

YOU

That is why it is so important that everyone is counted!

Every 10 years, the United States counts every person living in our country, regardless of age or immigration status. The census count is used to determine crucial factors like where federal funding will go and how much representation our state and communities receive in government.

COUNT!

Not counting all of our residents means LESS FOR ALL NEW YORKERS:

- Less money for healthcare, housing, education, transportation and other essential services.
- Less representation in Congress and local and state government.
- Less investment in our communities and fewer economic opportunities for our residents.

YOU COUNT – participate in the 2020 Census

- The census only asks for basic information about the people in your household: name, sex, date of birth, race, relation to the rest of the household, and whether the person is of Hispanic origin.
- The census does not include any questions about the citizenship or the immigration status of any person in your household.
- All responses to the census are confidential and protected under federal law.

Responding to the census is not only the law, but it's important.



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Have questions? Contact the U.S. Census Bureau at **2020census.gov**