Preparing for an ICE Visit

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Develop and Practice a Plan

- a. Create a preparedness plan and practice with staff
- b. Decide who will be the ICE Lliaison
- c. Practice implementing the plan
- d. Update employee emergency contact information
- e. Consult your attorney.

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RESTRICTED AREA

PRIVATE AREA KEEP OUT

Establish and Label Restricted / Private Areas

- a. Label restricted and private areas not open to the public.
- b. **DO NOT give permission** for ICE to enter private areas.
- c. Train staff to go to restricted areas if ICE visits.





Know your Rights

- a. If ICE arrives, everyone should remain calm.
- b. Immediately notify the ICE Liaison.
- c. Any employee approached by ICE should say, "I will get someone who can help you." or "You will need to speak to my employer.
- d. Keep ICE officers in public areas.





Understand Judicial and Administrative Warrants

- a. **DO NOT** grant ICE permission to enter restricted areas.
- b. Review documents to ID type and scope of warrant.
- c. Look for the date, warrant scope and a judge's signature.
- d. Contact attorney to review documents immediately.



Know What is Required During an I-9 Audit

- a. If you receive a Notice of Inspection, **immediately contact** your **immigration attorney and notify your employees**
- b. You have three days to respond. Take all three.

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Everyone Has a Role During an ICE Visit

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EMPLOYEES WHO ARE APPROACHED BY ICE

Stay calm. Do NOT answer ANY questions, and say "I will get someone who can help." or "You will need to talk to my employer." **Contact Designated ICE Liaison Immediately!**

Have ICE agents stay in public areas. Do NOT give them permission to enter employee/ restricted areas.

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DESIGNATED ICE LIAISON

Immediately call your attorney!				
Attorney Contact Info:				

Examine paperwork closely, looking for type of warrant, date issued/signed and who signed it. Judicial warrants must be signed by a judge.

Document officer names, badges, demands, behavior & interactions. Copy all paperwork.

EVERYONE

Stay Calm. Do NOT run. Exercise your right to remain silent. Go to labeled private area if you are uncomfortable.



