

A landlord cannot legally evict a tenant without a court order. It is illegal for your landlord to lock you out, turn off utilities like electric or water, remove the front door, or take other steps to force you to move. If your landlord attempts an illegal eviction, contact law enforcement to stop the threat to the safety of your family. You may also be eligible for free legal help through Legal Aid Service of Broward County (954-765-8950).