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Fresh information for Casey staff

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 LIVING IN THE UNITED STATES

A rights and responsibilities handbook for immigrant youth is available in Spanish, Korean, and English

Immigrant youth must navigate tricky immigration issues along with everything else. Immigration status impacts their ability to get a job, go to college, or even remain in the United States. The Immigrant Legal Resource Center (ILRC) has created a resource handbook especially for immigrant youth that it is now available in Spanish and Korean editions, as well as English. *Living in the United States: A Guide for Immigrant Youth*, includes sections such as *Adoption and Your Immigration Status*, *Receiving Public Benefits*, *Going to College*, and much more. You can [download pdf files](#) for all three language versions.



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Have we met ?



Reunited with her eight children, **Sandra Jimenez** is a 2006 recipient of the Ruth Massinga Birth Parent Award. She has worked throughout the country to promote and train birth parents in assisting other birth parents involved with the child welfare system. As Director of the Office of Client Advocacy for the New York City Department of Homeless Services she helped spread the program in two years to three sites. [Learn more](#) about Sandra's inspiring contributions.



[Submit a 2008 Ruth Massinga Award nomination today!](#)

A 2008 Rhoda G. Sarnat award presentation video can be viewed on Kitchen

Last April, Casey was honored with CEO William C. Bell's acceptance of the prestigious International Rhoda G. Sarnat award from the National Association of Social Workers (NASW). This award is given to an individual, group, or organization that has significantly advanced the public image of professional social work. You can [view an 18-minute video clip](#) of the presentation on Kitchen. The NASW's April [press release](#) is available online.



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Turkey Enchilada Casserole

Kids are back in school and Thanksgiving is just around the corner! Be prepared with this Hispanic answer to too much turkey, [Turkey Enchilada Casserole](#).

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