**A TU LADO GUIDE TO**

**COMMUNITY RESOURCES FOR IMMIGRANT FAMILIES**

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The resources included in this guide are as up to date as we can determine at this time. This resource guide is in 3 parts. (1) a general listing of resources, (2) a resources list compiled by Mary Schilli, St. Peter’s Catholic A Tu Lado group, and (3) a city/county resources list.

1. **Catholic Charities Mentor Reference Guide, 2018.** A comprehensive guide to multiple community resources—“The Mother of all Resource Guides” we’ve called it. [https://www.ccdoc.org/en/](about:blank)
2. **Mecklenburg County Public Health Community Resources Guide, 2017.** A comprehensive guide to multiple community resources published by the county. [https://www.mecknc.gov/HealthDepartment/CommunityHealthServices/Documents/CommunityResourceGuide.pdf](about:blank)
3. **Web Sites for Community Resources for Immigrant Families.** A brief listing of resources compiled by Mary Schilli, St Peter’s Catholic A Tu Lado group. (see page 2)
4. **Resource List for Charlotte Immigrant Population.** A brief listing of resources compiled by Kathryn Coiner Collier when she was working for the Charlotte Center for Legal Advocacy counseling immigrants appearing before the Immigration Court. (page 3)
5. **Central Piedmont Community College English as Second Language Classes.** [http://www.cpcc.edu/ccr/esl](about:blank)
6. **Free and Low-Cost Health Services in Mecklenburg County, 2014.** For an updated list see [https://www.freeclinics.com/co/nc-mecklenburg](about:blank).
7. **Dental Resources in Mecklenburg County, 2016.** [https://www.mecknc.gov/healthdepartment/documents/dentalresourcespamphletoctober2016.pdf](about:blank)
8. **NC Health Insurance Eligibility for Immigrants, 2018.** Published by the Charlotte Center for Legal Advocacy. [https://www.ncjustice.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/11/Immigrant-Eligibility-Insurance-Brochure-LSSP-NCJC.pdf](about:blank)
9. **Help with Food and Medical Care.** Charlotte Center for Legal Advocacy will help persons with SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) by calling 704-376-1600, ext. 3212, and with Medicaid for children by calling 855-733-3711 or go to [www.ncnavigator.net](about:blank) to schedule an appointment.
10. **Project 658 is a Christian ministry that offers multiple services for international and refugee communities:** Smith Family Wellness Center offers free medical and mental health services. The project serves meals, does seasonal clothing drives, provides programs for childcare, after school enrichment, and sports programs. The project also offers English as a second language classes, culinary arts school, and sewing classes. [https://project658.com](about:blank).
11. **Brave Step** is a nonprofit agency in Charlotte/Mecklenburg that provides support and counseling for women and men who have been sexually assaulted. [https://bravestep.org/](about:blank);



**Community Resources from Migrant Assistance Project:**

**Recursos Para Su Familia/ Resources for your Family**

This is a useful document for your partners, especially since it is in Spanish and contains a wide variety of resources. It is updated periodically and can be reached at:

[https://docs.google.com/document/d/17rijhxwpUDALi0T\_R09qk5SvQi4TO9wusyxJBOGfvtY/edit?usp=sharing](about:blank)

**Coalition for Cultural Compassion.** Provides free clothes and other items through its

Compassion Closet. Contact them at https://culturalcompassion.org/compassion-closet/

