

The mission of *Myanmar Community of the USA, Inc.* is to assist Myanmar new immigrants and residents with limited English proficiency to integrate into mainstream community.

### *Education and English proficiency*

#### **MCUSA provides**

- ◆ Basic ESL preparation class
- ◆ Phonetic
- ◆ Spoken English / daily expression
- ◆ Seminars

#### **Ongoing Free ESL Class**

MCUSA offers **absolutely free** pre-ESL class to Myanmar Adults. The course covers **Grammar , Phonetic, and Daily Spoken English**. We strongly encourage new comers and immigrants to enroll. For more information call Education Director at (650) 992-5807

#### **Class Schedule**

Every Sunday, 2:00 PM to 6:00 PM  
(for 20 weeks)  
at  
Scanlan Hall,  
St. Thomas More Catholic Church  
(at Brotherhood Way)  
1300 Junipero Serra Boulevard  
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Legal Aids Society of San Mateo County

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#### **Legal Aid and Social Services Referral Assistance**

*Incorporated in July 21, 2003*

#### **Myanmar Community USA, Inc.**

*A non-profit public benefit corporation  
Working for the Myanmar Community*

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**MCUSA** is committed to serving the Myanmar community-based associations and residents with the professional legal aids, health and social services referral assistance.

**MCUSA** provides services in English, Myanmar and Chinese languages to the Myanmar community.

*We are not lawyers and we do not give legal advice. We provide referral to other agencies for professional assistance.*

**MCUSA** will work collaboratively with Catholic Charity, Interfaith Coalition for Immigrant Rights (**ICIR**), Legal Assistance for Seniors (**LAS**), Bay Area Legal Aid (**BayLegal**), Asian Pacific Islanders Legal Outreach (**APILO**) and Asian Americans for Community Involvement's Asian Women's Home (**AACI**), etc. **MCUSA** provides legal aid and social services referral assistance to Myanmar community.

**MCUSA** provides referral assistance to other agencies and service providers for professional assistance, intake and assessment for application, consultation, educational workshops, and prevention activities. Services are free to those receiving public benefits or who are low income. They are also offered on a sliding fee scale charged by the other agencies and service providers.

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## **Information and Referral Services**

### *Immigration and Naturalization*

- Immigration rights workshop
- Naturalization petitions
- Citizenship inquiries
- Family based petitions

### *Human Services*

- CalWorks, GA
- SSDI, SSI
- CAPI
- Food Stamps
- Unemployment Insurance
- Welfare-to-work programs

### *Domestic Violence*

**MCUSA** provides Legal Aids Referral Assistance to community members, not only in seeking legal protections, but also restraining orders.

- Marital terminations / Divorce filings
- Custody and visitation orders
- At-risk or abuse children
- Family support, Adoptions
- VAWA self-petitions
- Guardianship
- And other family law

### *Domestic Violence Prevention Collaborative*

This is for young and adults to change attitudes, beliefs, and behaviors against women. Workshops, media projects, and internet activities developed by **MCUSA** promote an intolerance of violence

## *Health Care*

- Medi-cal and Denti-cal
- Medicare
- Healthy Families program
- In-Home support Services
- Mental Health

## *Senior Law and Referral Assistance*

It advances the independence and dignity of older persons by securing legal rights, protections, and entitlements. Service areas include

- Elder abuse
- Long term care
- Estate planning
- Wills, trusts, powers of attorney
- Seniors subsidized rental housing

*Please detach and send to*

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- **Enclosed is my tax-deductible donation of \$\_\_\_\_\_.(Please Make check payable to MCUSA.)**

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