



# SOMOS

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**Baltimore City  
College**



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# TOP 10 BENEFITS OF BEING DACA-MENTED

HELP OTHER DREAMERS APPLY!

GET A DRIVER'S LICENSE!\*

GET A SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER!

APPLY FOR A CREDIT CARD!

GET A JOB WITH BENEFITS  
(HELLO HEALTHCARE!)

SWITCH UTILITY BILLS TO YOUR  
NAME & BE A RESOURCE TO YOUR  
FAMILY!

HELP YOUR FAMILY OUT  
FINANCIALLY!

VOLUNTEER & GIVE BACK. (YOU  
CAN NOW PASS A BACKGROUND CHECK)

BECOME POLITICALLY ACTIVE!

LEARN HOW DACA CAME ABOUT AND HELP US PROTECT IT!



LEARN MORE AT [WWW.UNITEDWEDREAM.ORG](http://WWW.UNITEDWEDREAM.ORG)

\*IN SOME STATES

# DACA

*Renewing deferred action  
for childhood arrivals*

For more information: <http://www.ilgrp.com/renewing-daca>

## WHO?

You might qualify  
for DACA if you:

Arrived in the US  
before age **16**

Born on  
or after **JUNE 15  
1981**

Have lived in  
the US since **JUNE 15  
2007**



Are currently  
in school

OR have a high school  
diploma or GED

OR served in the  
US Military



check with an attorney if you've:

- departed the US
- had juvenile problems
- had police or ICE contact
- had problems in school
- or are worried you might not be eligible

Apply at least



**120 DAYS**  
before your DACA  
status expires.

The expiration date is on the front of  
your work permit.

A COMPLETE APPLICATION  
INCLUDES:

*New!*

Form I-821 D



Form I-765



I-765 worksheet

## HOW?

Application  
**\$465**  
fee

File completed applications at

**USCIS lockbox**

Find the address online at:

<http://www.uscis.gov/i-821d-addresses>

*Why?*

**2 YEAR  
DEFERMENT  
PERIOD**

**WORK  
PERMIT**

**APPLY FOR  
STUDENT LOANS  
&  
DRIVER'S LICENSE**

**SOCIAL  
SECURITY  
NUMBER**



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# HOW TO APPLY FOR DACA RENEWAL

**1** Determine eligibility. **2** Determine when to renew. Check out our DACA calculator: [bit.ly/dacacalculator](http://bit.ly/dacacalculator)



Cover Letter  
(optional)



G-1145  
(optional)



I-821D  
(required)



I-765  
(required)



I-765WS  
(required)



Copy of the  
front and back  
of your work  
permit  
(suggested)



Copy of your  
I-797, Notice  
of Action for  
I-765

(suggested)



Current Permit Mailer  
(optional)



Money order  
OR check for \$465.00  
made out to the:  
U.S. Department of Homeland Security  
AND 2 passport-style photos (2" by 2")  
(required)



**NOTE:** You must submit Item 8 AND/OR item 9. (required)  
If you only have a copy of the front of your work permit, submit it.  
Make copies of all items before mailing. Do not mail in originals. (suggested)



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# DACA UPDATE

## 5 THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT TRUMP'S ANNOUNCEMENT TO END DACA

On September 5, 2017, U.S. Attorney General Jeff Sessions, on behalf of the entire Trump Administration, announced an end to the DACA program. Here are the top 5 things to know about his announcement:

### 1. YOUR DACA IS VALID UNTIL ITS EXPIRATION DATE.

DACA and work permits (Employment Authorization Documents) will remain valid until its expiration date. To determine when your DACA and work permit expires, look at your I-795 Approval Notice and the bottom of your Employment Authorization Document (EAD).

### 2. NO NEW DACA APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED.

United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) no longer will accept or process first-time applications after **September 5, 2017**.

### 3. DACA ISSUANCES AND WORK PERMITS EXPIRING BETWEEN NOW AND MARCH 5, 2018 MUST BE SUBMITTED FOR RENEWAL BY OCTOBER 5, 2017.

If you have a permit that will expire between now and March 5, 2018, you must apply for a two-year renewal of your DACA by October 5, 2017.

### 4. ADVANCE PAROLE TO TRAVEL ABROAD IS NO LONGER AVAILABLE.

The Department of Homeland Security (DHS) will no longer grant DACA recipients permission to travel abroad through Advance Parole. Any pending applications for advance parole will not be processed and DHS will refund any associated fees.

### 5. WE ARE UNITED IN THIS FIGHT.

You are not alone. We mobilized, organized, and marched five years ago for DACA, and we will continue to do everything in our power to protect immigrant youth and their families across the country. Visit [weareheretostay.com](http://weareheretostay.com) for resources to help you and your loved ones take care of yourselves in this difficult time as well as information on what you can do to take action now.

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# Mexican Consulate is Paying Mexican Citizens' DACA Fees



## DACA Scholars

September 7 at 6:25pm · 🌐

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Si eres Mexicano y necesitas ayuda para pagar tu renovación de #DACA, los Consulados de Mexico se han comprometido a pagar el monto de \$495 a los connacionales ...



# DACA Renewal Clinics

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## DACA RENEWAL CLINIC – SEPT 23

September 23 @ 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

[« DACA Renewal Clinic – Sept. 19](#)

CASA will be holding a series of DACA/Legal clinics to help process DACA RENEWALS ONLY. We will be holding clinics every Saturdays until Sept. 30.

Langley Park – Sept 16 10-4pm

Virginia – Sept 19 10-4pm

Baltimore – Sept 23 10-4pm

Langley Park – Sept 30 10-4pm

**Unfortunately spaces are limited at these clinics. Please call 301-431-4185 to reserve your spot!**

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# Check out the BMORE newsletter for Resources:

- Educate yourself on what the changes to DACA mean for our students, families, and community.
- Contact your congressional representatives and tell them you support a DREAM Act without conditions that would hurt our community, like funding for "The Wall" or additional money for ICE enforcement.
- Visit Here to Stay and find out about large actions and events you can support and share.

# Check out the BMORE newsletter for Resources:

- Check out CASA de Maryland and Esperanza Center for info on workshops such as: DACA info sessions & renewal legal clinics, Know Your Rights, Bystander Trainings, and many others. *They are offering to host sessions at schools!*
- Support or join OYE (Organized Youth in Education), student-coalition advocating for immigrant rights. They meet regularly at Digital Harbor, City College, Poly, and Patterson high schools.
- Worried about your next ICE check in or want to help? Message Sanctuary Streets to join their coalition of volunteers who accompany people to the ICE office and Immigration Court.



# Sagrado Corazon (Sacred Heart) 600 S. Conkling Street

**ORGANIZING BEYOND**

**DACA**

**#HERETOSTAY**

**7:00PM**

**Miércoles 6 de Septiembre 2017**

# SOMOS: Guerilla Theatre





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# OUR AMAZING ADVISORS

MR. PEREZ-  
\*\*HOLA AMIGOS\*\*  
(SPANISH TEACHER)

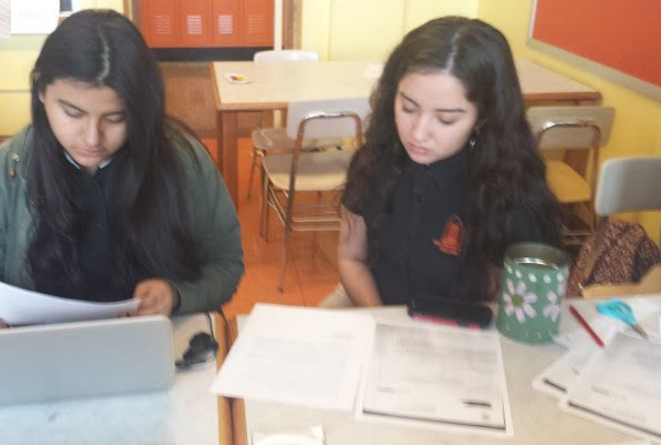


MS. MULLER-PAZ  
\*\*BIENVENIDOS\*\*  
(SPANISH TEACHER)



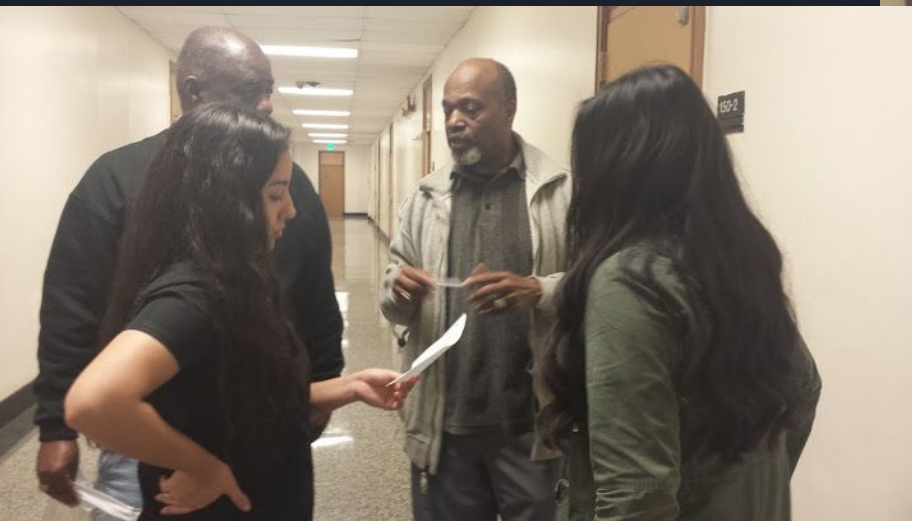
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# OUR MEETINGS





# WITH ALUMNI

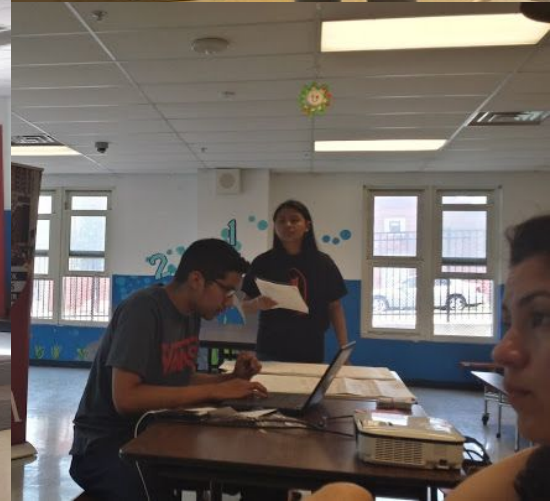
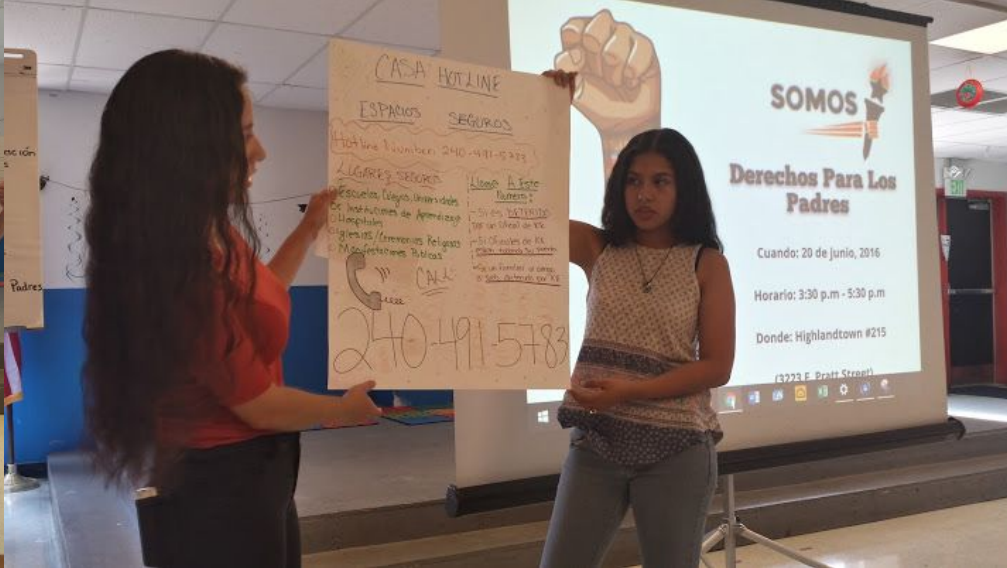
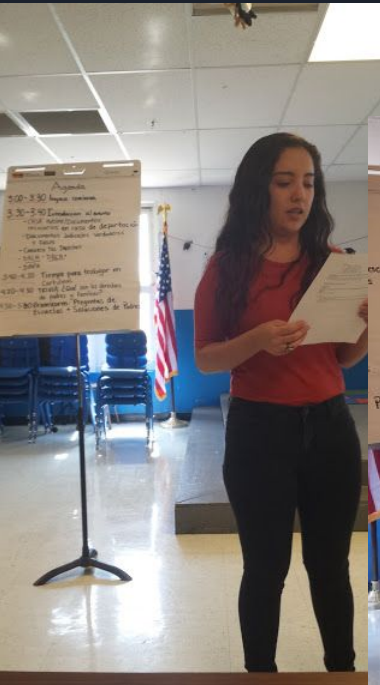
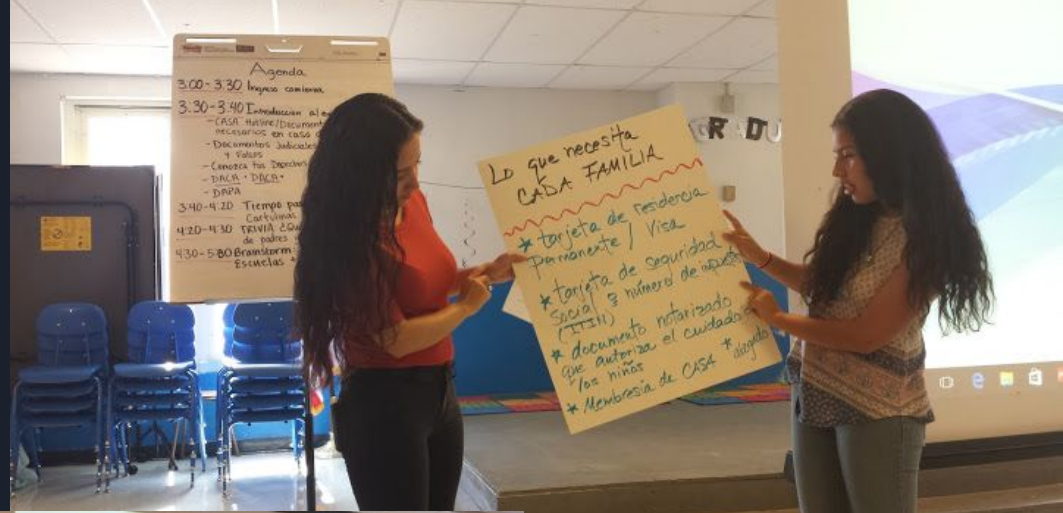


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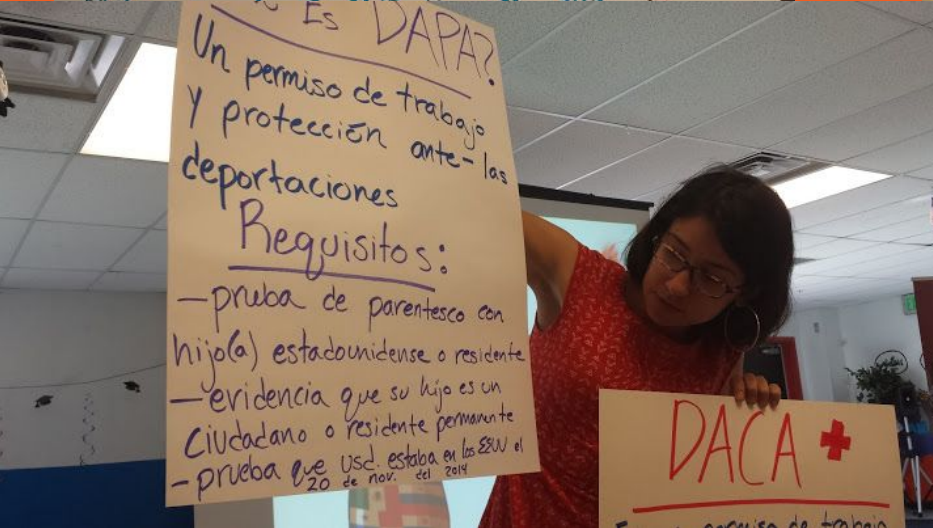
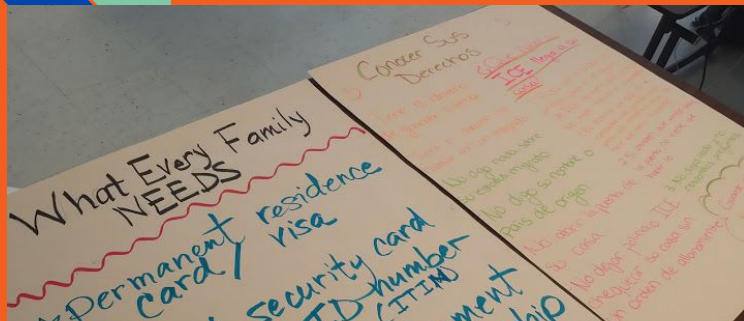




# ACTIVISM



# ACTIVISM/ PARTNERSHIP

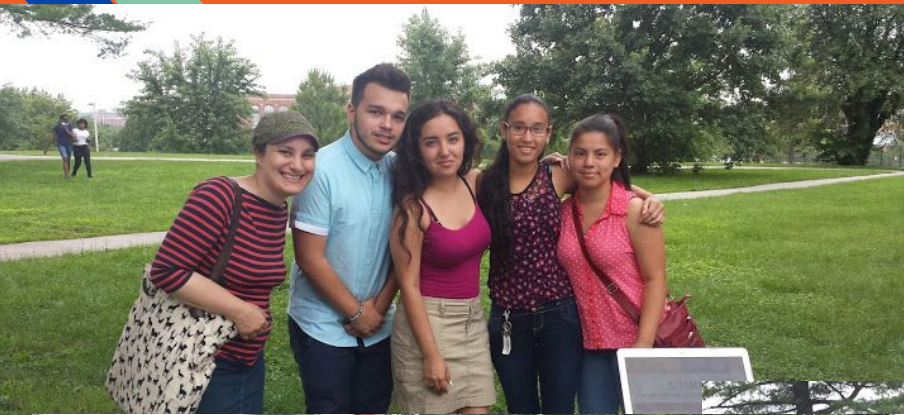




# SOMOS attends Latino Health Conference Centro SOL 2016



# SUMMER BRIDGE CLUB FAIR 2016







OUR PARTIES



# CREATING OYE



THIS YEAR WE WANT...



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**!WE ARE  
FAMILY!**

**SOMOS**

**!WE ARE  
UNKIGHTED  
!**

**CITY?  
YEAH, JUST  
THE BEST!**

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