



United We Dream

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SUPPORTING EVIDENCE CHECKLIST FOR DACA DEFERRED ACTION FOR CHILDHOOD ARRIVALS

Identity Documents (one item on this list)

- ☐ Passport
- ☐ Any national identity document from your country of origin with photo
- ☐ Any U.S.-government immigration or other document with your name and photo
- ☐ Birth certificate PLUS photo ID
- ☐ Any school-issued form of ID with photo; or
- ☐ Any other relevant document

Documents showing you entered before age 16 (one or more items on this list)

- ☐ Passport with an admission stamp
- ☐ I-94/I-95/I-94W Arrival/Departure Record
- ☐ Any INS or DHS document indicating date of entry
- ☐ Travel records, like plane or bus tickets
- ☐ School records (transcripts, report cards, etc.) from the schools that you attended in the United States, showing name of school & when you attended
- ☐ Hospital or medical records
- ☐ Records from a church or mosque or other place of worship in the U.S., confirming that you were involved in a religious ceremony
- ☐ Any other relevant document

Documents showing you were out-of-status on [date to be determined]¹ (don't worry about this if you never had papers or an immigration court case)

- ☐ I-94/I-95/I-94W Arrival/Departure Record showing date authorized stay expired
- ☐ Final removal order with a date that is earlier than 06/15/12
- ☐ Any other relevant document

Documents to demonstrate you were honorably discharged from Coast Guard or Armed Forces (don't worry about this unless you served in the military)

- ☐ Form DD-214
- ☐ NGB Form 22, National Guard Report of Separation and Record of Service
- ☐ Military personnel or health records
- ☐ Any other relevant document

Documents showing that you lived here

continuously since June 15, 2007 (as much as possible, at least one document per year)

- ☐ Rent receipts, utility bills (gas, electric, phone, etc.), receipts or letters from companies showing the dates you received service
- ☐ Employment records² (e.g., pay stubs, W-2 Forms, certification of the filing of federal or state income tax returns, etc.)
- ☐ School records (transcripts, report cards, etc.) from schools that you have attended in the U.S., showing name of school & when you attended
- ☐ Hospital or medical records
- ☐ Records from a church or mosque or other place of worship in the U.S., confirming that you were involved in a religious ceremony
- ☐ Money order receipts for money sent in or out of the country; passport entries; birth certificates of children born in the United States; dated bank transactions; correspondence between you and another person or organization in the U.S.; automobile titles; vehicle registration; deeds; mortgages; rental agreements; etc.
- ☐ Affidavits to fill gaps³
- ☐ Any other relevant document

Documents to demonstrate you meet education requirement

- ☐ *If you are currently enrolled in a public or private school.* School records (transcripts, report cards, etc.) from the schools that you attended in the United States, showing name of school & when you attended
- ☐ U.S. high school diploma or cert. of completion
- ☐ GED certificate

If you meet the education requirement because you are currently enrolled in a GED, ESL, Literacy or Vo-Tech Program, check out our handout entitled "Proving Your Alternative Education Program Qualifies for DACA" for tips on getting the right evidence.

¹ It is unclear whether the relevant date is 6/15/12, when DACA was first announced, or 11/19/14, when DACA was expanded. We are awaiting further information on this question.

² Double check that your employment records do not include a false social security number. If they do, try to find other evidence to show that you were here.

³ See Affidavit Guide.