

Asian American & Pacific Islander

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Asian American LEAD

AALEAD's overarching goal is to increase the opportunities and ability of low-income Asian American children to move out of poverty and become successful, self-sufficient adults. AALEAD firmly believes that education is the key to meeting this goal. However, AALEAD understands that children need additional family, school, and personal support, not just academic assistance, to succeed. Consequently, AALEAD uses a five-pronged approach to youth development, offering each child after school intervention in a safe space, mentoring, family support and educational advocacy.

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Association of Vietnamese Americans

AVA is a non-profit organization that serves the needs of low-income immigrant families and seniors. AVA works to empower the Vietnamese American community to live healthy, happy, successful lives by providing direct services to families with school-aged children, isolated seniors, and new immigrants. Direct services focus on family relationships and education, healthcare and access to government services, and naturalization. Students are needed for assistance with mentorship, web design, grants, office support, and special events planning/staffing. Knowledge of Vietnamese is useful for other tasks like transportation, visiting seniors, research & surveying, teaching English, and interpretation/translation.

Contact: (301) 588-6862 / <u>www.avaus.org</u>

8121 Georgia Ave, Suite 503, Silver Spring, MD 20910

Hmong National Development, Inc.

Hmong National Development, Inc. (HND) is a national non-profit organization dedicated to building capacity, developing leadership, and empowering the Hmong American community. HND envisions a vibrant Hmong American community leading in educational achievement, economic development, civic engagement, and social justice.

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1322 18th St NW, Washington, DC 20036

SAALT- South Asian Americans Leading Together

The South Asian American Leaders of Tomorrow (SAALT) is a national non-profit organization dedicated to ensuring the full and equal participation by South Asians in the civic and political life of the United States. SAALT's goals are to: Provide a uniform and informed voice on issues affecting South Asians that relate to equality and civil rights, develop South Asian Coalitions that transcend religious, ethnic, or linguistic differences, to facilitate collective action and broader community change, and create opportunities for leadership, service, and volunteerism by South Asians in order to foster civic engagement.

Contact: (301) 270-1855 / info@saalt.org / www.saalt.org

6930 Carroll Avenue, Suite 506, Takoma Park, MD 20912

Vietnamese-American Community Service Center

The center helps to empower the Vietnamese community and integrate them into mainstream American culture we offer many resources for the family, for both adults and children. The center has an after-school program called the Safe Place for Learning (SPL) program, where children receive assistance with academics, learn computer skills, and socialize. Many neighborhood and social awareness workshops for parents are offered. Finally, Youth Mentoring Program (YMP) for our most at-risk youth is available.

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