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- Officers can only enter with a valid warrant or with your permission.
- Ask to see a warrant. If it is not valid, ask the officers to leave.
- If officers enter (with or without a valid warrant) say you do not consent. Tell them if there are children, elderly or sick people in the house.
- Do not run.
- Before saying anything (including your name) ask, "Am I free to go?"
- If yes, walk away slowly. If no, do not walk away.
- In some states, you must give your name.
- If you are searched, stay calm and say "I do not consent to this search."
- Officers can only enter with a valid warrant or with permission from your employer.
- Have an emergency plan with your co-workers.
- If your employer is not available or has given permission to officers to enter, know who will speak to officers. The person should ask for identification and a warrant.
- If you are searched, stay calm and say, "I do not consent to this search."
- Pull over, turn the car off and put your hands on the steering wheel.
- Follow all instructions, including providing license, registration and insurance. Do not give fake documents.
- If officer searches your car, stay calm and say, "I do not consent to this search."
- Request a phone call to your attorney or other emergency contact.
- Use your Know Your Rights card. Remember your right to remain silent and say you will not sign anything before speaking with your attorney.
- Request a copy of all papers your attorney submits to the judge as part of your case.
- Request a phone call to your attorney or other emergency contact and your consulate.
- Use your Know Your Rights card. Remember your rights to remain silent and to refuse to sign anything before speaking with your attorney.
- Request a copy of all papers in your case.
- Request to be released on bond.



## **Know Your Rights Card**

## Instructions on how to use your Know Your Rights card

- 1. Cut out the two copies of the card. Fold them in half.
- 2. Make sure to fill out both cards with the name of your attorney and your attorney's phone number.
- 3. Keep both copies of the card with you at all times. If you show immigration officers or the police this card, they make take the card and not return it. This is why it is important to carry two copies of the card at all times.
- 4. In the event of a raid or interaction with immigration officers or the police, use this card to help you remember and exercise your rights.
- 5. On the front of this card is a statement that you are exercising your right to remain silent. If you are interacting with immigration officers or the police, you should remember that anything you say can be used against you. It is your right to remain silent. To exercise your right to remain silent, show officers a copy of this card or read the statement out loud. You do not need to say the statement word-for-word but you must communicate that you are exercising your right to remain silent.
- 6. On the back of the card you will find a list of your rights. Read them often. Be prepared.
- 8. To protect yourself, MEMORIZE the information on the card.

## Please be informed that I am choosing to Please be informed that I am choosing to exercise my right to remain silent. I am exercise my right to remain silent. I am also exercising my right to refuse also exercising my right to refuse IAM IAM to sign anything until my attorney to sign anything until my attorney **EXERCISING** EXERCISING reviews it. If I am detained, I request to reviews it. If I am detained, I request to contact my attorney immediately. My contact my attorney immediately. My MY RIGHT TO MY RIGHT TO attorney's contact information is: attorney's contact information is: REMAIN REMAIN Name Name SILENT. SILENT. Phone Phone Fold I know that... I know that... 1 I have rights. I have I have rights. I have (4) Anything I say can be Anything I say can be dignity. I am not alone. used against me. dignity. I am not alone. used against me. (2) I have the right to speak (5) I have the right to remain to I have the right to speak 5 I have the right to remain to silent in ANY situation. silent in ANY situation. my attorney. my attorney. I have the right to refuse I can show officials this I have the right to refuse / I can show officials this to sign anything before card or say out loud that to sign anything before card or say out loud that my attorney reviews it. I am remaining silent. my attorney reviews it. I am remaining silent.

