



Asylum Processing Rule – Instructions

This document explains what to expect as you continue your immigration case proceedings in the United States. It does not provide legal advice or replace the information included in the forms referenced below. You need to review **ALL** your paperwork and understand the conditions of your release.

YOU MUST:

1) Attend your credible fear interview with a USCIS asylum officer.

- You are scheduled to attend a credible fear interview once you arrive at your destination. During this interview, you will be asked if you fear return to your home country. Further instructions are available on the Form M-444. The U.S. Government will not provide you with an attorney or legal representative, but you may retain one at your own expense.

2) Report to ICE as instructed.

- You **must** report to ICE Alternatives to Detention (ATD) within 15 days.
- The details for your ICE ATD appointment are listed on your parole paperwork.
- If you need to communicate with ICE for any reason regarding your ATD appointment, please call 1-888-351-4024 or go to www.ice.gov/contact/field-offices?office=16.

3) Notify ICE and USCIS within 5 days if you change your address or phone number.

- If you move to a new address or get a new phone number, you **MUST** provide ICE and USCIS with the new address or phone number.
 1. Contact your local ICE office directly to provide your new address or phone number. You can find your local ICE office at www.ice.gov/contact/field-offices?office=16.
 2. Contact the USCIS asylum office where your credible fear interview is scheduled to provide them your new address and/or phone number. You can find your local USCIS office at <https://egov.uscis.gov/office-locator/#/asy>.



IMPORTANT:

Your ICE appointments and USCIS interviews are different obligations.

You must comply with both obligations.

PENALTIES FOR FAILURE TO COMPLY

- Failure to comply with all conditions of your release **may result in your arrest and detention.**
- If you have a GPS tracking ankle bracelet or any other device provided by the government, do **NOT** tamper with, remove, discard, or destroy the device. It is a crime to damage or attempt to damage property of the United States.