

BIC BY THE NUMBERS

- 10,000+: Estimated number of immigrants living in Berkshire County.
- \$7,300: Amount of money made by BIC to immigrants in micro-grants for emergency funding last year.
- 1,200+: Clients BIC has helped to become US citizens since 1997.
- 728: Clients seen by our caseworkers last year. The Center assists children, seniors and families with immigration law consultations and applications for DACA, Temporary Protected Status, Green Card renewals and travel visas, plus their immigration status and finding jobs, housing and health care.
- 300-500: People (both native and foreign-born) attending our workshops & presentations annually.
- 200+: Hours of service from our more than 25 dedicated volunteers.
- 72: Countries our clients came from last year. Top 10 countries were Colombia, Ghana, Ecuador, Mexico, El Salvador, Brazil, Ivory Coast, Peru, Dominican Republic, and Guatemala.
- 43: Students enrolled in our **FREE citizenship preparation classes**.
- 27: Clients who attained US citizenship with BIC's help last year.
- 20+: Presentations, workshops and tabling by BIC staff or volunteers each year.
- 6: Staff at Center. Four are bilingual, and two are immigrants.
- 1: Berkshire Immigrant Center is **the ONLY organization in Berkshire County** dedicated solely to serving the unique needs of local immigrants. BIC is accredited by the Department of Justice to represent immigrants on federal applications.

Numbers for BIC Fiscal Year 2019 (7/1/18-6/30/19)