Social and Educational Information for Undocumented Youth

Young people who are not documented are sometimes called Dreamers. They may face several stress factors relating to their immigration status, including their chance to study beyond high school or fears a loved one may be deported.

There are programs offering information and resources. The programs can help people understand that others have faced these same barriers and there are ways to address them.

There are also national groups that can provide helpful guidance about education opportunities, including:

**United We Dream**
https://unitedwedream.org/tools/

**Fwd.us**
https://www.fwd.us

**Scholarships A – Z**
http://www.scholarshipsaz.org/

**Immigrants Rising**
https://immigrantsrising.org/

**TheDreamUS**
www.thedream.us

Immigration problems can impact your health or the health of a family member or neighbor. Your doctor can help.
If you would like to talk to your doctor about problems having to do with immigration, take this brochure into the exam room and hand it to your doctor.

You do not have to talk to your doctor about your immigration status. If you need health care and do not have insurance, the doctor will help find out if you qualify for other programs like Medicaid. If you know you do not qualify, you can just say “I do not qualify for health insurance and do not wish to apply.”

Many people suffer from stress and health problems caused by worries having to with immigration status. Your doctor is committed to being as helpful as she or he can.

If you are suffering from these worries, you are welcome to talk to your doctor. Your doctor will:

• Listen to health concerns having to do with your immigration status
• Work to find ways to reduce the stress immigration issues might be causing you, your family and/or your community
• Refer you to helpful resources

Your doctor will not record your immigration status in any medical records.

Legal Resources:

We suggest you find and attend a “Know Your Rights” training class, often offered by legal services groups. If you cannot find training nearby, there are resources online. Be sure your family knows what to do if ICE agents come to your door. Have a safety plan in place in case you are detained and you have children who need to be cared for.

Online Resources:

National Immigrant Justice Center (NIJC)
www.immigrantjustice.org/know-your-rights/know-your-rights-amid-harder-immigration-enforcement-webinar

Multicultural Center – Green Bay
https://multiculturalcentergb.wordpress.com/community-resources/social-services/immigration/

Catholic Charities – Green Bay

Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Green Bay
https://newcatholiccharities.org/immigrants-and-refugees/immigrant-family-outreach

Casa ALBA Melanie
https://www.casaalba.org/professional.html