

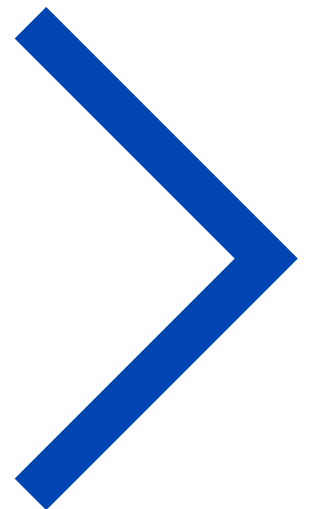


Mayor's Office of  
Immigrant Affairs



## New Announcement for Haitians

**On June 28, 2024, the U.S.  
Government announced  
the redesignation of  
Temporary Protected  
Status (TPS) for Haiti.**





TPS is a temporary immigration protection that allows certain people to stay in the United States if it is unsafe for them to return to their country. People who apply for TPS can also apply for a work permit.



## Who is Eligible?

This means people from Haiti who **have been living in the U.S. since June 3, 2024**, can apply for TPS, and eventually a work permit.

Those who already have TPS can renew their TPS for an additional 18 months and **must reapply between July 1, 2024, and August 30, 2024**, to avoid losing their status and work permits.

# When Can I Apply?



You can begin to submit applications for **TPS starting July 1, 2024.** To apply, you will need documents to prove:

**1**

**your nationality**

**2**

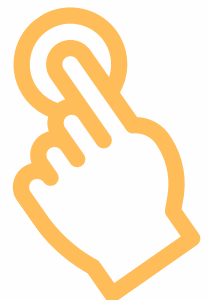
**your presence and residence in the U.S. since June 3, 2024.**



**We encourage you to only consult immigration matters with a licensed attorney or a DOJ accredited representative.**



**For more information about how to protect yourself from immigration legal fraud, please visit our website: [www.nyc.gov/immigrationfraud](http://www.nyc.gov/immigrationfraud)**



**1-800-354-0365**

**Monday to Friday, 9AM to 6PM**

**Access legal help by calling  
the MOIA Immigration Legal  
Support Hotline**



# BEWARE OF LEGAL IMMIGRATION SCAMS AND FRAUDULENT ACTORS

## Remember:

- Only a licensed attorney or a DOJ Accredited Representative can file applications on your behalf.
- A public notary who is not a licensed attorney is unable to fill out these forms/file them on your behalf. They also cannot charge you to do this.



**Immigration law is complicated.  
Beware of immigration legal scams or  
fraudulent providers who may indicate  
otherwise and make false promises, such as:**

- A way to get a work permit or visa **immediately**.
- Statements indicating that there are **no risks or consequences**.
- Claims of **special influence** with immigration authorities.