

## Hospitals/Healthcare Settings: IDPH

Hello,

As of March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2026 all hospitals licensed by the Illinois Department of Public Health are required to develop and submit a policy relating to interactions with law enforcement agents to the Department. Additionally, hospitals must post the following information in a visible and accessible location:

- Immigrants with questions about immigration rights or in need of support can utilize the hotline provided by the Illinois Coalition for Immigrant & Refugee Rights by calling 855-435-7693
- Los inmigrantes con preguntas sobre sus derechos de inmigración o que necesiten apoyo pueden comunicarse con la línea directa de la Coalición de Illinois para los Derechos de Inmigrantes y Refugiados (ICIRR por sus siglas en inglés) llamando al 855-435-7693

Below, please find information and additional resources available for impacted families, as well as guidance for how hospitals and healthcare organizations can best continue to prepare for immigration enforcement activity. We hope this information is useful to your organizations, your employees, and the communities you serve.

### **Trainings for organizations and families to prepare for immigration enforcement activity:**

- Families and organizations can sign up for training opportunities offered by The Resurrection Project. Trainings include general know your rights, small business trainings, organizational preparedness planning, and family preparedness planning: [Schedule Appointment with TRP Immigrant Justice](#).
- Additionally, organizations can request to host know your rights trainings provided by The Resurrection Project for their employees or the communities they serve: [Request a Know Your Rights Training](#)

### **Resources for hospitals and healthcare organizations:**

- [For Organizations & Employers — IL IMMIGRATION INFO](#)
- [Illinois Alliance for Welcoming Healthcare Model Policies and Protocol](#)

### **Resources for employees or impacted families:**

- [IL IMMIGRATION INFO | Know Your Rights](#)
- [Deportation Defense Illinois Action Guide \(English | Spanish\)](#)
- [Family Support Network & Hotline | ICIRR](#)
  - Need support? Call the Family Support Hotline  
1-855-HELP-MY-FAMILY (855-435-7693)

We greatly commend your rapid responsiveness and commitment to keeping our most vulnerable residents safe and healthy. Please feel free to share these resources with your network and reach out if there is anything our office can do to be supportive.

Yours in good health,



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