



Preparing for Deferred Action: Absences from the United States

To help you prepare to apply for deferred action, it is useful for legal services providers to know if you have ever left the United States since you first entered the country. On this paper, please list all the times (if any) that you left the United States and returned. Include the date(s) you left and returned (exact dates are best, but approximate dates, such as month and year or just the year are also helpful). Also, include the U.S. location where you entered when you returned, as well as the reason for your absence (e.g. left to visit an ill relative or left due to deportation). Begin with your most recent absence and work back to your first entry to the U.S.

Example: Date left U.S. (month/day/year or month/year or year): 01/13/2011
 Date returned to U.S.: 02/2011
 Reason for absence: Left to Mexico to visit ill grandmother
 Location of entry when returned: San Ysidro, California

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 Date returned to U.S.:
 Reason for absence:
 Location of entry when returned:

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 Location of entry when returned:

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 Reason for absence:
 Location of entry when returned:

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 Reason for absence:
 Location of entry when returned:

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Location of entry when returned:

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