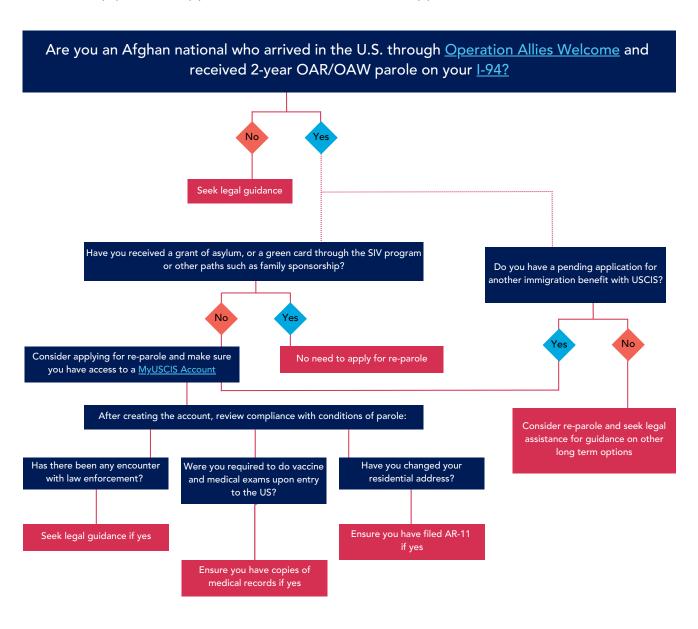


Afghan Re-Parole Decision Tree

What is the new re-parole process for Afghans and should I apply?

The Department of Homeland Security (DHS) <u>announced</u> a new application process to extend or "re-parole" eligible Afghan nationals so they can continue living and working legally in the U.S. Beginning in June, Afghan nationals who came to the U.S. on parole through <u>Operation Allies Welcome</u> (OAW) will be able to request another 2-year parole and work permit through an online application or paper filing. There is no filing fee for either application. This decision tree will help potential applicants decide if they need to apply.



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Get Ready! Checklist

One of the best ways you can get ready to apply for re-parole is to ensure you have gathered and organized your immigration documents. Here is a quick checklist of documents to gather or make sure that you have ready:

Afghan National Identity Documents (passport, tazkira/tazkera)
Evidence of Current Parole (I-94 Arrival Record)
USCIS A- Number (listed on I-94 Arrival Record, Forms I-797C and Work Permit/EAD)
Work Permit/Employment Authorization Document (EAD)
Evidence of family relationship (birth/marriage certificates)
Evidence of reporting change of residential address/filing AR-11, if required
Evidence of completing the certification at the <u>Afghan Parolee</u> <u>Vaccination Status</u> , if required
Evidence of Financial stability (Tax return, W-2s/1099s, bank statements, proof of employment/salary)
If you have had any encounter with law enforcement, ensure you have a copy of any citations, traffic tickets, case dispositions, etc. that were issued and ensure you seek legal guidance.

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