

SAY THIS:

Hi [[NAME]], thank you for taking the time to speak with me. I'm a constituent of yours from the XXX area in your district. I wanted to talk with you to discuss my concerns for the more than a million undocumented young people who've lived here most or all their lives, and have been put at risk of deportation because their DACA-status will end. I wanted to speak with you specifically about your role in supporting a legislative solution that focuses on normalizing the status of these good, young people without targeting their parents, and about supporting a clean-DREAM Act.

TOPLINE STATISTICS:

- 92% of DACA beneficiaries indicated that they pursued educational opportunities that they previously could not without DACA.
- Passing the Dream Act, and placing all of the potentially immediately eligible workers on a path to legal status, would add a total of \$22.7 billion annually to the U.S. gross domestic product (GDP).
 - The cumulative increase in GDP over 10 years would be \$281 billion.
- 1.9 million young people in the workforce would be immediately eligible for the Dream Act based on their age
- Recipients of DACA, alone, are either still in school or are contributing to society in a wide variety of work fields and professions

ASK THIS:

Q1. Congressman/woman, I am a DACA recipient/ I know members of our community that enrolled in and were protected from deportation by DACA because they have proven they are law-abiding, productive people. The Trump Administration is already gearing for mass deportations and round-ups while I/my friends wait for Congress to act. **What will you do to protect immigrants and DACA recipients in our community, and will you vote to support a clean-DREAM Act?**

Q2. If you don't support a clean-DREAM Act (one that doesn't also authorize increased interior immigration enforcement that would separate families, or fund a border wall with Mexico), **what compromises are you considering that would convince you to vote for the DREAM Act?**

BE PREPARED:

If you are visiting an office in person, or would like more information, print out these sources to reference or leave with your representative's office:

- [The Economic Benefits of Passing the Dream Act](#)
- [New Study of DACA Beneficiaries Shows Positive Economic and Educational Outcomes](#)
- [Ending DACA Will Cost States Billions of Dollars](#)
- [The High Cost of Ending Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals](#)
- [What Ending DACA Means for LGBTQ Dreamers](#)