

Haverford Township Human Relations Commission Statement on Immigrant & Citizen Rights Resources

The Haverford Human Relations Commission's role is to guarantee fair and equal treatment under the law to all people of the Township, and is comprised of seven volunteer members who are appointed by the Board of Commissioners. The Commission works to educate the community about civil rights protections, encourage dialogue across diverse perspectives and provide a local forum for residents to raise concerns related to discrimination or bias.

Consistent with this responsibility, and in alignment with Pennsylvania law, the HHRC provides the following resources to ensure that all residents, regardless of immigration status, understand their rights, have access to accurate information, and know where to seek assistance when needed. The Commission recognizes that immigration enforcement actions can have far-reaching impacts not only on undocumented individuals, but also on all US citizens, lawful permanent residents, and mixed-status families. The HHRC stands with all of our community in ensuring that all individuals in Haverford township feel a sense of belonging and support, consistent with our Welcoming Township Resolution authored in July of 2025 and affirmed in the HHRC Resolution on Immigrant and Citizen Rights passed in August 13, 2025. The HHRC stands against actions that sow fear, separate families, or discourage residents from seeking medical care, education, or public safety support.

Providing reliable, legally grounded resources is one way the Township fulfills its obligation to protect human dignity, public safety, and equal access to community.