810-4th Ave. S. #101 Moorhead, MN 56560 and P.O. Box 364 202 Broadway, Ste. 204 Crookston, MN 56716	Moorhead Office: María García <i>Coordinator</i> Lucía Sánchez <i>Advocate</i> Crookston Office: Leticia Sánchez <i>Coordinator</i> Anna Corona <i>Advocate</i>	Moorhead Main: 218-236-4879 or 800-556-9661 Crookston Main: 218-281-3552 or 800-342-7756 Fax: 218-281-2505	Website: http://migranthealthservice.org/en/ victimadvocacy Email: Lsanchez@702com.net (L. Sánchez) Email: letys@qwestoffice.net (L. Sánchez) Email: annac@qwestoffice.net (A. Corona)	Bilingual victim advocacy services for women, children, and men who have been affected by domestic abuse. Services include: 24-hour crisis line, shelter assistance, transportation assistance, access to supportive counseling, support services, referrals to community organizations, and coordination with legal systems in order to obtain Orders for Protection, assist with court advocacy and advocacy with law enforcement, legal, health care and financial systems.			
Our Lady of Guadalupe Church 401 Concord St. St. Paul, MN 55107	Father Kevin Kenney	Main: 651-228-0506 Fax: 651-224-5162		Services in Spanish and English, two masses in Spanish on Sunday. There is also a youth group and bilingual community resource center.			
Resource Center for the Americas 3019 Minnehaha Ave. Suite 20 Minneapolis, MN 55406	Franklin Briceno Program Director Amy Brockman Education Coordinator	Main: 612-276-0788 F. Briceno: 612-276-0788 Ext. 6 A. Brockman: 612-276-0788 Ext. 4 Fax: 612-605-3252	Website: www.americas.org Email: rcta-info@americas.org (General Inquiries) Email: franklin.briceno@americas.org Email: amy.brockman@americas.org	Informs, educates and organizes to promote human rights, economic justice, democratic participation, and cross cultural understanding in the context of globalization in the Americas.			
Teatro de Pueblo Baker Community Center 209 W. Page St. Suite 213 St. Paul, MN 55107	Alberto Justiniano Artistic Director	Main: 651-224-8806 Box Office: 651-225-8106 Fax: 651-298-5796	Website: www.teatrodelpueblo.org Email: info@teatrodelpueblo.org (General Inquiries) Email: al@teatrodelpueblo.org (A. Justiniano) Email: tickets@teatrodelpueblo.org (Tickets)	Teatro del Pueblo is a Latino theater located in St. Paul's west side. The theater's theme and most of its talent is drawn out of the rich Latino culture in Minnesota, with the mission of celebrating that unique heritage while also inviting non-Latinos to experience it.			

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