



Legal Outreach

Winter 2024



2024 Snapshots

Diversity, Equity, Inclusion = Justice
49th Anniversary Gala featuring Attorney General Rob Bonta

Preventing Elder Abuse with District Attorney Brooke Jenkins & our staff, Linda Li & Nicholas Ong

Resignation is Unacceptable!

Many of our communities will endure much more suffering during the next four+ years which means we must prepare to fight oppression and injustice for many more years to come. There is no victory or defeat, no retirement, no moving on; there are just tomorrow's challenges. We must be an antidote for the actions and words of misogyny, bigotry and hatred coming from those who will run this country. Please take the time during the holidays to care for yourselves, enjoy friends, family, and appreciate the community spirit. And, shop with suspicion; what types of businesses are taking your money? Do we really need X (formerly twitter), Amazon, and Facebook that each donated at least \$1 million to the 2025 inauguration? At least let them know the betrayal we feel from such support of those who would excuse sexual assault, promote racial violence, and call us criminals.

As we approach the holidays, take time to appreciate your mothers, sisters, nieces, aunts, daughters, partners, and friends for their unparalleled strengths and wisdom as women. Work to promote their power, self-esteem, and right to be free from assault and violence. Talk to your Muslim, African American, Latinx, and LGBTQ+ friends and relatives about our common histories, our commitments to stand with them, as few stood with us in the darkest days of American history. They are us and we are them. Let's take this time to redouble of our strengths, our resolve, and our commitments to each other.

We express our sincerest gratitude for the support you have given us over these years. Together, we can make 2025 not just a year of struggle, but one of resilience and hope. The struggle continues...we have so much work to do!

On behalf of our Staff & Board,
Dean Ito Taylor
Executive Director

Give Back

Support Our Services

- Violence Against Women-GBV Project
- Senior & Disability Rights Project
- Immigrant Rights Project
- Housing Rights Project
- Anti-Trafficking Collaborative of the Bay Area
- Elder Abuse Prevention Program
- Anti-API Hate Violence Project
- Youth Advisory Council
- API Small Business Recovery Program

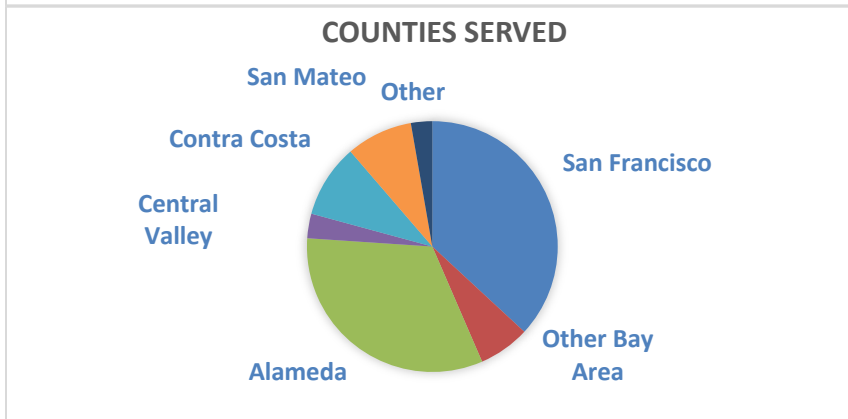
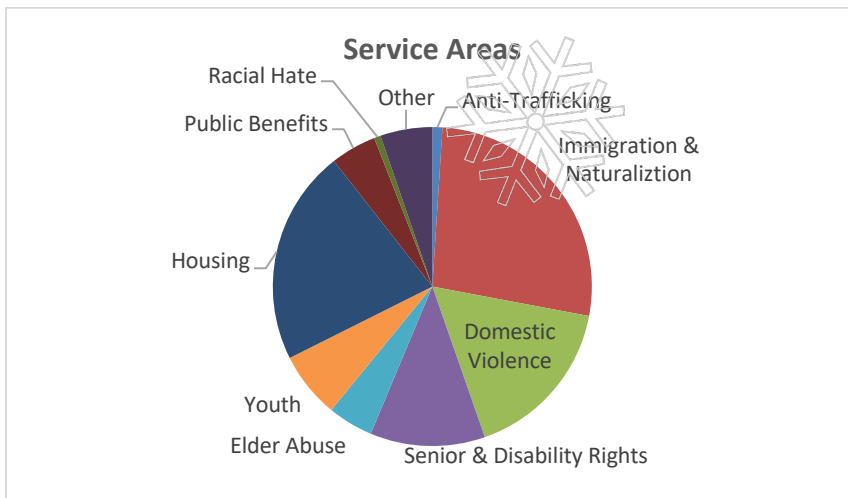
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WHO WE ARE

API Legal Outreach works to break down barriers in a legal system that have historically barred communities of color and immigrant communities from the justice they deserve. We confront the daily struggles of those denied the basic rights and benefits of this society—and we do so by working directly **in the community, as a part of the community.**

From our offices in San Francisco and Oakland, we work **in shared cultures and languages to provide holistic culturally competent legal and social services, education, and outreach to those who need services the most.**

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API Legal Outreach languages include: Bahia Indonesia, Cantonese, Chiu-Chow, Dari, Farsi, Hindi, Ilocano, Japanese, Korean, Mandarin, Spanish, Tagalog, Taiwanese, Toisan, Turkish, and Vietnamese, plus Bengali, Burmese, Fijian, French, Khmer, Lao/Mien, Mam, Nepali, Portuguese, Punjabi, Russian, Swahili, Taishanese, Telugu, Thai, Tongan, and Urdu.