



Ayuda's Welcome Breakfast

September 20, 2018 | 8:00 am to 9:30 am

The Hamilton Live: 600 14th Street, NW, Washington DC 20005

This is a free event. You are invited to bring a friend.

More than one million of our neighbors in Maryland, Virginia, and Washington DC moved here from abroad with dreams of a better future. From the teenage boy who fled violence and death threats, to the mother who received a work visa from a local farm. These immigrants go to our children's schools, provide essential skills for our businesses, and are vibrant members of our diverse communities. Yet, all too often, our neighbors do not receive equal levels of justice and protection.

Now more than ever, many immigrants—especially low-income immigrants—feel exceedingly vulnerable and scared, and are not sure where to turn. With the help of supportive friends and organizations, Ayuda stands with them by providing legal, social, and language access services that help rebuild and restore their lives. With more than 45 years of experience, Ayuda secures justice and vital resources for immigrant women, men, children, and families.

Ayuda's invites YOU to join its 2018 Welcome Breakfast for an interactive conversation with Ayuda's former clients, staff attorneys and social workers, board members, donors, and other supportive friends. This event is free for all participants.

At the Welcome Breakfast, you will:

- Learn the day-to-day challenges and struggles faced by low-income immigrants.
- Hear from Ayuda past and current clients with stories of their journeys.
- Discover the various ways Ayuda's professional staff –attorneys, social workers, language interpreters—are helping immigrants access justice.
- Meet dedicated volunteers who have made a profound difference in the lives of immigrants.
- Network with current supporters and donors who value Ayuda's mission as their own.
- Be invited to share your time, talent, and treasure to support Ayuda's work.

“Because of you, immigrants like me no longer fear deportation, abuse, threats, or wage theft; can access benefits and live to our full potential as human beings.” –

Danny Guingab, Former human-trafficking client

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