

Resources and Supports

from the CLEO Connect Webinar

[How to support clients making a Humanitarian and Compassionate \(H+C\) application](#)

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CLEO's Steps to Justice

- [Humanitarian and compassionate \(H+C\) applications](#)
- [How do I apply for Judicial Review?](#)

CLEO Publications

This information is for front-line workers and advocates working with women who have experienced family violence and who have questions about their immigration status in Canada.

- [Making an H+C application](#)
- [Humanitarian and compassionate \(H&C\) applications and refugee claims: how are they different?](#)
- [Do you know a woman who is being abused?](#)

Community and Legal Resources

Barbra Schlifer Clinic

- [Gathering evidence for H&C applications: a toolkit for advocates supporting women survivors of gender-based violence \(2018\)](#)

Student Legal Services Organizations

- [Student Legal Services Organizations \(SLSO\)](#)

Funded by Legal Aid Ontario, operate out of Ontario's seven law schools. With the supervision of full-time lawyers, volunteer law students provide legal advice and represent clients in cases in immigration as well as other areas.

- [Specialty Legal Clinics](#)

Some clinics also specialize in areas of law for low-income clients who are marginalized for other reasons.

- [Find your Community Legal Clinic](#)

Alternatively, you can contact the Client Service Centre at [416-979-1446](#) or toll-free [1-800-668-8258](#).

Legal Aid Ontario

- [How do I apply for Legal Aid?](#)
- [Legal Aid Eligibility for immigration and refugee law services](#) (H+C application info on pages 2+3)

Justice Net

- [Justice Net](#) is a not-for-profit service helping people in need of legal expertise, whose income is too high to access legal aid and too low to afford standard legal fees.

Privacy and Access to Information

- To request a complete copy of client's previous immigration applications and documents submitted to IRCC:
- For clients themselves, how to make a request under the Privacy Act (no fee)
[How to make a request under the Privacy Act](#)⁰⁹
- For workers, to submit an access to information request on behalf of a client (who may not want to give their contact information), \$5 fee.
[Submit an Access to Information Request](#)

Protect yourself!

Make sure you protect yourself and check our [Lawyer and Paralegal Directory](#) or [contact the Law Society](#) to confirm that the person you are thinking of hiring is a licensed legal professional.

- [Law Society of Ontario](#)
- [College of Immigration and Citizenship Consultants – find an immigration consultant](#)

Government Resources

CBSA [website](#)

- For list of Temporary Suspension of Removal (TSR) and Administrative Deferral of Removal (ADR) countries.

Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada

- [Humanitarian and Compassionate considerations Humanitarian and Compassionate Considerations - Canada.ca](#)

Humanitarian & Compassionate document check list

- <https://www.canada.ca/content/dam/ircc/migration/ircc/english/pdf/kits/forms/imm5280e.pdf>

Take Action!

[MIGRANT RIGHTS NETWORK](#)

We are building a migrant-led movement to win full and permanent immigration status for all migrants including undocumented people. Regularize Now!
Let's win #StatusforAll migrants

Indigenous Education and Action for Change

Calls to action: Truth and Reconciliation

- [Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada: Calls to Action](#)

Take Action

- [Settlers Take Action](#)

Education

- [Indigenous Canada - Free Course](#)

Whose Land?

Learn about where you are situated, information for land acknowledgements and learn about the treaties and agreements signed across Canada (Turtle Island). [Whose Land?](#)

Need to get in touch? QUESTIONS or COMMENTS?

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