

## PUBLIC CHARGE

**THIS LAW ONLY AFFECTS THOSE APPLYING FOR A GREENCARD (PETITION VIA FAMILY OR JOB) OR SEEKING ENTRY INTO THE U.S.**

The following are NOT subject to the public charge law:

- U.S. citizens (adults & children)
- Refugees and asylees
- Special Immigrant Juveniles (SIJ)
- Trafficking victims (T Visa)
- Crime victims (U Visa)
- Domestic violence survivors (VAWA)
- Lawful permanent residents
- Naturalization applicants
- TPS holders and Undocumented who are not applying for a green card in the next 2 years

### **BENEFITS THAT COUNT FOR PUBLIC CHARGE NOW:**

- **CASH ASSISTANCE (SSI, TANF/CALWORKS)**
- **LONG-TERM INSTITUTIONALIZATION AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE (MEDICAL NURSING HOME, MENTAL HEALTH INSTITUTION)**

**Continue to receive benefits like Medical, SNAP, and housing benefits, if you qualify.**

**If there is a law change to Public Charge it would not be retroactive and it will take time to go into effect.**

## U.S. Citizens that are over 18

**MIDTERM  
ELECTIONS  
TUESDAY,  
NOVEMBER  
6, 2018**

**WHY IS THIS  
ELECTION  
IMPORTANT?**

It is important to vote for Senators and for House Representatives as well as initiatives that affect all of the CA residents.

**Register to vote!**  
**Vote.gov**

**REGISTER**  
Before  
**October 22, 2018**

**INFORM  
YOURSELF**  
[www.sos.ca.gov/  
elections/cavoter](http://www.sos.ca.gov/elections/cavoter)

**VOTE**  
**November 6, 2018**

# DACA RENEWALS ARE BEING ACCEPTED

If you have DACA or have ever had DACA

- Submit your renewal as soon as possible
- Go to a legal consult before submitting
- USCIS cannot share a DACA's recipient information with ICE without a court order

If you never had DACA

- Stay informed on government and court decisions to see when or if new DACA applications will be accepted

**1 IN 10 UNDOCUMENTED IMMIGRANTS ARE ELIGIBLE FOR LEGAL STATUS**  
**VISIT: WWW.IMMI.ORG**



## THE NUMBER OF REFUGEES ALLOWED IN THE US IN 2019 DECREASED

On September 17, the White House announced the number of refugees that will be allowed to come to the United States from now until the end of September 2019, will be 30,000.

[therefugeecenter.org](http://therefugeecenter.org)

## WANT TO BECOME A CITIZEN??

Visit the Multicultural Institute to find out if you are qualified to become a US citizen.

If you are qualified, we will help you apply for citizenship through our free citizenship course.

## FREE LEGAL CLINICS

October 3    November 7  
 December 5  
 Time: 5:30-6:30pm  
 Location: 1920 Seventh St.  
 Berkeley, CA 94710



### REAL ID

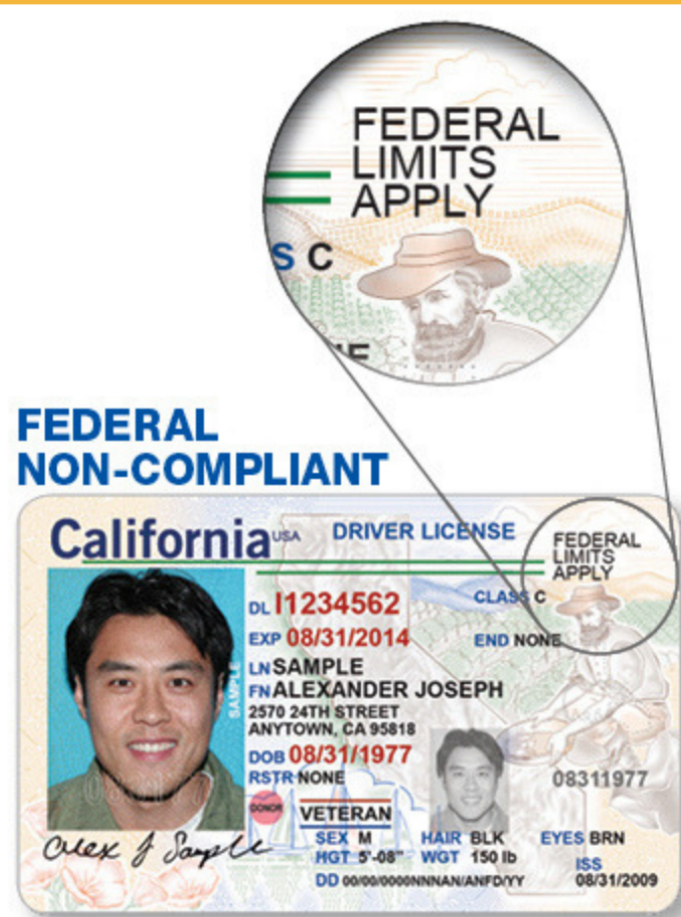
You have two options, but in order to receive the REAL ID you need to provide more documentation about your identity. For more information about the list of acceptable documents see [www.dmv.ca.gov](http://www.dmv.ca.gov) or visit your local DMV.

If you are given a non-REAL ID or a "marked" license, it does not indicate in any way that the license-holder is not lawfully present. It only means you cannot use that ID to access Federal Facilities or board domestic flights, you would need a passport.

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