# LATEST DACA NEWS AUGUST 2022



In July 2021, a federal court stopped first-time DACA applications. President Biden's DACA announcement in August 2022 does not change the court's order. If you already have DACA, you can still renew. But, USCIS (government) still cannot approve DACA applications for people who never had it before (or whose DACA expired more than a year ago). This may change.

### WHAT IF I HAVE DACA NOW?

If you currently have DACA, your status is still good. You can work and apply to travel abroad (Advance Parole). You can also apply to renew. Don't fall out of status. It is recommended you renew 120 to 150 days before the expiration date.

## WHAT IF I APPLIED FOR DACA FOR THE FIRST TIME AND I'M STILL WAITING TO GET IT?

If you have an initial DACA request at USCIS, your case is stopped if:

- It was pending at USCIS when the court stopped new DACA cases, or
- You applied after the court stopped new DACA cases

### WHAT CAN I DO NOW?

Urge Congress to pass permanent solutions for people with DACA, without DACA, TPS holders, farmworkers, essential workers, and our family members. <u>Sign United We Dream's petition here.</u>

For more information on DACA rules, benefits, renewals, and travel, <u>visit</u> the <u>USCIS</u> website. For more on the latest DACA rule and community FAQs, visit <u>Informed Immigrant's page</u>.

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