

New Yorkers Speak Out Against Employer Credit Checks



Emmett P., Brooklyn

"I began to run into problems when I left the military...one by one other jobs started to say 'look, you have to do something about your credit.' The credit entry was inaccurate...so I found myself stuck at a very low-income job."



Alfred C., Brooklyn

"I had a bankruptcy a couple of years ago. I was in between jobs...I had no insurance and got an injury. I started noticing everywhere I went, I was not good enough to work there. Then I realized it was the bankruptcy."



Oneika O., Manhattan

"I'm the sole breadwinner for my family, and that's a lot of responsibility. Just because I have a ding here and there in my credit shouldn't determine whether or not I'm a good worker."



You?

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