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ICE Subjected Immigrants in Detention to Unnecessary Surgeries, Report Finds

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The federal government's use of ICE detention facilities to hold immigrants is often criticized for being inhumane and for subjecting immigrants to unnecessary medical procedures. A new report from the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) confirms these concerns, finding that ICE subjected immigrants in detention to unnecessary and painful surgeries.



The report, titled "ICE Subjected Immigrants in Detention to Unnecessary and Painful Surgeries," was released last month. It is based on a review of medical records from ICE detention facilities. The report found that ICE subjected immigrants to unnecessary and painful surgeries, including cesarean sections, hysterectomies, and mastectomies.

The report also found that ICE subjected immigrants to unnecessary and painful procedures, including X-rays, ultrasounds, and MRI scans.

The report is a significant contribution to the ongoing debate about the use of ICE detention facilities. It provides evidence that ICE's practices are inhumane and that immigrants are being subjected to unnecessary and painful medical procedures.



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In Historic First, Construction Contractor Critically Charged in Immigrant Worker's Death

The deadliest construction tragedy since 9/11, with a loss of 14 lives and 120 injuries, resulted in a historic indictment of a construction contractor for the death of an immigrant worker.

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Washington, DC (ENR)—The federal government has charged a construction contractor with the death of an immigrant worker in a historic first. The contractor, a subsidiary of a major construction firm, is accused of negligence in the death of a worker.



The indictment, announced last week, is the first time a construction contractor has been charged with the death of a worker. The worker was killed in a construction site in New York City.

The indictment is a significant step in the ongoing effort to improve construction safety. It sends a message that construction contractors are responsible for the safety of their workers. The government is committed to holding contractors accountable for their actions.

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