



Assistance with Immigration-Related Issues from the National Immigrant
Justice Center

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Dear Defenders and CJA Panel Representatives:

I am writing to send a reminder about a valuable resource on immigration-related issues in your cases. You may remember that last summer we informed you of a collaborative effort we have established with the National Immigrant Justice Center (NIJC), through their Defenders Initiative, whereby NIJC committed to providing training for defenders and CJA panel attorneys, consulting with them on immigration-related issues, and producing helpful material for distribution and posting on fd.org.

The effort has gone extremely well with NIJC participating in multiple ODS training events for defender staff and CJA panel attorneys, providing materials for posting on the immigration page of fd.org, and regularly fielding calls from the field. Please forward this reminder to your staff and panel members.

NIJC can be reached by phone at 312.660.1610, by email at defenders@heartlandalliance.org, and their website is www.immigrantjustice.org.

Thanks.

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