



KNOW YOUR RIGHTS!

What to do if Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) Comes to Your Home

Prepare Yourself

- Fill out your preparedness plan and put it in a folder labeled "Privilege & Confidential" and give it to a person you trust.
- Create a plan in advance with your family and friends. Assign who will be in charge of your case and who will support at different capacities.
- Make sure your photos and videos are being synced to the cloud (e.g. iCloud or Google photos) in case you record an interaction with ICE so that other people can access it.
- Make sure the fences you have in your home are closed. This means that the gate has to be closed with a lock at all times.
- Paste a 'Know Your Rights' flyer and a reminder to record any interaction with ICE inside your door.
- Download the Notifica App and add your emergency contacts with an emergency message. We suggest that this message includes the contact of a trusted person that has and knows your preparedness plan.

Defend Yourself

- Keep Calm
- Do not open the door
- If immigration agents enter your home without your permission, verbally express that you do not give them permission to enter your home or search your belongings. Ask for a search and arrest warrant.
- Do not answer any questions. Exercise your right to remain silent. If you do choose to answer questions, remember not to lie.
- Do not sign any documents.
- Ask to speak with your lawyer or a loved one.
- If you feel safe, record the event with your cell phone either through video or audio only.
- ICE Lies: Do not agree to what ICE asks. For example, do not follow them to their office, to immigration offices like USCIS, or to meet them for coffee.