

AN IMMIGRATION RESOURCE LIST

GENERAL RESOURCE LIST

Resources on Immigrants' Rights

<u>LITERACY ASSISTANCE CENTER</u> (Only Accessible with Google Browser or Chrome)

This list provides links to useful resources in a wide range of areas including: (1) groups monitoring and involved with national and local immigration policy and actions; (2) 2025 policy info and updates; (3) campaigns; (4) Know Your Rights resources; (5) legal resources; (6) educational resources; (7) mutual aid; (8) self/community care resources; and (9) additional resource guides. This document is regularly updated.

USEFUL APPS

Immigrant Raid Response

The MinKwon Center for Community Action & The National Korean American Services and Education Consortium

This app allows an immigrant, whether they speak English or not, to play a pre-recorded message articulating their rights to immigration officers by pressing a button. The recording states "I am exercising my legal rights. I choose to remain silent. I refuse to answer your questions. If I am detained, I have the right to contact a lawyer immediately. I will not sign any documents without first consulting my attorney." The app is currently available in 18 languages. To download, see below.

For IPhone Users: Search "Know Your Rights 4 Immigrants" in the app store.

For Android Users: Search "KYR 4 Immigrants" on Google Play or <u>Download Here</u>

INFORMATION FOR PROTECTING IMMIGRANT STUDENTS

Immigrant Student and Family Resources

UNITED FEDERATION OF TEACHERS

With multiple links and resources, this web page provides various sources of information all geared toward protecting immigrant students.

New York State Guidance on Safeguarding the rights of Immigrant Students

OFFICE OF THE NEW YORK STATE ATTORNEY GENERAL

This guidance highlights and clarifies relevant resources for school districts regarding their obligations to immigrant students under state and federal law. While the guidance does not address local policies that may afford additional protections, school districts should be aware of all policies governing their operations. To the extent questions arise regarding compliance, school districts can contact the New York State Education Department or the New York State Attorney General.

Safe Schools for Every Students: A Comprehensive Guide of Action

INDIVISBLE (Link Requires either Chrome Browser or Google Account)

This guide lays out a comprehensive plan for action, helping groups safeguard immigrant children in their communities. It provides detailed steps, legal insights, model policies, and ready-to-use outreach materials to provide a framework to challenge ICE's overreach, empower school staff, and protect families.

FREE TAX INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE

Income Tax Filing Resource Center

NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION AND FINANCE

Free Tax Prep Services

ACCESS NYC I NYC DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AND WORKER PROTECTION

These two resources, the first provided by New York State and the second by New York City, provide free tax resources for any New Yorker regardless of immigration status. It provides information on deadlines, eligibility, and necessary documents.

GUIDANCE FOR NONPROFITS

Guidance to Nonprofits Regarding Immigration Enforcement

NEW YORK LAWYERS FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST

This updated guidance designed for nonprofits outlines best practices for assisting and protecting immigrant clients amidst heightened immigration enforcement. The guide provides practical advice on how to deal with specific scenarios like: (1) what happens if ICE comes to you nonprofit; (2) how can nonprofits manage staff and clients during immigration enforcement actions; and (3) what should nonprofits do if they receive an ICE subpoena.

INFORMATION ON IMMIGRANTS AND FOOD BANKS

Agency Resource: Supporting and Serving Undocumented Communities

FOOD LIFELINE

This resource provides information for food banks and other food providers about what ICE can and cannot do at food banks, how to prepare, best practices for continuing to serve immigrant communities, and how to reach clients who are too frightened to come to a physical location.

An Overview of Immigrant Rights for Food Bank Member Agencies

RHODE ISLAND COMMUNITY FOOD BANK

This document, part of the Rhode Island Community Food Bank's *All Are Welcome* Campaign, provides immigration law information as it pertains to guests of food assistance programs. It communicates the rights of immigrants, program staff and volunteers.

Can ICE Immigration Officers Question and Arrest People at Food Banks and Partner Agencies? Know Your Rights, Understand ICE's Authority

FEEDING AMERICA

This resource provides information on exactly what ICE can and cannot do at food banks. It also provides information on how to defend immigrant rights and the rights of those staffing food banks and food assistance providers.

INFORMATION ON SPECIFIC IMMIGRATION POLICIES

Factsheet: Trump's Rescission of Protected Areas Policies Undermines Safety for All

NATIONAL IMMIGRATION LAW CENTER

This factsheet explains the protected areas policy, the laws that currently apply to these areas, and the steps advocates and communities can take to help immigrants maintain access to essential community spaces and services.

Setting the Record Straight About Sanctuary Policies

NATIONAL IMMIGRATION PROJECT

As Sanctuary policies come under threat, this resource allows advocates to better understand the legal grounds for sanctuary policies, why they are lawful and constitutionally protected, and how to best protect them.

Guidance Concerning Local Authorities' Participation in Immigration Enforcement and Model Provisions

OFFICE OF THE NEW YORK STATE ATTORNEY GENERAL

This guidance, updated regularly, describes the legal landscape governing the participation of local authorities in immigration enforcement and assists local authorities in New York State by offering model language that can be used to enact local laws or policies that limit participation in immigration enforcement activities.

Sanctuary for Places of Worship

INTERFAITH CENTER OF NEW YORK

This article provides useful information on how places of worship can be bastions of safety for immigrants, and how these sanctuaries can be protected. It includes best practices and need to know information for any place of worship wishing to help those in need.

TRUMP ADMINISTRATION IMMIGRATION POLICY TRACKING

Trump 2.0 Executive Orders on Immigration – What do they mean for New York

IMMIGRANT ARC

This resource provides information on the impacts of various executive orders enacted by President Trump's second administration. It is updated regularly and provides information on the status of these executive orders and those who may be most affected. It also provides a link to a web page from the National Immigration Law Center which provides general summaries on the executive orders. This website is updated regularly.

Immigration Policy Tracking Project

IMMIGRATION POLICY TRACKING PROJECT

The Immigration Policy Tracking Projects is a catalogue of immigration policies enacted by both Trump Administrations, including information on executive orders, legislation, and policy changes for federal agencies such as Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE). The website is updated regularly as new policies or executive orders are announced and enacted, and it keeps track of whether the policy is being enforced, has been rescinded, or is in partial effect.

INFORMATION FOR VOLUNTEERS

What You Can Do

THE SYNAGOGUE COALITION for National Volunteer Opportunities

THE SYNAGOGOE COALLITION for NYC Specific Volunteer Opportunities (Requires Access to Google Browser or Chrome to access)

This resource provides a list of volunteer opportunities for anyone who is motivated to help immigrants in New York City.

HELPFUL CONTACTS

NY Immigrant Family Unity Project (Bronx Defenders)

Available 24/7 for Immigration Legal Services

Phone Number: (718) 838-7878

Legal Aid Hotline

Monday through Friday from 10am to 4pm.

Speak to an intake officer in any language

Phone Number: (844) 955-3425

El Barrio Angels (Through the Church of St. Edward the Martyr)

For Spanish Speaking Legal Guidance and Social Services

Tue to Thurs 10AM - 4PM

Phone Number: (212) 369-1140

Email: info@saintedwardthemartyr.com

Immigrant Defense Project Hotline

Not live. Leave a voicemail with name and number for legal advise

Phone Number: (212) 725-6422

Email: info@immdefense.org