

SUPPORTING COMMUNITY THROUGH IMMIGRATION ENFORCEMENT

CALIFORNIA RESOURCE ADDENDUM

Community-friendly Power Book: [here](#)

Contact for questions: Kristina McKibben-Sias,
Community Justice Alliance (888) 585-4917 or inquiry@cjaca.org

To find local support now, contact your regional lead:

[California Regional Network Hubs for Immigrant Families | Immigrant Legal Resource Center | ILRC](#)

Rapid Response: Enforcement in Progress

- [Find your local California Rapid Response hotline | CCIJ](#)

Know-Your-Rights Documents

- **California Explainer:** Limits on Local and State Law Enforcement Resources for Immigration Enforcement: [California Values Act \(SB 54\)](#) and [California Values Act \(SB 54\) - cheat sheet](#)
- ILRC Red **Know-Your-Rights Cards** for free download/print here: [Red Cards / Tarjetas Rojas - ILRC](#).
- [Know Your Rights: If ICE Confronts You | ACLU of Northern CA](#) (includes workplace resources)
- Attorney General Resource Roundup for California (housing, education, law enforcement)- [Resources for California's Immigrant Communities | State of California - Department of Justice - Office of the Attorney General](#)
- Southeast Asian community alerts and guides: [Resources for Southeast Asian Refugees Facing Deportation](#)
 - [CJA SEA Resources - CA](#)
- Mayan languages KYR- <https://www.mayanleague.org/indigenous-language-resources>
- Dari/Pashto:  [ANAR Rapid Response 2025 KYR Quick Reference Guide](#)

After Detention

- [Know Your Rights: What to Do if You Are Arrested or Detained by Immigration](#)
- [First Steps After an Immigration Arrest | CCIJ](#)
- Find an Attorney - start with a contact in your region: [here](#)
- Bond Support Resources: [National Bail Fund Network — Community Justice Exchange](#)
- **If needed**, demand that ICE contact your consulate for legal support or detention conditions concerns (note: this can provide the probable cause ICE needs to assert you are a foreign national so use the above resources first if appropriate)
- Rights while detained: [Acacia guide on Detention Rights](#)

How to Locate a Person in Detention

- [Online Detainee Locator System](#)
- [BOP: Federal Inmates By Number](#)

- [If you're detained | CCIJ](#)

Family Preparedness

- [ReadyNow!](#) A one-click planning app for alerting people of your arrest
- [Step-by-Step Family Preparedness Plan | Immigrant Legal Resource Center | ILRC](#)
- [Using the California Caregiver Affidavit](#)
- To support household conversations about public benefits/public charge: [Five Things to Know About the Executive Order Targeting Immigrants and Federal Assistance Programs](#)

School Setting Preparedness

- [AG Guidance Sheet](#) (quick reference for schools)
- Comprehensive guide and data: [here](#)
- [The Fight for Plyler Is the Fight for All Students' Rights](#) - discussing the 1982 Supreme Court finding that immigrant students should be free of discrimination at school
 - See explainer: [Public Education for Immigrant Students: Understanding Plyler v. Doe](#)
- Immigrant youth rights: [Educational Advocacy for Unaccompanied Immigrant Youth in California](#)
- FERPA: Data privacy for certain school related records, unless consent is provided
 - [Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act \(FERPA\) – EPIC](#)
- Be a Safe Zone: [Safe Zone School Districts | NEA](#)
- Supports for newcomer students: [Article 26 Backpack](#) (for people 18+ impacted by war/conflict to preserve records and confirm credentialing)
 - [Supporting Students with Art 26 Backpack](#)

Hospital Setting Preparedness

- [Know Your Rights: Health Care Providers & Immigration Enforcement](#)

Finding an Attorney

- [CDSS Removal Defense and Detained Representation Project Referrals](#)
- [Immigration Advocacy Network Legal Directory](#)
- [Private Attorneys](#)

What if violations of SB54 or my constitutional rights/ APA violations occur?

- California AG's office [complaint system](#) (click "File a Complaint") **for STATE violations** (law enforcement violations of SB 54, unlawful actions in employment, housing, etc. based on immigration status)
- California AG's office complaint system for ICE/federal agents violating the law: <https://oag.ca.gov/reportmisconduct>
- [Litigation Tracker: Legal Challenges to Trump Administration Actions](#)

Vetted News/ Immigration Updates

- [American Immigration Council](#) - includes practice advisories

- [TRAC Immigration](#) real time immigration data
- [The National Immigration Law Center](#)
- [Daily Roundups - Nationwide: Immigration News](#)
- Immigrant Legal Resource Center (ILRC) provides [bimonthly briefings](#) alternating Wednesdays at 10:00 am PST. **Registration required.**

Bystander/Legal Observer

- [KNOW YOUR RIGHTS: What You Can Do as a Bystander During Immigration Enforcement Actions - ACLU](#)

Miscellaneous

- I need assistance because of an attack on our org/staff
 - [Defending Equity Initiative](#)
 - [Nonprofit Toolkit: Resources for organizations facing government investigations](#)
- Surveillance links
 - Create a threat model for yourself, loved ones, organization: [Security Planning \(Threat Modeling\) | EFF.org](#)
 - Electronic Frontier Foundation - excellent resource for learning about surveillance in the digital age (+AI). *Check out their deep links section (sample link below)*
 - [CBP Is Expanding Its Surveillance Tower Program at the U.S.-Mexico Border—And We're Mapping It | Electronic Frontier Foundation](#)
 - [404 Media](#)
 - Wired's Tracker Newsletter - excellent reporting: [Tracker Newsletter: ICE in Focus | WIRED](#)
- Actions we can all take right now:
 - [European alternatives to US tech | Proton](#)
 - Mass incarceration - Stop the permitting + opening of an immigration warehouse: [A Blueprint for Resistance: How Residents and Local Governments Are Shutting Down ICE Detention in Warehouses | Vera Institute](#)
 - [Protecting Immigrant Communities: How States Can Lead in 2026](#)