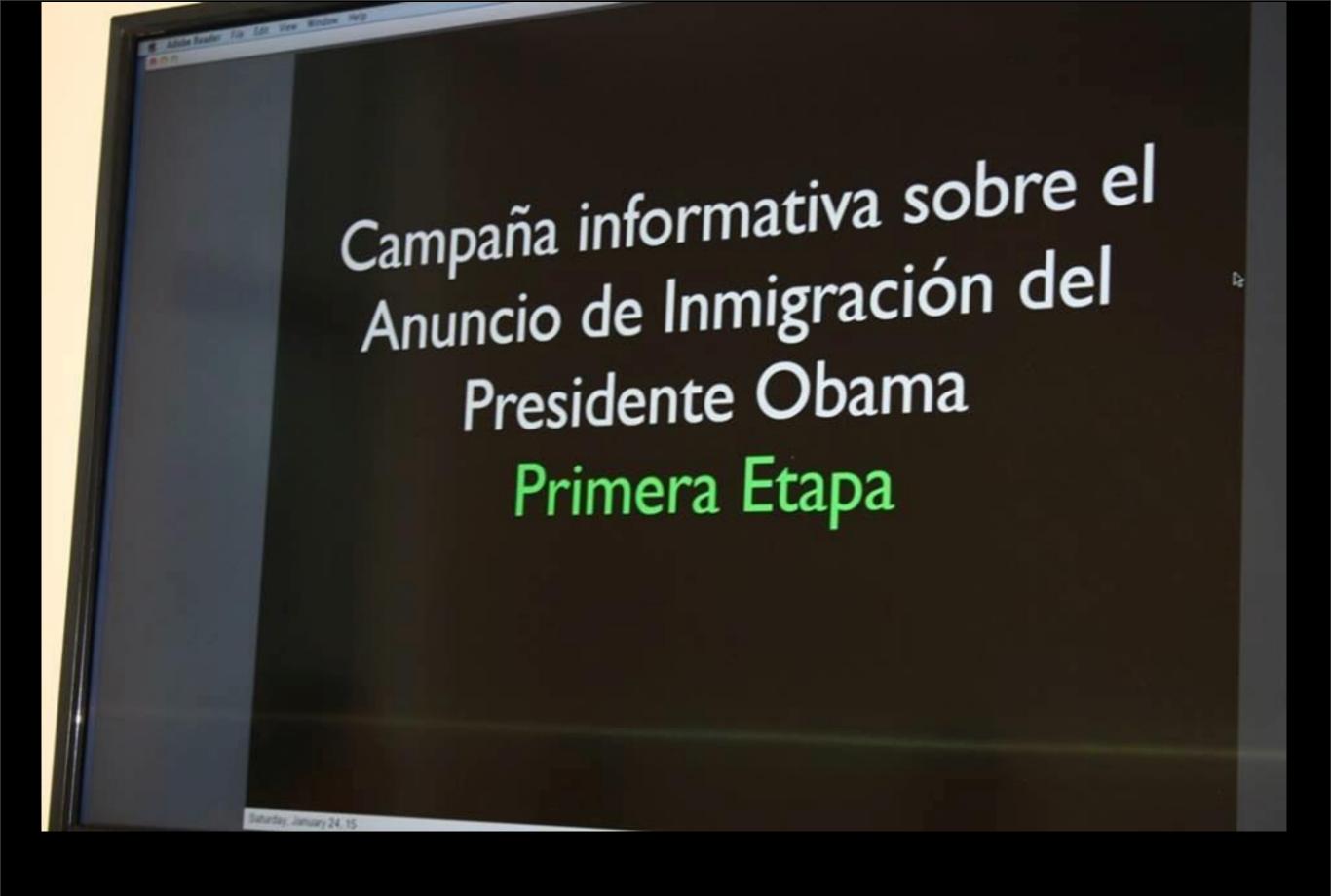
Challenges and obstacles –
political, judicial and technical
–relating to the
implementation of DACA and
DAPA. Current status and
possible scenarios.

- The importance of local-level efforts;
- Short-, medium- and long-term challenges;
- What actions are being taken by states, cities and the Federal Government to promote DACA, enable the implementation of the expanded DACA and DAPA and continue to prepare the community?



El Presidente Obama Anunció El Nuevo Programa DAPA Para Padres



Este programa les permitirá a los padres sin estatus legal solicitar acción diferida ante deportación y un permiso de trabajo si:

- Tiene hijos ciudadanos estadounidenses o hijos residentes permanentes legales (nacidos en o antes del 20 de Noviembre del 2014)
- Han vivido continuamente en los Estados Unidos desde el 1 de Enero del 2010.

Individuos tendrán que registrarse en el 2015, tal vez en Abril o Mayo, y no habrá fecha límite. Tendrán que:

- Llenar su permiso con Centro Presente,
- Pagar las cuotas de solicitud,
- Someterse a una investigación de antecedentes penales, la cual pagarán ellos mismos y
- Cumplir con las reglas del programa.

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- The objectives of the information campaign by Centro Presente are: To inform immigrant communities about the basic requirements for applying to this new programme.
- To encourage them to continue implementing efforts in an organized manner to promote broader and fairer changes in the immigration legislation system. To encourage undocumented populations that are not eligible for this programme to get organized and to continue advocating for the respect for their rights as immigrants and acknowledgment of their positive contributions to society in the US.



- An estimated 4.4 million parents of US citizens and permanent residents throughout the country will be able to regularize their migration status through this programme.
- According to the Immigration
 Policy Institute, approximately I85,000 undocumented immigrants are living in the state of Massachusetts; at least 65,000 of them could be eligible for the changes in immigration.







- Information campaigns in collaboration with municipal governments;
- Municipal resolutions supporting the Executive Order.







Short-,
Medium- and
Long-term
Challenges

- The changes in immigration policy announced on November 20, 2014 also contain other elements;
- A larger budget for the militarization of the US southern border;
- Implementation of the Priority
 Enforcement Program PEP).

Security or Militarization?



 The National Guard at the US southern border.

• State officials have estimated that the total monthly cost of deployment is US\$12 million. In addition, they claim that the soldiers were necessary to help ensure security at the border at a time when the Border Patrol is busy with the increase in the flow of undocumented migrants.



- DAPA as well as DACA are measures that only regularize the labour dimension of migrants;
- Push factors of undocumented migration. Structural causes.