

# Latino Service Organizations Greater Philadelphia Area

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### 1. Acción Comunal Latinomericana de Montgomery Country (ACLAMO)

Main OfficePottstown Office512 W. Marshall St.151 Walnut StreetNorristown, PA 19104Pottstown, PA 19464Phone: (610) 277 – 2570Phone: (610) 970-2134Fax: (610) 277 – 6434Fax: (610) 970-2135

Email: Executive Director Nelly Jimenez-Arevalo nellja@aclamo.org www.aclamo.org

ACLAMO Family Centers provides educational program, social services and health acess to Latino and other low income residents by empowering them to succeed and become productive members of society

# 2. Acción Colombia

4636 N 5th St.

Philadelphia, PA 19104 Phone: (267) 338 – 6787

Email: Executive Director Leity Rodriguez-Largo leity.rodriguez@accioncolombia.org

www.accioncolombia.org

The mission of Acción Colombia is to develop leadership in the Colombian and Latin American community by fostering art, culture and civic participation in the Tri-State area of Pennsylvania, Delaware and New Jersey.

### 3. Amparo de la Niñez | Children's Safe Harbor

107 E Luray St.

Philadelphia, PA 19104 Phone: (215) 324 – 2919

Email: amparodIn@gmail.com

Children's Safe Harbor, Inc. is a non-profit organization dedicated to promote the welfare of children 4-12 years old, through programs designed to meet their spiritual, intellectual, cultural, educational and social needs.

### 4. Artistas y Músicos Latino Americanos (AMLA)

AMLA Administrative Office 4261 N. 5th St, 2nd Floor Philadelphia, PA 19140 (215) 324-0746 Ext 225 www.amla.org AMLA Latin School for the Performing Arts 191 W. Hunting Park Ave Philadelphia, PA 19140 (267) 229-7592

AMLA seeks to promote the development, dissemination, and understanding of Latin music culture through Philadelphia and the Delaware Valley, with an emphasis on at-risk youth.

### 5. Asociación de Puertorriqueños en Marcha (APM)

1900 N. 9th St.

Philadelphia, PA 19122 Phone: (267) 296 – 7200 Email: info@ampphila.org

Founded in 1970, APM is a Latino-based health, human services and community development organization committed to helping Philadelphia area families achieve their full potential. With a staff of 140, a \$20 million budget, and more than \$25 million in real estate development projects, APM impacts the lives of more than 40,000 individuals a year as it works with public-private partners to help improve the quality of life of the people it serves.

# 6. Asociación Nacional Pro Personas Mayores | National Association for Hispanic Elderly

3150 N. Mascher St. Philadelphia, PA 19133 Phone: (215) 426 – 1212 Email: support@anppm.org Website: www.anppm.org

The National Association for Hispanic Elderly (Asociacion Nacional Pro Personas Mayores – ANPM) is a national nonprofit organization that provides services for older Hispanic adults and low-income persons. ANPM provides employment programs, economic development programs for low-income housing and neighborhood development, research and data collection, and other services.

The Association also administers Project AYUDA, a program providing employment counseling and placement services for low-income older adults. The program provides part-time subsidized employment in community service work in public and private non-profit agencies.

#### 7. ASPIRA, INC. of Pennsylvania

4322 N. 5th Street

Philadelphia, PA 19140 Phone: (215) 455 – 1300 Fax: (215) 455 – 6310 Email: info@aspirapa.org

Website: http://www.aspirapa.org/

ASPIRA seeks to empower their community through advocacy, and the education and leadership development of their youth. They serve Latino and other vulnerable youth in North Philadelphia, specifically in the Hunting Park, Kensington, and Olney communities. ASPIRA also operates

various Charter Schools in North Philadelphia services students from Pre-K to 12 and Cyber schools.

### 8. AYUDA Community Center

4400 N. Marshall Street Philadelphia, PA 19140 Phone: (215) 329 – 5777 Fax: (215) 329 – 1310

Email: Executive Director, Cynthia Wright-Whitley, cwright-whitley@ayudacc.org

Website: http://www.ayudacc.org/

Ayuda Community Center aims to provide a holistic response to the direct needs of their community to lead to individual and community improvement. They offer programs and services that assist families by providing opportunities for the academic, cultural, social and spiritual development of their children and the improvement of their quality of life. Ayuda Community Center has been serving children and families in North Philadelphia since 1992.

### 9. Boys and Girls Club of Philadelphia

West Kensington Boys & Girls Club

3426 N. Mascher Street Philadelphia, PA 19140 Phone: (215) 426 – 7800

Club Director: Maria R. Garcia

Email: CEO's Joseph and Lisabeth Marziello admin@bgcphila.org

Website: www.bgcphila.org

The mission of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Philadelphia is to enable all young people, especially those who need us most, to realize their full potential as productive, caring, responsible citizens. The Boys & Girls Clubs provides a safe place to learn and grow; ongoing relationships with caring, adult professionals; life-enhancing programs and character development experiences; and hope and opportunity for more than 13,000 Philadelphia youth each year.

### 10. <u>Casa de Venezuela</u>

Casa de Venezuela PO Box 252 Exton, PA 19341

Contact: http://casadevenezuela.net/en/contact-us

Website: www.casadevenezuela.net

The purpose of Casa de Venezuela is to promote culture, roots, traditions and folklore of Venezuela in the Delaware Valley region, through community, social, educational and cultural events and programs.

### 11. Casa Del Carmen

440 N. Reese Street Philadelphia, PA 19140 Phone: (215) 329 – 5660

Website: https://clarifi.org/node/198

The Casa Del Carmen Family Service Center has provided over fifty years of service to the Latino Community. A bilingual, bicultural staff provides social services to the community without regard for race, language, ethnic origin, or the ability to pay.

#### 12. CEIBA, Inc.

147 W. Susquehanna Avenue Philadelphia, PA 19122 Phone: (215) 634 – 7245

Fax: (215) 634 – 7265

Website: www.ceibaphiladelphia.org

Ceiba promotes the economic development and financial inclusion of Philadelphia's Latino community through collaborations and advocacy aimed at ensuring their access to quality housing. Through Ceiba, the member agencies (Esperanza, Norris Square Civic Association, Concilio de Organizaciones Hispanas de Filadelfia, Finanta) enhance and coordinate the delivery of their asset building services.

### 13. Centro Cultural Latinos Unidos (CCLU)

301 King St.

Pottstown, PA 19464 Phone: (610) 705 – 0566

Website: http://www.cclu-pottst.org/

Centro Cultural Latinos Unidos. Inc. (CCLU) is a bilingual, bridge building organization, committed to enrich the lives of Latinos and others by embracing diversity through Cultural, educational and recreational programs in the Greater Pottstown Area.

### 14. Centro Nueva Creación | Home of the Goodlands

185 W. Tioga St.

Philadelphia, PA 19140 Phone: (215) 426 – 8726

Email: goodlands.director@gmail.com Website: http://www.goodlands.org/

A nonprofit with a mission to promote resilience in young people through educational enrichment and engagement with the arts and Latino cultures.

### 15. Comité de Apayo a Trabajadores Agrícolas (CATA)

CATA Pennsylvania:

P.O. Box 246

Kennet Square, PA 19348 Phone: (610) 444 – 9696 Fax: (610) 444 – 1080

Email: cata@cata-farmworker.org

Website: http://www.cata-farmworkers.org/

CATA is a migrant farmworker organization that is governed by and comprised of farmworkers who are actively engaged in the struggle for better working and living conditions. CATA's mission is to empower and educate farmworkers through leadership development and capacity building so that they are able to make informed decisions regarding the best course of action for their interests. CATA has advanced based on the belief that only through organizing and collective action can they achieve justice and fullness of life.

#### 16. Community Center at Visitation

2646 Kensington Avenue Philadelphia, PA 19125 Phone: (215) 426 – 9422

Email: sharris@communitycenteratvis.org Website: www.communitycenteratvis.org

The Community Center at Visitation is committed to provide a safe place for community outreach, continuous education, and recreation among the diverse cultural communities of Kensington and its surrounding neighborhoods. Serving as a "Beacon of Hope," the Center embraces and celebrates this community with particular regard for nurturing the potential of its youth, senior, and immigrant populations.

### 17. Community Legal Services, Inc.

Center City Office: North Philadelphia Law Center

1424 Chestnut St. 1410 W. Erie Ave.
Philadelphia, PA 19102 Philadelphia, PA 19140
Phone: (215) 981 – 3700 Phone: (215) 227-2400

Website: www.clsphila.org

In 1966, The Philadelphia Bar Association established Community Legal Services (CLS) as an independent 501(c)(3) organization to provide free legal services, in civil matters, to low-income Philadelphians. Since its founding, CLS has served more than one million clients who could not afford to pay for legal representation and who would have faced a variety of devastating ends Without dedicated, knowledgeable attorneys on their side. CLS has eight legal unites specializing in particular areas of civil poverty law: aging and disabilities, employment, energy, family advocacy, homeownership and consumer law, housing, language access, and public benefits.

# 18. Community Mental Health and Mental Retardation Center (COMHAR), Inc.

Central Office Latino Treatment Program: 100 W. Lehigh Ave 2600 N. American St. Phialdelphia, PA 19133 Phone: (215) 203 – 3000 Phone: (215) 739-2669

Contact: www.comhar.org/contact

Website: www.comhar.org

COMHAR, Inc. aims to provide health and human services that empower individuals, families, and communities to live healthier, self-determined lives. COMHAR, Inc. partners with people of

all ages with mental illness, addiction, HIV/AIDS and/or intellectual disabilities and support them in their journey toward healthier, more independent, more fulfilling lives. HOPE Latino is one of COMHAR's four HOPE Community Integrated Recovery Centers. This specialized program also known as Hispanic Effective Living Program (HELP) is designed to meet the needs of members of the Latino community with mental illness. It is staffed by individuals who both speak fluent Spanish and are members of the Latino community.

# 19. Concern for Health Options: Information, Care, and Education (CHOICE)

33 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> St., Bsmt

Philadelphia, PA 19106 Phone: (215) 985 – 3355

Contact: http://www.choice-philadelphia.org/wp/index.php/contact/

CHOICE Hotline: (215) 985 – 3300 Spanish Hotline: (215) 985 – 3350

Website: www.choice-philadelphia.org/wp

Founded in 1971, CHOICE is a community-based organization dedicated to increasing awareness of and access to reproductive, sexual, and maternal/child health services. CHOICE is the Philadelphia and Pennsylvania region's most often-used resource for sexual health information, serving more than 22,000 people each year through the operation of five bilingual (Spanish-English and other languages through a translation service) hotlines and a growing program of outreach, trainings, and community education. We are particularly concerned with the distinctive needs of women, youth, and other minority populations from under-served communities who have traditionally experienced barriers to care.

### 20. La Comunidad Hispana

732 West Cypress St.

Kennett Square, PA 19348 Phone: (610) 444 – 7550 Fax: (610) 444 – 4735

Email: jvaldivieso@lchps.org

Website: www.lacomunidadhispana.org

La Comunidad Hispana aims to help low-income residents of southern Chester County to stay healthy, build strong families and lead productive lives by providing high-quality, culturally welcoming services.

### 21. Congreso de Latinos Unidos, Inc

216 W. Somerset St. Philadelphia, PA 19133 Phone: (215) 763 – 8870

Website: www.congreso.net

Congreso de Latinos Unidos, Inc. is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization founded in 1977 with a mission to strengthen Latino communities through social, economic, education and health services, leadership development and advocacy.

### 22. Council of Spanish Speaking Organizations, Inc.

141 East Hunting Park Ave Philadelphia, PA 19124 Phone: (215) 627 – 3100 Website: www.elconcilio.net

Contact: http://www.elconcilio.net/contact/

Mission is to cultivate the strength and resilience of children and families, improve the quality of life in our community, and maintain our community's heritage, history, and culture.

#### 23. Esperanza

4261 N. 5<sup>th</sup> St.

Philadelphia, PA 19140 Phone: (215) 324 – 0746 Fax: (215) 324 – 2542

Website: www.esperanza.us

Esperanza is one of the largest Hispanic Faith-Based Evangelical networks in the United States. With a national network of 12,000 faith and community-based agencies, Esperanza is one of the leading voices for Hispanics in America. Esperanza's services include immigration, education, capacity building, workforce development, health initiatives, community development, climate initiatives, special events, and Mujeres de Esperanza.

On a national level, Esperanza is an intermediary providing capacity building skills and grants to faith-based organizations around the country. Esperanza is also the founder and host of the National Hispanic Prayer Breakfast and Conference, held annually in Washington, DC. Esperanza's ministry work includes a national women ministry uniting three generations of women in service and prayer.

#### 24. Esperanza Health Center

www.esperanzahealth.com

Main Office: 5th S 3156 Kensington Avenue 2940 Philadelphia, PA 19134 Philadelphia, PA 19134 Philadelphia, PA 19100 Phoninfo@esperanzahealth.com

5th Street Office:Huntington Park Office:2940 N. 5th Street4417 N. 6th StreetPhiladelphia, PA 19133Philadelphia, PA 19140Phone: (215) 221-6633Phone: (215) 302-3600

Esperanza Health Center aims to provide affordable, high-quality, bilingual and multi-cultural primary health care and support services in Jesus' name, regardless of ability to pay, to all those in our communities who seek care. Health services include medical services, dental services, behavioral health services, social services, care in the community, nutrition and wellness, on-site medication dispensary, and comprehensive HIV care.

# 25. Gay and Lesbian Latino AIDS Education Initiative (GALAEI)

149 W. Susquehanna Ave Philadelphia, PA 19122 Phone: (267) 457 – 3912 Email: info@galaei.org Website: www.galaei.org

GALAEI is a queer Latin@ social justice organization. They are unwavering their commitment to the advancement de nuestra familia through leadership and economic development, sexual empowerment, and grassroots organizing. All services are offered free of charge, confidential, and bilingual (Spanish/English).

#### 26. Girls, Inc. of Greater Philadelphia and Southern New Jersey

1501 Cherry St.

Philadelphia, PA 19102 Phone: (215) 735 – 7775

Email: carrington@girsincpa-nj.org Website: www.girlsincpa-nj.org

Girls, Inc. is a non-profit organization that inspires all girls to be strong, smart, and bold. They achieve this mission by addressing the unique needs of girls through advocacy, education, and direct services, including the development of mentoring relationships. Girls Inc. programs are for girls ages 6-18. These programs focus on leadership and community service, science, technology and math, as well as financial literacy, sports, culture/heritage, promoting a healthy lifestyle, decision making, and media literacy.

### 27. Greater Philadelphia Urban Affairs Coalition

1207 Chestnut St.

Philadelphia, PA 19107 Phone: (215) 851 – 0110

Contact: http://www.gpuac.org/forms/contact-us

Website: www.gpuac.org

The Urban Affairs Coalition (UAC) unites government, business, neighborhoods, and individual initiatives to improve the quality of life in the region, build wealth in urban communities, and solve emerging issues. They provide back office fiscal sponsorship and shared services to 75 program partners.

### 28. Greater Philadelphia Hispanic Chamber of Commerce

1520 Locust St, Suite 1001 Philadelphia, PA 19102 Phone: (215) 845 – 5456

Contact: gphcc@philahispanicchamber.org Website: www.philahispanicchamber.org

The GPHCC is a not-for-profit organization devoted to promoting the advancement and

economic growth of Hispanic businesses and professionals in the greater Philadelphia region. They accomplish this through educational programs, and a broad range of services and special events. The GPHCC proactively serves a diverse membership –consisting of entrepreneurs, Latino businesses, and Latino professionals, corporations and government –with the overriding goal of helping these critical constituencies capitalize on the many opportunities their diversity, enhanced by our Latino multicultural mix, offers.

# 29. Hebrew Immigration Aid Society (HIAS)

2100 Arch St, 3rd Floor Philadelphia, PA 19103 Phone: (215) 832 – 0900

Contact: http://hiaspa.org/contact

Website: www.hiaspa.org

HIAS Pennsylvania provides legal and supportive services to immigrants, refuges and asylum seekers from all backgrounds in order to assure their fair treatment and full integration into American society. HIAS Pennsylvania advocates for just and inclusive public policies and practices.

### 30. <u>Hispanic Association of Contractors and Enterprises (HACE)</u>

167 W. Allegheny Ave, Suite 200

Philadelphia, PA 19140 Phone: (215) 426 – 8025

Contact: http://www.hacecdc.org/contact/

Website: www.hacecdc.org

HACE, a nonprofit 501(c) (3) community development organization, was started in 1982 to respond to the need for economic empowerment in the Latino community. In fact, HACE was organized, in part, to prevent the impending closing of a central shopping mall in the heart of the Latino Commercial District in Eastern North Philadelphia, known as El Centro de Oro (the Golden Center). HACE used the successful redevelopment of the mall as the starting point to demonstrate to the community that they could take charge of their economic destiny. Since then, HACE has evolved into a productive and effective developer of both residential and commercial real estate as well as an advocate on behalf of the neighborhood residents and small businesses.

# 31. <u>Hispanos Unidos para Niños Excepcionales (HUNE) | Sibling Blog</u>

2215 N. American St. Philadelphia, PA 19133 Phone: (215) 425 – 6203

Contact: contactus@huneinc.org

Website: www.huneinc.org

Hispanos Unidos para Niños Excepcionales (HUNE) empowers parents of exceptional children to obtain a free and appropriate quality education for their children and other children with disabilities. HUNE provides training programs on all aspects of Special Education, including Transition Services. HUNE also provides supports and limited individual assistance for parents

of exceptional children. HUNE serves, but is not limited to, Hispanic parents.

#### 32. JUNTOS

1537 S. 6th St.

Philadelphia, PA 19147 Phone: (215) 218 – 9079

Contact: info@vamosjuntos.org Website: www.vamosjuntos.org

JUNTOS is a Latino immigrant community led organization in Philadelphia fighting for our human rights as workers, parents, youth, and immigrants. JUNTOS combines leadership development, community organizing, and focused collaborations with other community-based and advocacy organizations to build the power of our community so may be active agents of change. They believe that every human being has the right to a quality education and the freedom to live with dignity regardless of immigration status.

### 33. Kensington Welfare Rights Union (KWRU)

PO Box 50678 2825 N. 5<sup>th</sup> St.

Philadelphia, PA 19132 Phone: (215) 203 – 1945

KWRU is a progressive social justice, political action, and advocacy group of, by, and for the poor and homeless operating out of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and led by Galen Tyler. KWRU is a part of the national organization the Poor People's Economic Human Rights Campaign a coalition of grassroots organizations, community groups, and non-profit organizations committed to uniting the poor across color lines as the leadership base for a broad movement to abolish poverty. KWRU is also a member of the steering committee of the ANSWER coalition.

### 34. Latin American Community Center

403 N. Van Buren St. Wilmington, DE 19805 Phone: (302) 655 – 7338

Contact: http://www.thelatincenter.org/contact

Website: www.thelatincenter.org

El Centro Latino was founded in 1969 by a small group of Puerto Rican migrants seeking to address the immediate needs of members of their community as they adapted to life in a new country, and in most cases, to a new language.

#### 35. The Latino Leadership Alliance

229 Mill St.

Bristol, PA 19007

Phone: (215) 788 – 4452

Contact: www.llabc.org/contact.html

Website: www.llabc.org

The Latino Leadership Alliance is a bilingual and bicultural resource providing information, education, family services and advocacy to the Latino community in Bucks County.

# 36. The Latino Partnership Initiative

1628 Church St.

Philadelphia, PA 19124 Phone: (215) 613 – 7013

Contact: http://ppponline.net/contact-us/

Website: http://ppponline.net/latino-partnership-initiative/

The Latino Partnership Initiative (LPI) is developing relationships across the diverse Latino communities of Philadelphia for awareness and action in these communities to develop a community-based prevention system that will empower communities to address alcohol and other drug problems.

### 37. La Puerta Abierta / The Open Door

PO Box 534

Narberth, PA 19072 Phone: +1-610-745-1952

Email: info@lpa-theopendoor.org/ Website: http://lpa-theopendoor.org/

La Puerta Abierta (LPA) is recognized as an effective organizational model that significantly improves access to quality mental health care for the Latino immigrant and refugee communities who typically face barriers to this care. One key feature of LPA is a service learning model that builds the capital of competent, bilingual clinical providers through the training and supervision of interns and volunteers, as well as through cross-systems training. The collective impact of this work is critical at a time when many service providers are in most need of understanding how to best serve the growing population of immigrant youth and families who present with complicated emotional and other life challenges.

#### 38. The Lighthouse

152 W Lehigh Ave. Philadelphia, PA 19133 Phone: (215) 425-7800

Contact: info@lighthouse1893.org Website: www.lighhouse1893.org

Since 1893 the Lighthouse has provided multi-cultural services that respond to the multidimensional needs of our community The Lighthouse has always been driven by its commitment to the families of our community to be in the forefront in developing creative and cutting edge services to meet families' needs. For over a century the Lighthouse has been in the community, providing services to the community, because of support from the community. Today Lighthouse works with many community partners to complement and supplement our work. Of late we also have benefited from partnerships with Aramark, Lowe's, Sherwin Williams, Community Design Collaborative, Federation of Neighborhood Centers, Tomorrow's

Promise, Wells Fargo Bank, Sovereign Bank, the Archdiocese of Philadelphia and William Penn Foundation, among others.

# 39. <u>Lutheran Settlement House</u>

1340 Frankford Ave Philadelphia, PA 19125 Phone: (215) 426 – 8610 Fax: (215) 426 – 0581

Contact: General Line (215) 426 – 8610 ext. 1200

Website: www.lutheransettlement.org

Established in 1902, Lutheran Settlement House (LSH) is a non-profit, community-based organization committed to serving vulnerable children, adults, and families living in Philadelphia. Over the past century, the programs and services offered by LSH have changed in response to the evolving needs of the community. However, the core mission of Lutheran Settlement House — "to empower individuals, families, and communities to achieve and maintain self-sufficiency through an integrated program of social, educational, and advocacy services" — has remained constant.

### 40. Mexican Consulate of Philadelphia

111 South Independence Mall East Bourse Building, Suite 310 Philadelphia, PA 19106

Phone: (215) 922 – 4262 Fax: (215) 923 – 7281

Contact: confiladelfia@sre.gob.mx

Website: consulmex.sre.gob.mx/filadelfia/

### 41. Mexican Cultural Center

111 South Independence Mall East

Bourse Building, Suite 310 Philadelphia, PA 19106 Phone: (215) 592 – 0410 Fax: (215) 923 – 7281

Contact: info@mexicanculturalcenter.org Website: www.mexicanculturalcenter.org

The Mexican Cultural Center is a non-profit organization devoted to promoting understanding and awareness of the cultural and artistic diversity of Mexico and its influence in the Delaware Valley in the United States.

### 42. Motivos Bilingual Magazine

P.O. Box 34391

Philadelphia, PA 19101 Phone: (267) 283 – 1733

Contact: info@motivosmag.com

Website: www.motivosmag.com

Motivos magazine is a new bilingual resource for students and their families! Its four sections invite the reader to enjoy sharing and learning about Latino culture, navigate important issues impacting the Latino community, keep on track for college, and explore career paths.

#### **43.** Nationalities Service Center (NSC)

1215 Arch St, 4th Floor Philadelphia, PA 19107 Phone: (267) 893 – 8400 Contact: help@nscphila.org Website: www.nscphila.org

Nationalities Service Center prepares and empowers immigrants and refugees in the Philadelphia region to transcend challenging circumstances by providing comprehensive client-centered services to build a solid foundation for a self-sustaining and dignified future.

# 44. New Sanctuary Movement (NSM)

2601 Potter St.

Philadelphia, PA 19125 Phone: (267) 279 – 7060

Contact: nsm@sanctuaryphiladelphia.org Website: www.sanctuaryphiladelphia.org

New Sanctuary Movement of Philadelphia builds community across faith, ethnicity, and class in our work to end injustices against immigrants regardless of immigration status, express radical welcome for all, and ensure that values of dignity, justice, and hospitality are lived out in practice and upheld in policy.

#### 45. Norris Square Civic Association

174 Diamond St.

Philadelphia, PA 19122 Phone: (215) 426 – 8734 Contact: info@nscaphila.org Website: www.nscaphila.org

Norris Square Civic Association (NSCA) is a community development corporation founded in 1983 by a group of community women who desired to take control of their neighborhood and provide a healthy and safe environment for their children. The mission of NSCA is to empower residents to become self-reliant and to unite and build the community by developing and improving the physical, economic, social, cultural and educational aspects of the neighborhood.

# 46. Norris Square Neighborhood Project, Inc.

2141 N. Howard St. Philadelphia, PA 19122 Phone: (215) 634 – 2227

Contact: info@myneighborhoodproject.org Website: www.myneighborhoodproject.org

Norris Square Neighborhood Project is a community-driven, bilingual learning center in North Philadelphia that offers innovative youth and community programming including after school programs for youth K-8 grades, arts and media programs for youth 14 and up, urban gardening and year-round CSA for community residents of all ages.

# 47. Norris Square Senior Center

2121-37 N. Howard Street Philadelphia, PA 19122 Phone: (215) 423 – 7241

Website: http://www.pcacares.org/service\_provider/norris-square-senior-center/

Multi-service senior center funded by PCA and Catholic Social Services. The center offers congregate meals recreation trips health screening transportation education counseling programs on spirituality volunteer programs and informational resources. We offer Spanish Creole and American meals cooked fresh on site. Recreational activities include bingo pokeeno dominoes billiards arts & crafts and more.

# 48. Pennsylvania Immigration and Citizenship Coalition (PICC)

2100 Arch Street, 7th Floor Philadelphia, PA 19103 Phone: (215) 832 – 0636

Contact: admin@paimmigrant.com Website: www.paimmigrant.com

The Pennsylvania Immigration and Citizenship Coalition (PICC) is a diverse coalition of over 50 member organizations across the state. PICC leads and supports campaigns to advance immigrant rights at the local, state, and federal levels; builds immigrant electoral power through voter registration and education; supports grassroots community-led organizations through training and capacity building; and helps increase access to immigration services through the PA is Ready! project.

### 49. Philadelphia Commission on Human Relations

601 Walnut St. Suite 300 South

Philadelphia, PA 19106 Phone: (215) 686 – 4670 Contact: pchr@phila.gov

Website: http://www.phila.gov/humanrelations

Established in 1951 under the City's Home Rule Charter, the Philadelphia Commission on Human Relations (PCHR) is the local agency that enforces civil rights laws and deals with matters of inter- group conflict within the City of Philadelphia.

#### **50. Philadelphia Education Fund**

1709 Benjamin Franklin Parkway

Suite 700

Philadelphia, PA 19103 Phone: (215) 665 – 1400

Contact: info@philaedfund.org Website: www.philaedfund.org

The Philadelphia Education Fund aims to improve the quality of public education in Philadelphia and the region, so that youth are prepared for college and careers.

The Center serves adult and school-aged college-bound individuals from across the city by providing personalized college and financial aid advising, career development workshops, and SAT prep among other services.

### 51. Planned Parenthood Southeastern Pennsylvania

1144 Locust Street

Philadelphia, PA 19107 Phone: (215) 351 – 5500

Website: www.plannedparenthood.org/ppsp

Planned Parenthood Southeastern Pennsylvania is composed of a diverse team of pro-choice women and men who, on a daily basis, provide high-quality sexual health care, offer expert sexual education, and promote effective advocacy to protect our right to reproductive choice.

#### 52. Puentes de Salud

1700 South St.

Philadelphia, PA 19146 Phone: (215) 454 – 8000

Contact: puentes.de.salud@gmail.com

Volunteer Coordinators: puentes.tutor@gmail.com

Website: www.puentesdesalud.org

Puentes de Salud (Bridges of Health) is a nonprofit organization that promotes the health and wellness of South Philadelphia's rapidly growing Latino immigrant population through highquality health care, innovative educational programs, and community building.

Puentes Hacia el Futuro was developed to address the need for education support among the large and growing Mexican immigrant population in South Philadelphia. Puentes Hacia el Futuo pairs elementary and middle school children with tutors/mentors who are undergraduate/graduate students, and community professionals.

### 53. Raices Culturales Latinoamericanas

Phone: (215) 425 – 1390

Contact: info@raicesculturales.org Website: www.raicesculturales.org

Supports, promotes, and increases public awareness of Latin American cultures through

performing and visual arts, and dynamic educational programs

# 54. School District of Philadelphia

Enrollment Center Central:

440 N. Broad St. 1st Floor Rm. 1195

Philadelphia, PA 19130 Phone: 215 – 400 – 4000 Email: ask@philasd.org Website: ask.philasd.org

The School District of Philadelphia offers a full schedule of workshops for parents and families of immigrant and English language learner students including orientation to American culture, navigating School District systems, and learning about available City services.

# 55. Spanish-American Law Enforcement Association (SALEA)

PO Box 16526

Philadelphia, PA 19122 Phone: 215 – 324 – 5354 Email: salea@comcast.net Website: www.salea.org

SALEA is a Community Organization whose members consist of Active and Retired Philadelphia Police Officers and Sheriff Deputies.

### 56. Taller Puertorriqueño

2600 N. 5th St.

Philadelphia, PA 19133 Phone: 215 – 426 – 3313 Fax: 215 – 426 – 5682 Email: cfebo@tallerpr.org Website: www.tallerpr.org

Taller is a community-based cultural organization whose primary purpose is to preserve, develop, and promote Puerto Rican arts and culture traditions, grounded in the conviction that embracing one's cultural heritage is central to community empowerment. Taller is also committed to the representation and support of other Latino cultural expressions and our common roots.

### 57. Women Organized Against Rape (WOAR)

One Penn Center

1617 John F Kennedy Blvd, Suite 1100

Philadelphia, PA 19103 Phone: 215 – 985 – 3315

24 Hour Hotline: 215 – 985 – 3333

Email: info@2woar.org Website: www.woar.org

WOAR is a non-profit organization in Philadelphia, PA whose mission is to eliminate all forms of sexual violence through specialized treatment services, comprehensive prevention education programs, and advocacy for the rights of victims of sexual assault. They provide free counseling for women, men and children who have experienced sexual violence.

### 58. Youth United for Change

1910 N. Front Street Philadelphia, PA 19122 Phone: 215 – 423 – 9588 Fax: 215 – 423 – 2468

Email: info@youthunitedforchange.org Website: www.youthunitedforchange.org

Youth United for Change (YUC) is a youth-led, democratic organization made up of youth of color and working class communities, with the "people" and political power to hold school officials and government accountable to meeting the educational needs of Philadelphia public school students. This is done through a process of schoo/ community-based organizing where a diverse group of youth come together, identify common concerns in their schools/ community and act collectively on their own behalf to create strategies for whole school reforms in the Philadelphia Public School System that better meet the needs of youth of color and working class communities. YUC believes that every young person deserves a quality public education that prepares him or her for success at a 4-year university, for a living wage job, and for active participation in civic life.

### **Latin@ Media Resources**

### 1. 69 WFMZ-TV (Edición Español)

Email: noticias@wfmz.com Phone: (610) 791 – 1111

Website: www.wfmzespanol.com

#### 2. Al Dia Newspaper

1835 Market St, 4th Floor Philadelphia, PA 19103 Phone: (215) 569 – 4666

Website: www.aldianews.com

# 3. El Sol Newspaper

198 W. Chew Avenue Philadelphia, PA 19120 Phone: (215) 424 – 1200 Fax: (215) 424 – 6064

Email: elsoln1@aol.com Website: www.elsoln1.com

#### 4. EL ZOL 1340 AM Radio

1341 N. Delaware Ave, Suite 408

Philadelphia, PA 19125

Phone / Contest Line: 1 - (877) 562 - 9428

Main Office: (484) 562 – 0510

Fax: (267) 687 – 7453

Website: www.elzolphilly.com

### 5. Hispanic Yellow Pages, Inc.

198 West Chew Avenue Philadelphia, PA 19120 Phone: (215) 424 – 1200 Website: www.phillyhyp.com

The Hispanic Yellow Pages published its first directory in 1994. Each directory is packed with city, county and state data and facts. The Hispanic Yellow Pages provides full-color, quality information, including an informative section dedicated to Hispanic countries of origin. The directories highlight Hispanic owned and operated businesses that seek to reach this economically emerging segment.

### 6. <u>Impacto Latin Newspaper</u>

305 W. Oxford St.

Philadelphia, PA 19122 Phone: (267) 546 – 9090 Fax: (215) 922 – 6459

Email: info@impactolatin.com Website: www.impactolatin.com

#### 7. MEGA 105.7 FM Radio

1341 N. Delaware Avenue, Suite 509

Philadelphia, PA 19125 Phone: (215) 426 – 1900

Website: www.lamega1057.com

#### 8. Philadelphia Daily News / Philadelphia Inquirer

400 N. Broad St.

Philadelphia, PA 19130 Phone: (215) 854 – 2000 Contact: http://www.philly.com/philly/about/feedback/

Website: www.philly.com

# 9. Puerto Rican Panorama (ABC 6)

4100 City Avenue Philadelphia, PA 19131 Phone: (215) 878 – 9700

Website: www.6abc.com/puertoricanpanorama

# 10. Telemundo WWSI-TV - Digital 49

1341 N. Delaware Avenue Philadelphia, PA 19125 Phone: (215) 634 – 8862

Contact: http://www.telemundo62.com/envia-tus-comentarios

Website: www.telemundo62.com

#### 11. Univision WUVP 64

1700 Market St. Suite 1550 Philadelphia, PA 19103 Phone: (215) 569– 2800

Website: http://www.univision.com/philadelphia/wuvp

# 12. WHYY Radio | National Public Radio (NPR)

Independence Mall West

150 N. 6th Street

Philadelphia, PA 19106 Phone: (215) 351–1200 Fax: (215) 351 – 0398

Contact: talkback@whyy.org Website: www.whyy.org

### **Latin@ Politicians**

### 1. Maria Q. Sanchez, Philadelphia City Council 7th District

Phone: (215) 686-3448 Fax: (215) 686-1936

Contact: maria.q.sanchez@phila.gov

Website: http://phlcouncil.com/MariaQSanchez

### 2. Angel Cruz, PA House of Representatives

Phone: (215) 291-5643 Fax: (215) 291-5647

Contact: http://www.pahouse.com/180/Contact/

Website: http://www.pahouse.com/cruz