SAMPLE LIST OF IMMIGRATION LAW LIBRARY RESOURCES

This is only a sample, not a complete list of immigration references and resources. Depending on the types of immigration services your organization provides, seek other resources by talking to experts in the field. At a minimum, it is recommended that your agency have print copies of the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA) and Title 8 of the Code of Federal Regulations (8 CFR) as well as online resources, which are readily available. In addition, it is highly recommended that your agency have a budget to purchase and update immigration law library resources annually since immigration laws change constantly.

Print Resources

The Immigration and Nationality Act (INA), latest edition

Title 8 of the Code of Federal Regulations (8 CFR), latest edition


Immigration Law and the Family, Charles Wheeler and the National Immigration Lawyers Association, 2018

FOIA Requests and Other Background Checks: A Practical Guide to Filing Records Requests in Immigration Cases, Immigrant Legal Resource Center, 2017


Online Resources

Executive Office for Immigration Review Virtual Law Library,
https://www.justice.gov/eoir/virtual-law-library
USCIS’ website with the current INA, 8 CFR, all immigration-related forms, policy manuals, and updates from the government, [https://www.uscis.gov/](https://www.uscis.gov/)


CLINIC Case Management Toolkit, available at [https://cliniclegal.org/clinic_toolkit/694](https://cliniclegal.org/clinic_toolkit/694)


Basic Procedural Manual for Asylum Representation, National Immigrant Justice Center, [https://www.immigrationadvocates.org/nonprofit/library/](https://www.immigrationadvocates.org/nonprofit/library/)

CLINIC’s monthly affiliate newsletter and daily list serve with immigration law updates, news from the Catholic network, a training schedule, and information on immigration advocacy efforts

Immigration Advocates Network (IAN), [www.immigrationadvocates.org](http://www.immigrationadvocates.org) list serve and web-based library with podcasts, webinars, video trainings, calendar of training dates, and news alerts

USCIS e-mail updates regarding policy changes and new guidelines


Detention Watch Network Listserv, [https://www.detentionwatchnetwork.org/signup](https://www.detentionwatchnetwork.org/signup)

National Immigration Project of the National Lawyers Guild Member Listserv, [https://www.nationalimmigrationproject.org/listservs.html](https://www.nationalimmigrationproject.org/listservs.html)