Hello All,

Below you will find updates and information on the following topics: I. Reminder: May 25 UC-Wide Webinar - Advance Parole Updates; II. "Schumer Readies Plan B to Push Immigration Changes Unilaterally"; III. Mixed-status family access to public and subsidized housing; and IV. REAL ID update.

**I. Reminder: May 25 UC-Wide Webinar - Advance Parole Updates**

We invite you to remind students that we will be hosting a webinar on Advance Parole on May 25. Please see attached flyer. During this one-hour webinar, we will discuss Advance Parole fundamentals including who qualifies, what is needed to apply, case processing updates, and more. As always, the discussion will be followed by Q&A.

**II. "Schumer Readies Plan B to Push Immigration Changes Unilaterally"**

Democratic Senate majority leader Chuck Schumer has indicated that he hopes to utilize budget reconciliation to push forward the Biden Administration's immigration plan to legalize millions of undocumented immigrants. Activists, researchers, and congressional aides are exploring whether a broad revision of immigration laws can be attached to Biden's infrastructure plan. They must demonstrate that the budget impact of the immigration bills is high enough to meet the reconciliation standard. If included, the measures would be put to a simple majority vote (51 to 49), avoiding filibuster and the super majority vote (60 to 40) that is currently required to pass the proposed immigration legislation.

**III. Mixed-status family access to public and subsidized housing**

Last month, the Biden Administration reversed the Trump Administration’s proposal to deny mixed-status families access to public and subsidized housing.

As a related matter, USCIS is no longer applying the Trump Administration's August 2019 "Public Charge Final Rule," therefore USCIS is no longer considering an applicant’s receipt of public
housing as part of the public charge inadmissibility determination. (See UCImm Updates March 2021 for more on public charge).

IV. REAL ID update

The deadline to obtain a REAL ID card has been pushed back once again due to the COVID-19 pandemic; the new enforcement date is May 3, 2023.

As always, please do not hesitate to reach out with any questions.

Thank you,
The UC Immigrant Legal Services Center team