

# TEMPORARY PROTECTED STATUS (TPS) SOUTH SUDAN



## ARE YOU FROM SOUTH SUDAN?

If you are from South Sudan or lived in South Sudan you might qualify for temporary protected status (TPS). If you already have TPS, get more information [here](#).

## WHAT IS TEMPORARY PROTECTED STATUS (TPS):

Temporary Protected Status (TPS) is for people who left their home countries because of conflict or natural disasters. The U.S government decides which countries are on the TPS list.

A person with TPS:

- is protected from deportation,
- can work legally in the United States, and
- may travel with permission.

TPS for people from South Sudan ends on November 3, 2023. TPS can be extended. The U.S. government announces extensions and when to sign up again ("re-register").

## DO YOU QUALIFY FOR TPS?

### YOU MAY QUALIFY FOR TPS IF:

- You are from South Sudan or you lived in South Sudan;
- You came to the U.S. by March 1, 2022; and
- You apply for TPS by November 3, 2023.

**NOTE:** Some trips outside the U.S., crimes, or other problems can disqualify you from TPS.

## MORE INFORMATION:

1. Get legal help to find out if you qualify: [readytostay.org/find-legal-help/](https://readytostay.org/find-legal-help/)
2. Learn how to get good legal help and avoid fraud [here](#)
3. Learn more about TPS for South Sudan on the government website ([USCIS](#))