

June 15, 2022

#MainersForDreamers

🦋 DAY OF ACTION 🦋

On the 10th anniversary of DACA, June 15, 2022, take action for Maine's DACA recipients and demand a path to citizenship now! [Read Gisselle and Anthony's stories here](#) to learn more about what citizenship would mean for DACA recipients in Maine (and for Maine itself). Then use the resources below to contact your Congressional representatives and raise your voice!

SHARE THIS TOOLKIT: <https://bit.ly/Mainers4Dreamers>

ACTION 1: CALL YOUR REPRESENTATIVES!

INSTRUCTIONS: Call your Congressional Representative and two U.S. Senators today! Find their contact information [here](#). Use the sample script below or craft your own message.

Sample Script: My name is [YOUR NAME] and I am [SENATOR OR REPRESENTATIVE]'s constituent living at [YOUR ADDRESS]. I'm calling today on the tenth anniversary of the DACA program to call for a pathway to citizenship now for Maine's DACA recipients, Temporary Protected Status holders, farmworkers, and other undocumented people. It is past time to act for Maine's undocumented young people and to give them the stability and security of U.S. citizenship. Our whole state will benefit from their contributions to our communities, economy, and more. Please publicly state your support for citizenship for Maine's Dreamers today and take action to finally get this done.



ACTION 2: SPEAK OUT ON SOCIAL MEDIA [FROM NOON - 1 PM!](#)

INSTRUCTIONS: Join the #MainersForDreamers Social Media Storm from **Noon to 1 pm ET on June 15**. Post at least three times during the course of the hour (or more!). Use the sample social media below or create your own message calling for citizenship for Maine's DACA recipients now! If you draft your own message, don't forget to use the hashtag: #MainersForDreamers!

[CLICK HERE TO ADD GRAPHICS TO YOUR POSTS!](#)

Facebook and Instagram:

- Today marks 10 years of #DACA! While we celebrate the leadership of immigrant youth in securing this life-changing protection, it is past time for Congress to act to pass a pathway to citizenship for DACA recipients in Maine and beyond! #MainersForDreamers #DACAturns10
- When DACA was announced 10 years ago today, then-President Obama called it a "temporary stopgap measure." Senator Collins, Senator King, Representative Pingree, Representative Golden, DACA recipients in #Maine and beyond need citizenship now! #MainersForDreamers #DACAturns10
- If Anthony, a DACA recipient from Maine could speak to Congress today, the 10th anniversary of DACA, he would say this:

"I'm just here to do the right thing, to better myself, to feel safe. This is what we know as home. If you send us back, we will be lost. We have been waiting 10 years, now is the time for citizenship. It is time to take a step. You must not continue to push DACA to the side. We need change. Citizenship now. That's what we ask for."

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"The U.S. means a lot to me. It's my life. It's my country. I can't see myself anywhere else. Citizenship would mean a lot for me, my stability, my family. I want to study as much as I can. I would be more secure knowing I could take care of my mother when she grows old. *I want no limits on me.*"

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- DACA is temporary, #HomelsHere!

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<https://unitedwedream.org/actions/daca-turns-10-now-we-need-permanent-protections-for-all/?source=partner>

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