



universal
representation



Oregon's prosperity

Oregon is an immigrant state & immigrants
are key to our collective prosperity



Mass deportation & incarceration

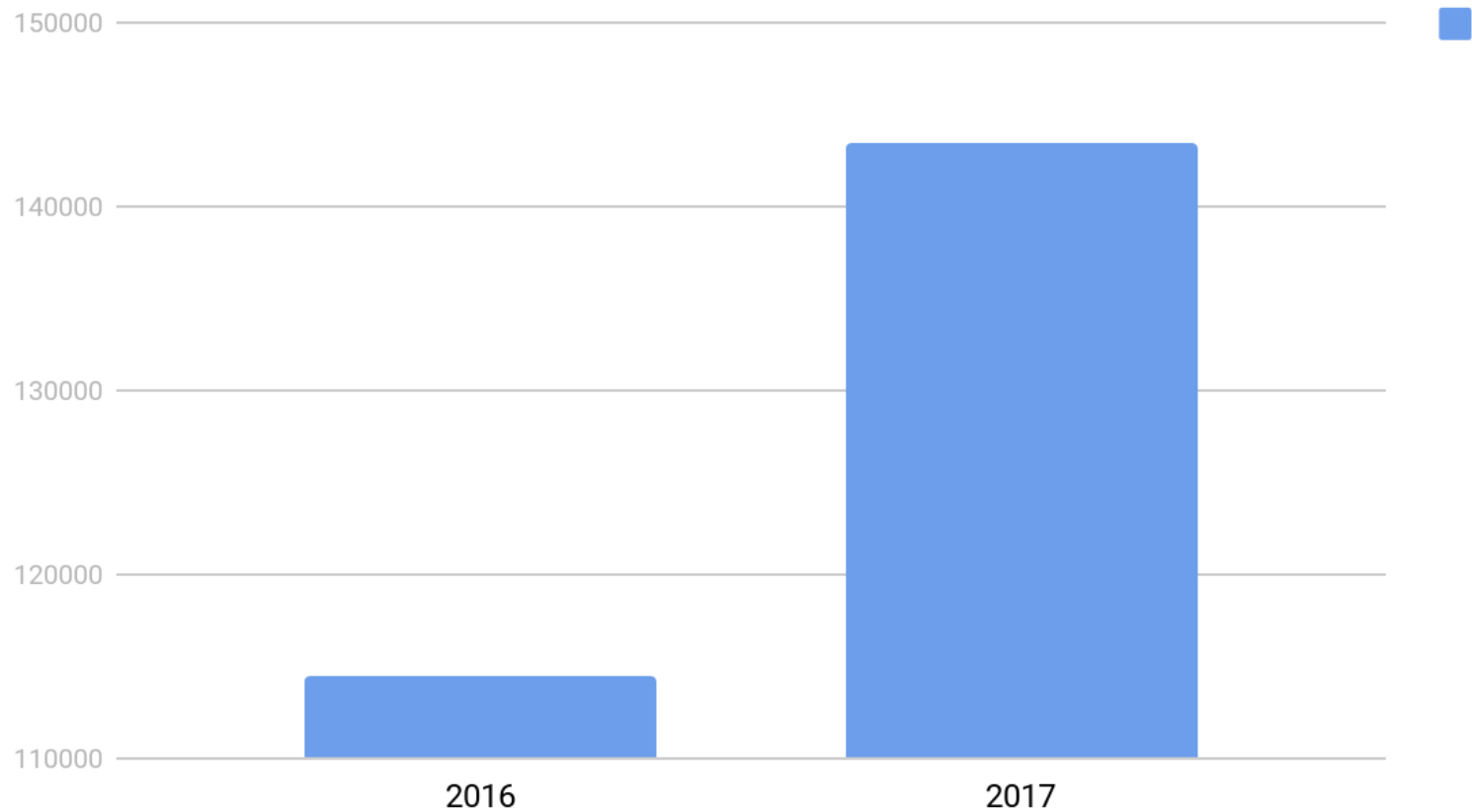
Unjust Deportations

Members of community, asylum-seekers...Oregonians are deported

Unfair Deportations

System is designed to maximize deportations; asymmetrical

ICE Arrests 2016 v 2017



Universal Representation

**Lawyers correlate with
preventing unfair & unjust
deportations**

Info reviewed

MEETINGS

- 11/ 10
- 11/ 28,
- 12/ 6,
- 12/ 12

SITE VISITS

- San Francisco AOD - Jan 2017
- NYIFUP Initial - Nov 2017
- Immigrant Justice Corp - Dec 2017
- NYIFUP Follow Up - Dec 2017
- Seattle - proposed Jan 2018
- Houston - Feb 2018
- Atlanta - proposed Jan 2018

INTERVIEWS

- LA Justice Fund (recipient) - Dec 2017
- LA Justice Fund (recipient) - Jan 2018
- LA Justice Fund (recipient) - Jan 2018
- LA Justice Fund (LA office immigrant affairs) - Jan 2018
- LA Justice Fund (Ca. Leg, Office of Speaker of House) - Jan 2018
- LA Justice Fund (Vera consultants) - TBD
- Immigrant Justice Corps (executive team) - Jan 2018
- Seattle (NWIRP)



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- NY Immigrant Representation Study, *Accessing Justice: The Availability and Adequacy of Counsel in Immigration Proceedings* (Dec. 2011)
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- City of Santa Ana, *SAFE Cities Network Re-grant, Request for Proposals* (Aug 2017)
- King County, Office of Immigrant and Refugee Affairs, *Immigrant Legal Defense and Community Navigation RFP Q&A* (June 2017)
- Silicon Valley Community Foundation, *Requests for Proposals, Immigration: Ensuring the Safety and Security of Immigrants* (May 2017)
- City and County of San Francisco, Office of Civic Engagement & Immigrant Affairs, *Request for Proposals: Immigrant Assistance Programs Grants* (March 2016)
- City of Santa Ana, *Approval of an Appropriation Adjustment for an Immigration Legal Defense Fund* (June 2017) (Vera Letter of Intent)
- Ca. Community Fund, *LA Justice Fund, Request for Proposals webinar*, (July 15, 2017)
- Ca. Community Fund, *LA Justice Fund, Request for Proposals application* (May 2017)
- Weingart Foundation, *\$7.4 Million Awarded to 17 Legal Nonprofit Organizations to Provide Free Legal Representation* (Nov. 2017)
- Human Resources Working Group, *Administrative Relief, Sclaring Immigration Legal Services Up to Meet the Challenge* (2016)
- CIRI, *Community Navigator Training Module 1: Background & Introduction to Community Navigators*

service model



NAVIGATE



SCREEN



SORT



SUPPORT



PLACE



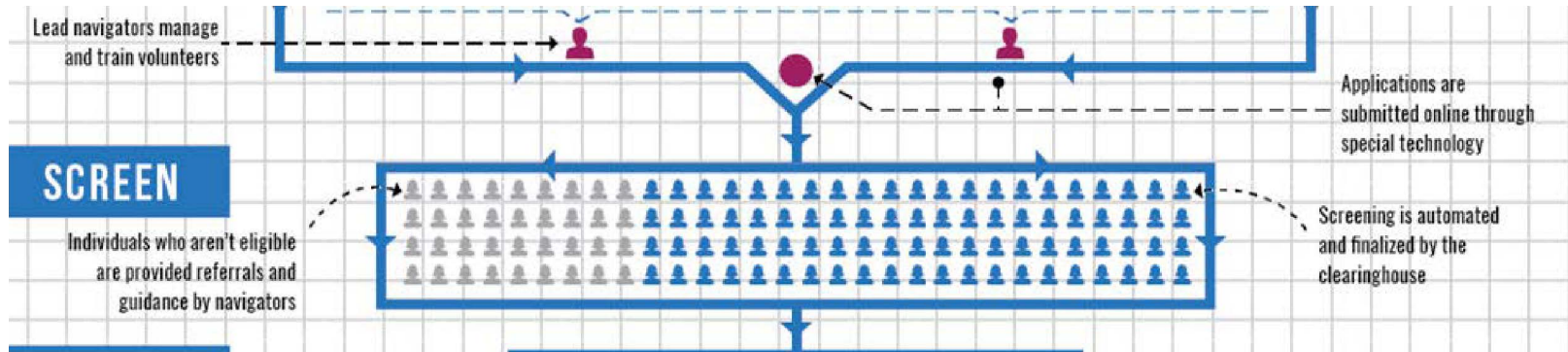
DEFEND

Lead Navigators (staff) train and manage Community Navigators (volunteers). Together, they conduct public workshops, community education, and provide assistance in knowing rights. Navigators assist in making online applications for representation which can take 45 minutes to complete although it may take several hours to assemble the documents and information. Navigators build & steward community relationships.

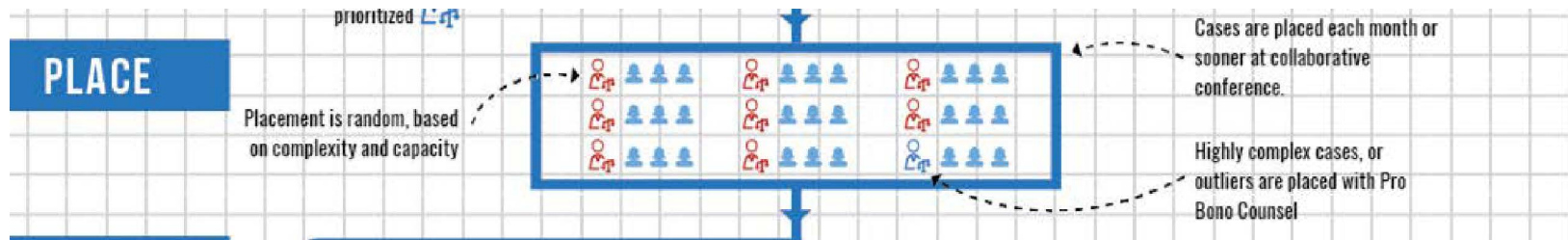


NAVIGATE

Clearinghouse software automates the screening process. Individuals are ineligible if (a) earn more than 200%FPG, (b) have no connection with Oregon, (c) are eligible for service through other similar program (e.g., trafficking victims). Ineligibilities will be reviewed by a Clearinghouse expert. Navigators close the relationship by providing seamless referrals. Eligible individuals are added to the case pool.

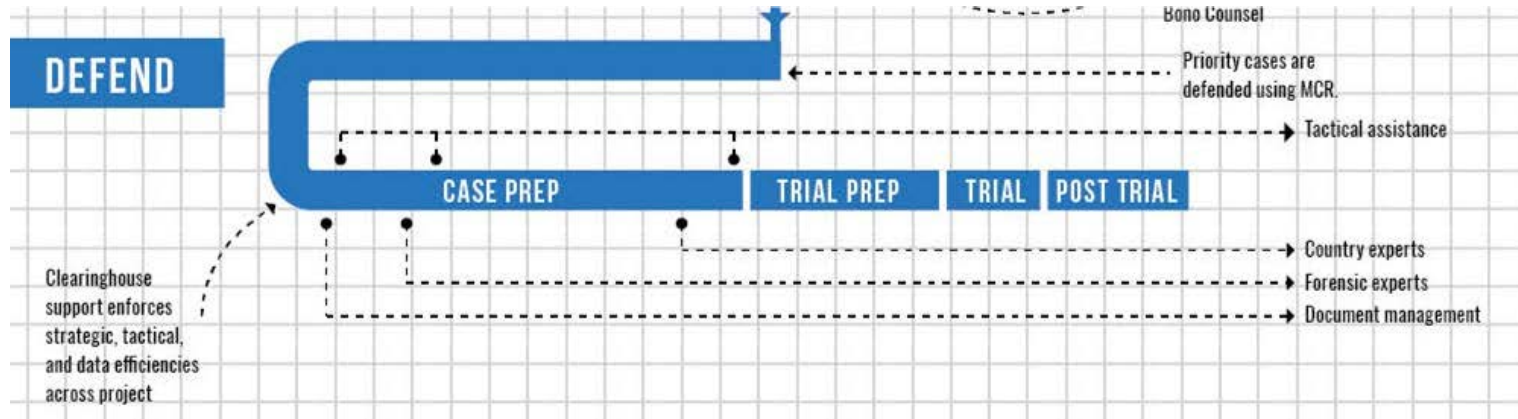


All active fellows participate in periodic conferences where case placement decisions are made. Fellows are queued in a random order and priority cases are assigned with due consideration given to the complexity ranking. Fellows can negotiate placements when doing so furthers strategy or tactics. Caseloads are capped per fellow. All priority cases are placed until capacity is exhausted. Outlier cases are placed with pro bono partners who participate in the collaborative conference.



PLACE

Using Massive Collaborative Representation, Fellows defend individuals in merits proceedings or related proceedings.



DEFEND



rights
architecture



4 **Immigrant Defense**
Defend immigrants against deportation in the immigration court and rapid removal forums.



Zone 4

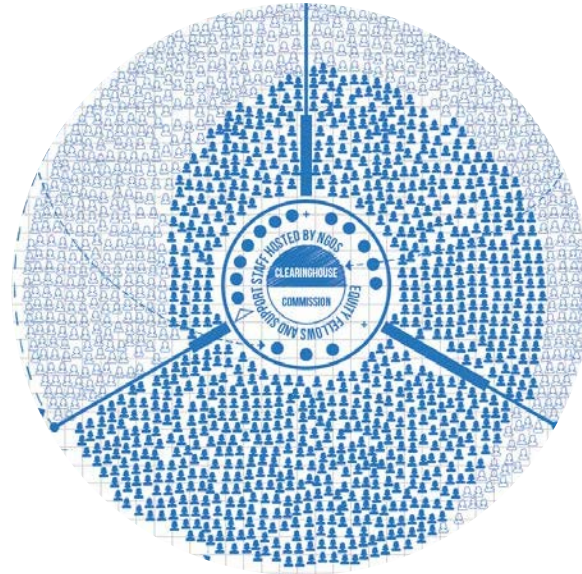
Scale for Equity



Massive Collaborative Representation

Creates Equity Counter-structure
to Mass Deportation

Every Oregonian who should win,
does win, every time.

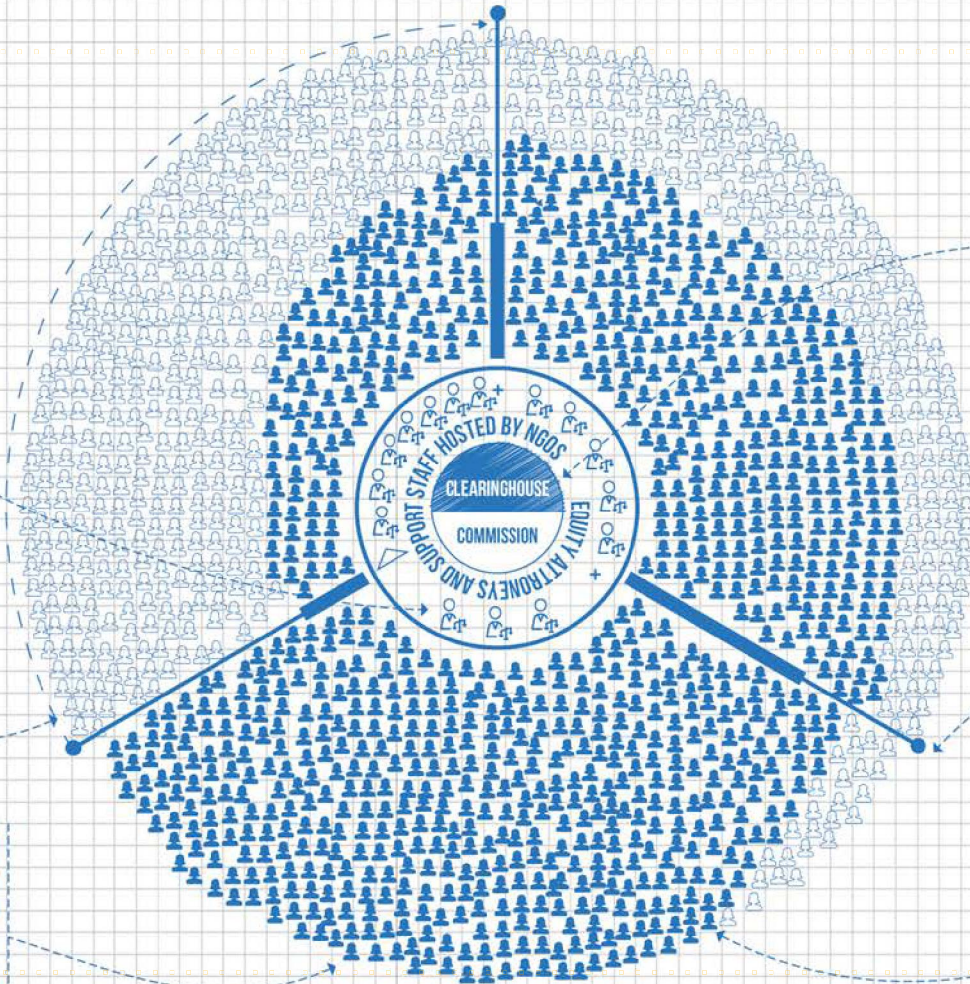


Equity attorneys are hosted at local nonprofits with experience defending against unfair deportations.

YEAR 1

Oregon's collective prosperity depends on immigrant contributions. 1 in 10 Oregonians is an immigrant.

With an attorney, 73% of immigrants prevail against an unfair deportation. Data shows that without attorney representation, Oregonians with a lawful right to remain are being deported.



A centralized clearinghouse supports the host organizations and equity attorneys with technology, data analytics, and legal support to maximize efficiencies and successful case outcomes.

YEAR 2

This 3-year pilot project reaches scale in the 3d year. Equity Corps provides universal representation to income-eligible immigrants.

Immigrants in Oregon contribute \$780 million dollars in taxes and wield \$7.4 billion dollars in spending power.

YEAR 3



Discussion