

# Concerned About Public Benefits & Immigration?



**Don't stop using public benefits unnecessarily.**

**Call ActionNYC at 1-800-354-0365 and say "public charge"** if you have any questions or concerns about how the rule might impact you.



**It is important to know:**

- The "public charge" rule does not change eligibility requirements for public benefits.
- The "public charge" rule does not affect everyone. There is no "public charge" test for green card holders who apply for citizenship.
- Free legal help is available. If you have questions or concerns, consult a free, safe immigration legal service provider. **Call ActionNYC at 1-800-354-0365 and say "public charge."**
- If you are sponsoring a family member abroad, or will be traveling abroad to apply for a green card or visa, call ActionNYC for free, safe immigration legal services to understand how "public charge" might impact you.
- The City will keep fighting to stop the "public charge" rule. **Stay up to date at [NYC.gov/PublicCharge](https://nyc.gov/PublicCharge).**