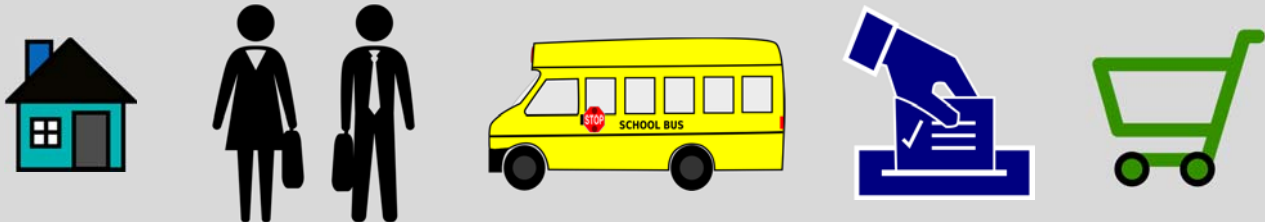


Real Facts & Figures about IMMIGRATION IN ALAMEDA COUNTY

Alameda County is home to over 525,000 immigrants who live, work, attend school, vote, and engage in everyday activities.



immigrants =

Naturalized U.S. citizens

Lawful permanent residents
(green card holders)

Temporary migrants
(such as foreign students)

Humanitarian migrants
(including refugees/asylees)

Other foreign-born residents
(who were not U.S. citizens at birth)

Nearly 1 in 3 residents
is an immigrant.



Immigrants come from
all over the world.

Asia (62%)
Latin America (26%)
Europe (7%)
Africa (2%)
Oceania (2%)
Northern America (1%)

Roughly 3 out of 4
immigrants are
documented.



129,500
undocumented
immigrants in 2013

Over **1,600**
unaccompanied
immigrant youth
since 2013

Immigrants are integral
to the social fabric of
this county & nation.



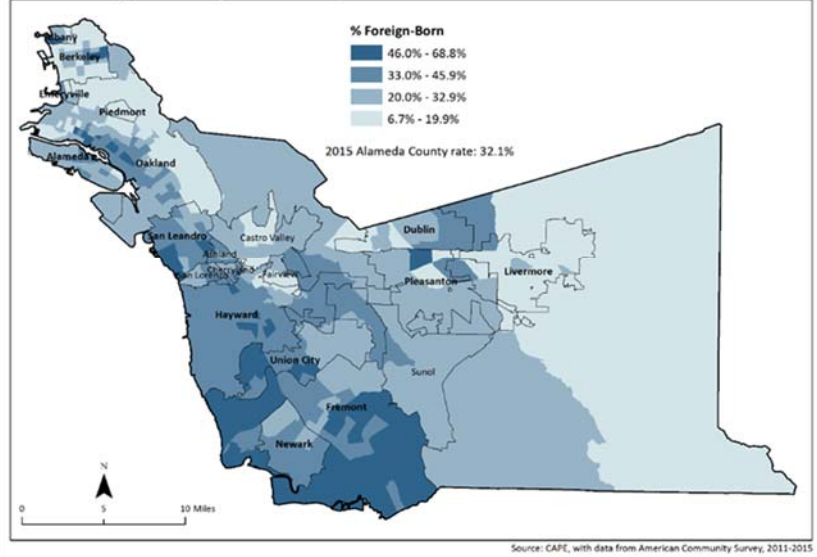
Over 3 out of 5 immigrants
have been living in the U.S.
for 17 or more years.



Over 1 in 2 children
live in families
with at least one parent
who is an immigrant.



Percentage Foreign-Born by Census Tract



Immigrants make up over 1 in 2 people living in Union City and Fremont.

Immigrants make up over 1 in 3 people living in Hayward, San Leandro, Ashland, Cherryland, Newark, and San Lorenzo.

Immigrants contribute to the local, state, and national economy as:

- Workers
- Job creators
- Tax payers
- Homeowners
- Consumers

Close to 2 out of 5 workers in the civilian labor force are immigrants.



More than 1 in 3 homeowners is an immigrant.



Immigrants account for over 1 in 4 workers in all industries of the civilian labor force, including both low-skill and high-skill industries.

Here are a few examples.

53%
of manufacturing
civilian labor force

47%
of construction
civilian labor force

31%
of education,
healthcare, and
social assistance
civilian labor force

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2015 and 2011-2015; U.S. Census Bureau, "About Foreign-Born Population", 2016; Public Policy Institute of California, "Undocumented Immigrants in California", 2017; U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office of Refugee Resettlement, "Unaccompanied Children Released to Sponsors by County FY14-FY17; Oct 2013-April 2017.

Note: Statistics in this fact sheet are based on current available data/estimates. Immigrants are a hard-to-count population and official reported estimates are often an undercount.

