

Champion of Justice Award Recipient



AXA XL's volunteering and charitable giving programs are designed to help colleagues support causes that matter most to them and to contribute to the needs of their communities. Since the inception in 2006, AXA XL colleagues have performed approximately 375,000 hours

of community service for hundreds of non-profits worldwide. And since the company's legal pro bono program was established in 2017, AXA XL employees have volunteered over 1,200 hours with a range of nonprofit organizations.

AXA XL's partnership with Access Justice Brooklyn during their Annual Global Day of Giving represents the best of our pro bono model. We have engaged over three dozen lawyers and staff in pro bono over the course of four years in a variety of practice areas from advance life directives to family stabilization.

Most recently, on June 7, 2023, Access Justice Brooklyn hosted an in-person clinic for eight AXA XL volunteers and two interns who generously donated their time in support of our Family Stabilization services. Under the mentorship of staff, volunteers assisted five of our clients to prepare and file their initial divorce papers with the Kings County Clerk.

Most people, especially those with low incomes, cannot afford to retain a private matrimonial attorney, and few free legal services programs exist to handle divorces in New York. Access Justice Brooklyn's Pro Se Uncontested Divorce Clinic minimizes the stress involved in the divorce process and helps Brooklynites complete the process sooner than they could otherwise.

Thank you to AXA XL for their continued commitment to justice and helping Brooklynites regain stability so they may begin rebuilding their lives.

We also extend our appreciation and heartfelt thanks to AXA XL's Regional Grant Program – a program that has generously supported Access Justice Brooklyn's work for three years, and recently committed a new two-year grant directed to our family stabilization services.