



## KNOW YOUR HEALTH CARE RIGHTS

### RIGHTS TO HEALTH SERVICES

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- You do **not** need to prove your immigration status to get health care.
- If you do **not** have a photo ID, you can still receive treatment.
- You do **not** need to provide a Social Security Number to get care.
- If you do not speak English, you can request an interpreter.

### PROTECTED HEALTH INFORMATION

- Your health information is private and protected by law.
- Your information is used for your treatment, billing, and health care operations.
- Health information is not typically used for immigration enforcement activities.
- Health care providers only share your information with law enforcement if a court order requires it.

### APPLYING FOR HEALTH BENEFITS

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### YOUR GENERAL RIGHTS

- You can always choose not to speak by saying "I want to remain silent".
  - If you do talk, it could be held against you.
- You can refuse to answer any questions until you speak to an attorney.
- You decide who enters your home. Don't open the door to law enforcement unless they have a warrant.
  - If they have a warrant ask them to put it under the door so you can check if it is signed by a judge.
- Only a warrant signed by a judge with your correct name and address is valid.
- You do not have to talk to or give any documents to an official, unless there is a subpoena signed by the judge.

*The information contained in this document provides guidelines, but should not be considered legal advice. Consult your attorney.*