BE COUNTED.

2020 CENSUS IMPACTS US ALL

- ✓ It's extremely important for everyone to be counted to ensure New York gets its fair share of federal funds for our communities, including education, housing, health care, transportation and more
- ✓ Completing the 2020 Census will be easier than ever, and can be done online, over the phone or through the mail
- ✓ Historically, the census has undercounted young children, people of color, rural residents, immigrants, renters and low-income households at higher rates than other populations
- ✓ We need to ensure every person is counted – there's too much at stake

Learn how the census impacts you, visit

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2020 CENSUS
MYTHS *vs.* FACTS

MYTH

My information will be shared.

FACT

Your information is protected and anonymous. Federal law requires your answers to be kept confidential and can only be used to produce statistics.

MYTH

My information will be used against me.

FACT

Information cannot be used to track people, determine eligibility for government benefits or be shared with immigration or law enforcement.

MYTH

There will be a citizenship question on the 2020 Census.

FACT

No, there will not be a citizenship question on the census. Everyone who lives in New York should respond.

MYTH

The Census is not important.

FACT

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