# Upstate NY Workers Center Alliance

## Referral Sheet

**Empire Justice Center**

- **Phone:** 585 454 4060
- **Website:** empirejustice.org
- **Address:** 1 West Main Street, Suite 200, Rochester, NY 14614

Empire Justice Center’s Workers’ Rights Project provides direct legal representation to workers in wage theft cases and other employment matters, engages in policy advocacy work to improve labor laws, and conducts community outreach and education in support of workers and workers’ centers.

**Northeast NY Coalition for Occupational Safety and Health (NENYCOSH)**

- **Website:** nenycosh.org
- **Facebook:** facebook.com/nenycosh
- **Address:** PO Box 38098, Albany, NY 12203

- Workplace health and safety trainings
- Information on resources around workers’ rights, workers’ comp, and occupational injuries/illness
- Advocacy around workers’ rights issues
- Technical support to local organizations and unions around workplace health and safety

**Occupational Health Clinical Center**

- **Phone:** 315 432 8899
- **Website:** ohocupstate.org
- **Address:** 6712 Brooklawn Parkway, Suite 204, Syracuse, NY 13211

- Member of the New York State Occupational Health Clinic Network. Provides high quality occupational medicine services, specializing in diagnosis, treatment, and prevention of occupational diseases
- Staffed by physicians with a specialty in occupational medicine and expertise in epidemiology and toxicology
- Network clinics work in close collaboration with other disciplines, including industrial hygiene, health education, social work and public health

**Tompkins County Workers’ Center (TCWC)**

- **Phone:** 607 269 0409
- **Website:** TCWRH@tcworkerscenter.org
- **Address:** 115 E. Martin Luther King, Jr. St., Ithaca, NY 14850

- Providing confidential information, organizing strategies, assistance and referrals to all those who are treated unfairly at work, including concerted actions or complaints to US/NY Departments of Labor
- Organizing for a Living Wage for All Workers
- Managing Living Wage Employer Certification for Tompkins County employers
- Providing Occupational Safety and Health (OSH) training to any and all workers and OSH advice for employers
- Networking for labor unions in the Fingerlakes/Southern Tier
- Supporting workplace organizing for all workers

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### MIDSTATE COSH

- 607 275 9560
- [midstatecosh.org](http://midstatecosh.org)
- 701 W. State St. Ithaca, NY 14850

- Provides workplace health & safety training and advocacy in the Southern Tier
- As a collaborative effort, along with Empowerment by Design, provides workplace ergonomic health and safety assessments and training for individual clients and employees
- Teens Lead @ Work provides teen-led safety & health and workers’ rights trainings to young employees
- Conducts farmworker, immigrant and low-wage worker outreach, including safety & health training & organizing for change

### WNYCOSH WORKER CENTER

- Worker Hotline 716 206 3550
- [wnycosh.org](http://wnycosh.org)
- 2495 Main Street, Suite 438 Buffalo, NY 14214

- Legal assistance with workers’ comp, workers’ rights, and wage theft
- Organizing assistance
- Language access services (Spanish, Karen, Arabic, Nepali, Burmese, Vietnamese, French, Somali, Swahili, Tigrinya, Amharic, Bengali, Mandarin)

### WORKERS’ CENTER OF CENTRAL NEW YORK IN SYRACUSE

- 315 218 5708
- [workerscny.org](http://workerscny.org)
- 2013 E. Genesee Street Syracuse, NY 13210

Through community organizing, leadership development, popular education and policy advocacy, the Workers’ Center of Central New York empowers low-wage workers to combat workplace abuses and improve wages and working conditions throughout the community. The Workers’ Center facilitates worker empowerment and leadership development through trainings related to workers’ rights and occupational health and safety, orchestrates campaigns to combat wage theft and to promote employer compliance with the law, and engages in organizing and coalition-building to push for policies that will increase wages and workplace standards and promote human rights. [from web - need their approval]

### WORKER JUSTICE CENTER OF NEW YORK

#### KINGSTON

- P: 845 331 6615
- F: 845 331 6617
- [wjcny.org](http://wjcny.org)
- 9 Main Street Kingston, NY 12401

- Representation for wage theft, employment discrimination, migrant/seasonal farmworker claims, seasonal H2A and H2B worker claims, civil trafficking, U and T visas, VAWA applications, and other immigration matters
- Support for filing complaints for wage theft, workplace discrimination, health and safety violations, and other labor law violations
- Case management support for victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, and human trafficking
- Advocacy pertaining to immigrant and worker rights

NOTE: The Rochester office does not do the “other immigration matters,” only U & T visas and VAWAs