

DACA: Deciding what to do

I am a DACA recipient

No

Yes

My work permit is expired

My work permit is not expired

I am an ally of Dreamers and want to help my community.

I never applied for DACA.

My work permit expired more than a year ago.

My work permit expired one year ago or less.

My work permit expires within 6 months.

My work permit expires more than 6 months from now.

Volunteer at a qualified legal services provider.
Educate, raise funds, and help families plan.

USCIS will not accept any new DACA applications.

You may apply as an initial DACA applicant.

You may request DACA as a renewal applicant.

Anyone who applies more than 150 days in advance risks having their application rejected or granted with an extension for less than two full years.

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WARNING:

If a higher court reverses the injunction, USCIS could stop accepting and processing DACA requests. Therefore, DACA requesters risk losing the application fee or having the application rejected. Each DACA recipient should weigh these potential risks against the benefits of a DACA extension before deciding whether to apply and, if so, how early.