

BAB IV KESIMPULAN

Amerika Serikat berada di posisi pertama dalam urutan negara yang memiliki imigran terbanyak. Untuk mengatasi permasalahan tersebut, Barack Obama membentuk suatu program yang memiliki tujuan untuk melindungi para imigran muda yang datang ke AS tanpa adanya perizinan pada saat mereka masih kecil, yaitu *Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals*. DACA telah menimbulkan dampak positif bagi perekonomian AS. Program tersebut meningkatkan upah gaji dan partisipasi angkatan kerja para imigran, sehingga memberikan keuntungan bagi kondisi perekonomian AS. Bahkan, program tersebut telah memberikan kontribusi terhadap PDB AS.

Namun, dengan terpilihnya Trump menjadi Presiden, kebijakan imigrasi AS mengalami perubahan, dimana imigran dilihat sebagai ancaman utama nasional. Hal tersebut menyebabkan kebijakan imigrasi yang dibentuk cenderung bersifat anti-imigran. Selain itu, Trump memutuskan untuk menghentikan DACA, yang menyebabkan para anggota kehilangan perlindungan dari deportasi dan izin kerja. Dengan itu, penelitian ini memiliki pertanyaan penelitian, **“Bagaimana dampak penghentian Program *Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals* terhadap keamanan ekonomi AS terkait jaminan pekerjaan dan jaminan kesehatan bagi masyarakat Amerika Serikat?”** Setelah melakukan penelitian melalui berbagai kajian pustaka dengan menggunakan teori Keamanan Ekonomi, maka penulis dapat menyimpulkan hasil penelitian sebagai berikut:

Secara garis besar, imigran memberikan dampak yang positif bagi keamanan ekonomi nasional. Setelah melakukan penelitian ini, penulis melihat bahwa DACA memberikan dampak ekonomi yang baik bagi AS, terutama pada jaminan pekerjaan dan jaminan kesehatan. Jika dilihat melalui dampak yang DACA berikan terhadap jaminan pekerjaan, DACA telah ikut berpartisipasi dalam pasar tenaga kerja, yang berujung pada peningkatan upah gaji bagi AS. Selain itu, DACA telah mengurangi kemiskinan bagi para imigran ilegal. Dengan kebijakan imigrasi Trump yang menghentikan DACA, maka penciptaan lapangan kerja berkurang dan memperburuk pasar tenaga kerja, serta mengurangi pendapatan penduduk asli dan keuntungan bagi perusahaan. Banyak industri yang mengalami kesulitan mencari pekerja dengan berkurangnya tenaga kerja dari imigran. Terjadinya hal tersebut menyebabkan PDB AS menurun.

Dampak penghentian DACA terhadap jaminan pekerjaan pun memiliki kaitan dengan jaminan kesehatan. Dengan dihentikannya program tersebut, tenaga kerja kesehatan AS berkurang karena imigran tidak bisa mendapatkan izin kerja yang diperlukan untuk mendaftar sebagai pekerja kesehatan, sehingga menghambat keefektifan kerja di bidang kesehatan. Meningkatnya penyebaran pandemi *Covid-19* memperburuk keadaan dengan tidak adanya perawat yang cukup untuk mengatasinya. Kondisi tersebut menimbulkan ancaman bagi kesehatan AS, yaitu persiapan dan kemampuan untuk menangani kesehatan masyarakat.

Dari penelitian ini, penulis melihat bahwa imigrasi merupakan faktor yang mempengaruhi distribusi dan sumber daya manusia di bidang kesehatan. Terkait dengan kondisi pandemi *Covid-19*, imigran telah membantu jumlah tenaga kerja

kesehatan yang dapat menangani situasinya, sehingga jaminan kesehatan bagi masyarakat AS dapat berjalan dengan baik. Penyebaran *virus* dapat diatasi secara efektif dengan adanya tenaga kerja kesehatan yang mencukupi. Hal tersebut menunjukkan bagi sangat penting bagi AS untuk memiliki kebijakan imigrasi yang dapat melancarkan penanganan yang efektif untuk jaminan kesehatan masyarakat.

Selama situasi pandemi, banyak fasilitas yang gagal dalam memenuhi kebutuhan kesehatan publik. Kebijakan imigrasi AS telah memperburuk krisis kesehatan nasional. Selain karena kurangnya tenaga kerja kesehatan, dengan kebijakan imigrasi Trump, banyak jumlah dari imigran yang membatalkan asuransi kesehatan dan menghindari perawatan kesehatan karena ancaman deportasi. Meningkatnya jumlah masyarakat yang tidak memiliki asuransi meningkatkan jaminan kesehatan karena ketika individu terkena penyakit menular, mereka tidak dapat berobat dengan biaya yang mahal dan menimbulkan penyakit yang mereka tidak teratasi dan menjadi menyebar.

Selain itu, dampak penghentian DACA terhadap jaminan kesehatan dapat dilihat melalui berkurangnya kontribusi terhadap Jaminan Sosial dan *Medicare*. Dengan berkurangnya kontribusi tersebut, warga senior penduduk asli yang bergantung pada Jaminan Sosial dan *Medicare* mengalami kesulitan untuk mendapatkan akses terhadap pelayanan kesehatan.

Penelitian ini menunjukkan bahwa kebijakan imigrasi Trump terkait penghentian DACA memberikan dampak yang merugikan bagi jaminan pekerjaan dan jaminan kesehatan AS melalui kontribusi imigran yang berkurang terhadap pasar tenaga kerja, serta Jaminan Sosial dan *Medicare*, dan PDB yang menurun.

Dengan itu, keputusan Trump untuk menghentikan DACA mengancam keamanan ekonomi AS.

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