



IRENE MORALES

After 34 years as the Executive Director at Inland Counties Legal Services (ICLS), Irene Morales retired. ICLS's mission is to provide free civil legal services to the indigent of Riverside and San Bernardino Counties. In 1976 Irene began working as a Reginald Heber Smith Fellow at ICLS after graduating from the University of California at Los Angeles, Law School (UCLA). She became the Managing Attorney of the ICLS Riverside Branch Office until her appointment as the Executive Director in 1983. She has served on community boards, organizations and commissions to promote the interests of low-income residents of the Inland Empire. Through her leadership with unprecedented cuts and restrictions in programs and the ability to provide services through national funding, ICLS expanded services for the residents of a service area the approximate size of the State of Connecticut. For her undergraduate studies, she attended UCLA and University of California at Riverside (UCR) where she attained a Bachelor's degree in Mexican-American Studies and Sociology.