

# Immigrant-Focused Funds

AT FAIRFIELD COUNTY'S COMMUNITY FOUNDATION



We are pleased to announce two new field of interest funds at Fairfield County's Community Foundation with an explicit focus on our region's growing, diverse, and important immigrant communities.

Both funds are open to donations – large and small – from individual, family, and corporate donors who care about our region's immigrants and understand the power of collective giving.

## IMMIGRANT SUCCESS FUND AT FCCF

The Immigrant Success Fund at FCCF is a new field of interest fund, which will support Fairfield County and Connecticut nonprofits – via the FCCF Community Impact team's competitive grantmaking process – working to promote the economic, educational, physical, emotional, and social well-being of immigrant families in Fairfield County. Specifically, the Immigrant Success Fund will:

- Support strategic grantmaking to immigrant-serving nonprofits;
- Focus on high-priority issues such as healthcare, education, and employment;
- Support immigrants currently and formerly separated from their families;
- Underwrite convenings to increase community and stakeholder knowledge about immigrant issues and solutions; and
- Ensure maximum impact of your donation by requiring that grantmaking decisions are supported by data and evidence-based best practices.

The criteria for funding organizations will be refined once the Community Foundation's new immigrant support strategies are approved by the FCCF Board of Directors in June 2020.

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