INFORMATION AND RESOURCES FOR IMMIGRANT FAMILIES FACING DETENTION

This guide outlines steps to take in the unfortunate scenario that a family member, loved one, or someone you know is detained by Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE).

Try to locate your loved one by using the ICE Detainee Locator*:

- Search by Alien Number (A-Number) and Country of Birth OR search using Biological Information with Full First and Last Name, Country of Birth, and Date of Birth.
- Note: the person may not immediately appear in the locator, try again in several hours or the following day.

Activate your family or loved one's preparedness plan:

(Preparedness Plan templates available in English and Spanish*)

1. Immediately contact your legal support. If you do not have legal support, please reach out to one of these legal service organizations for help:
   a. CHIRLA: 1-888-6-CHIRLA (888-624-4752)
   b. CARECEN: 1-213-385-7800
   c. Immigrant Defenders: email info@immdef.org
   d. RepresentLA*: A network of eight nonprofit legal service providers run by CHIRLA

2. Contact these resources for other assistance:
   a. LAUSD Family Hotline: (213) 443-1300
   b. LAUSD Compassion Fund: work with a school site's PSW or principal to access the relief
   c. Clergy and Laity United for Economic Justice (CLUE): CLUE makes regular visits to the Adelanto Detention Facility and can support families during court hearing check ins

Try to contact and/or visit your loved one(s):

1. Upon locating your family member or loved one, contact the detention center to ask to speak to them and about visiting hours.
2. Add funds to their Detainee Account so they can purchase food and make phone calls.

UTLA members can reach out to the Immigrant Justice Team lead in their UTLA Area for support.

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*ONLINE RESOURCES