

# Unaccompanied Minor Intake Process

What happens to  
Unaccompanied Minors  
when seeking asylum  
in the U.S.?



## STEP 1

Unaccompanied Minor taken into custody by US Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE).

UPON ADMISSION INTO ICE CUSTODY

## STEP 2



Border Patrol transports to shelter. Pregnant minors and children under 12 take priority.

WITHIN **72** HOURS IN ICE CUSTODY



## STEP 3

Provide food, water, clothing, bath/hygiene, rest and bed with clean linens.

WITHIN **2** HOURS AT SHELTER

## STEP 4



Orientation, physical and mental medical evaluation and case manager assigned to begin the reunification process.

WITHIN **48** HOURS AT SHELTER



## STEP 5

Education level assessed and classroom assigned.

WITHIN **72** HOURS AT SHELTER