

# N-600, Application for Certificate of Citizenship

Department of Homeland Security  
U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services

Print clearly or type your answers, using CAPITAL letters in black ink. Failure to print clearly may delay processing of your application.

**Part I. Information About You.** (Provide information about yourself, if you are a person applying for the Certificate of Citizenship. If you are a U.S. citizen parent applying for a Certificate of Citizenship for your minor child, provide information about your child).

**If your child has an "A" Number, write it here:**  
**A**

**1. Current legal name**

Family Name (Last Name)

Given Name (First Name)

Full Middle Name (If applicable)

**2. Name exactly as it appears on your Permanent Resident Card** (If applicable).

Family Name (Last Name)

Given Name (First Name)

Full Middle Name (If applicable)

**3. Other names used since birth**

Family Name (Last Name)

Given Name (First Name)

Middle Name (If applicable)

**4. U.S. Social Security #** (If applicable)

**5. Date of Birth** (mm/dd/yyyy)

**6. Country of Birth**

**7. Country of Prior Nationality**

**8. Gender**

Male  Female

**9. Height**

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**Action Block**

**To Be Completed by**

Attorney or Representative, if any.

Fill in box if G-28 is attached to represent the applicant.

ATTY State License #

**Part 2. Information About Your Eligibility.** (Check only one).

**A. I am claiming U.S. citizenship through:**

- A U.S. citizen father or a U.S. citizen mother.
- Both U.S. citizen parents.
- A U.S. citizen adoptive parent(s).
- An alien parent(s) who naturalized.

**B.**  I am a U.S. citizen parent applying for a certificate of citizenship on behalf of my minor (under 18 years) **BIOLOGICAL** child.

**C.**  I am a U.S. citizen parent applying for a certificate of citizenship on behalf of my minor (less than 18 years) **ADOPTED** child.

**D.**  **Other** (Please explain fully) \_\_\_\_\_

**Part 3. Additional Information About You.** (Provide additional information about **yourself**, if you are the person applying for the Certificate of Citizenship. If you are a U.S. citizen parent applying for a Certificate of Citizenship for your **minor child**, provide the additional information about your **minor child**).

**1. Home Address - Street Number and Name** (Do not write a P.O. Box in this space) Apartment Number

City	County	State/Province	Country	Zip/Postal Code

**2. Mailing Address - Street Number and Name** (If different from home address) Apartment Number

City	County	State/Province	Country	Zip/Postal Code

**3. Daytime Phone Number** (If any) Evening Phone Number (If any) E-Mail Address (If any)

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**4. Marital Status**

Single, Never Married     Married     Divorced     Widowed

Marriage Annulled or Other (Explain)

**5. Information about entry into the United States and current immigration status**

**A. I arrived in the following manner:**

Port of Entry (City/State)	Date of Entry (mm/dd/yyyy)	Exact Name Used at Time of Entry:

**B. I used the following travel document to enter:**

Passport

Passport Number	Country Issuing Passport	Date Passport Issued (mm/dd/yyyy)

Other (Please Specify Name of Document and Dates of Issuance)

**C. I entered as:**

An immigrant (lawful permanent resident) using an immigrant visa

A nonimmigrant

A refugee

Other (Explain) \_\_\_\_\_

**D. I obtained lawful permanent resident status through adjustment of status** (If applicable):

Date you became a Permanent Resident (mm/dd/yyyy)	USCIS Office where granted adjustment of status

**6. Have you previously applied for a certificate of citizenship or U.S. passport?**     No     Yes (Attach Explanation)

**Part 3. Additional Information About You.** (Provide additional information about **yourself**, if you are the person applying for the Certificate of Citizenship. If you are a U.S. citizen parent applying for a Certificate of Citizenship for your **minor child**, provide the additional information about your **minor child**). **Continued.**

**7. Were you adopted?**  No  Yes (Please complete the following information):

Date of Adoption (mm/dd/yyyy)

Place of Final Adoption (City/State or Country)



Date Legal Custody Began (mm/dd/yyyy)

Date Physical Custody Began (mm/dd/yyyy)



**8. Did you have to be re-adopted in the United States?**  No  Yes (Please complete the following information):

Date of Final Adoption (mm/dd/yyyy)

Place of Final Adoption (City/State)



Date Legal Custody Began (mm/dd/yyyy)

Date Physical Custody Began (mm/dd/yyyy)



**9. Were your parents married to each other when you were born (or adopted)?**  No  Yes

**10. Have you been absent from the United States since you first arrived?** (Only for persons born before October 10, 1952, who are claiming U.S. citizenship at time of birth; otherwise, do not complete this section.)  No  Yes

If yes, complete the following information about all absences, beginning with your most recent trip. If you need more space, use a separate sheet of paper.

Date You Left the United States (mm/dd/yyyy)	Date You Returned to the United States (mm/dd/yyyy)	Place of Entry Upon Return to the United States

**Part 4. Information About U.S. Citizen Father (or Adoptive Father).** (Complete this section if you are claiming citizenship through a U.S. citizen father. If you are a U.S. citizen father applying for a Certificate of Citizenship on behalf of your minor biological or adopted child, provide information about **yourself** below.)

**1. Current legal name of U.S. citizen father.**

Family Name (Last Name)

Given Name (First Name)

Full Middle Name (If applicable)




**2. Date of Birth** (mm/dd/yyyy)

**3. Country of Birth**

**4. Country of Nationality**




**5. Home Address - Street Number and Name** (If deceased, so state and enter date of death)

Apartment Number



City

County

State/Province

Country

Zip/Postal Code

**Part 4. Information About U.S. Citizen Father (or Adoptive Father).** (Complete this section if you are claiming citizenship through a U.S. citizen father. If you are a U.S. citizen father applying for a Certificate of Citizenship on behalf of your minor biological or adopted child, provide information about yourself below.) **Continued.**

**6. U.S. citizen by:**

- Birth in the United States
- Birth abroad to U.S. citizen parent(s)
- Acquisition after birth through naturalization of alien parent(s)
- Naturalization

Date of Naturalization (mm/dd/yyyy)      Place of Naturalization (Name of Court and City/State or USCIS or Former INS Office Location)

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Certificate of Naturalization Number      Former "A" Number (If known)

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**7. Has your father ever lost U.S. citizenship or taken any action that would cause loss of U.S. citizenship?**

- No       Yes (Provide full explanation on a separate sheet(s) of paper.)

**8. Dates of Residence and/or Physical Presence in the United States** (Complete this only if you are an applicant claiming U.S. citizenship at time of birth abroad)

Provide the dates your U.S. citizen father resided in or was physically present in the United States. If you need more space, use a separate sheet(s) of paper.

From (mm/dd/yyyy)	To (mm/dd/yyyy)

**9. Marital History**

**A.** How many times has your U.S. citizen father been married (including annulled marriages)?

**B. Information about U.S. citizen father's current spouse:**

Family Name (Last Name)      Given Name (First Name)      Full Middle Name (If applicable)

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Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)      Country of Birth      Country of Nationality

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Home Address - Street Number and Name      Apartment Number

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City      County      State or Province      Country      Zip/Postal Code

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Date of Marriage (mm/dd/yyyy)      Place of Marriage (City/State or Country)

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Spouse's Immigration Status:

- U.S. Citizen       Lawful Permanent Resident       Other (Explain)

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**C.** Is your U.S. citizen father's current spouse also your mother?       No       Yes

**Part 5. Information About Your U.S. Citizen Mother (or Adoptive Mother).** (Complete this section if you are claiming citizenship through a U.S. citizen mother (or adoptive mother). If you are a U.S. citizen mother applying for a Certificate of Citizenship on behalf of your minor biological or adopted child, provide information about **yourself** below).

**1. Current legal name of U.S. citizen mother.**

Family Name (Last Name)	Given Name (First Name)	Full Middle Name (If applicable)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

**2. Date of Birth** (mm/dd/yyyy)

**3. Country of Birth**

**4. Country of Nationality**

**5. Home Address** - Street Number and Name (If deceased, so state and enter date of death)

Apartment Number

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City	County	State/Province	Country	Zip/Postal Code
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**6. U.S. citizen by:**

- Birth in the United States
- Birth abroad to U.S. citizen parent(s)
- Acquisition after birth through naturalization of alien parent(s)
- Naturalization

Date of Naturalization (mm/dd/yyyy)

Place of Naturalization (Name of Court and City/State or USCIS)

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Certificate of Naturalization Number

Former "A" Number (If known)

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**7. Has your mother ever lost U.S. citizenship or taken any action that would cause loss of U.S. citizenship?**

- No
- Yes (Provide full explanation on a separate sheet(s) of paper.)

**8. Dates of Residence and/or Physical Presence in the United States** (Complete this only if you are an applicant claiming U.S. citizenship at time of birth abroad)

Provide the dates your U.S. citizen father resided in or was physically present in the United States. If you need more space, use a separate sheet(s) of paper.

From (mm/dd/yyyy)	To (mm/dd/yyyy)
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<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

**9. Marital History**

**A.** How many times has your U.S. citizen mother been married (including annulled marriages)?

**B.** Information about U.S. citizen mother's **current spouse:**

Family Name (Last Name)	Given Name (First Name)	Full Middle Name (If applicable)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)	Country of Birth	Country of Nationality
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

**Part 5. Information About Your U.S. Citizen Mother (or Adoptive Mother).** (Complete this section if you are claiming citizenship through a U.S. citizen mother (or adoptive mother). If you are a U.S. citizen mother applying for a Certificate of Citizenship on behalf of your minor biological or adopted child, provide information about yourself below). **Continued.**

**C. Information about U.S. citizen mother's current spouse:** (Continued.)

Home Address - Street Number and Name				Apartment Number
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City	County	State or Province	Country	Zip/Postal Code
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Date of Marriage (mm/dd/yyyy)		Place of Marriage (City/State or Country)		
<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>		
Spouse's Immigration Status:				
<input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Citizen	<input type="checkbox"/> Lawful Permanent Resident	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain)	<input type="text"/>	

**D.** Is your U.S. citizen mother's current spouse also your father?  No  Yes

**Part 6. Information About Military Service of U. S. Citizen Parent(s).** (Complete this only if you are an applicant claiming U.S. citizenship at time of birth abroad)

1. Has your U. S. citizen parent(s) served in the armed forces?  No  Yes

2. If "Yes," which parent?  U.S. Citizen Father  U.S. Citizen Mother

3. Dates of Service. (If time of service fulfills any of required physical presence, submit evidence of service.)

From (mm/dd/yyyy)	To (mm/dd/yyyy)	From (mm/dd/yyyy)	To (mm/dd/yyyy)
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4. Type of discharge.  Honorable  Other than Honorable  Dishonorable

**Part 7. Signature.**

I certify, under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States, that this application and the evidence submitted with it is all true and correct. I authorize the release of any information from my records, or my minor child's records, that U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services needs to determine eligibility for the benefit I am seeking.

Applicant's Signature	Printed Name	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

**Part 8. Signature of Person Preparing This Form, If Other Than Applicant.**

I declare that I prepared this application at the request of the above person. The answers provided are based on information of which I have personal knowledge and/or were provided to me by the above-named person in response to the questions contained on this form.

Preparer's Signature	Preparer's Printed Name	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	
Name of Business/Organization (If applicable)	Preparer's Daytime Phone Number		
<input type="text"/>	( )		
Preparer's Address - Street Number and Name			
<input type="text"/>			
City	County	State	Zip Code
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

**NOTE: Do not complete the following parts unless a USCIS officer instructs you to do so at the interview.**

**Part 9. Affidavit.**

I, the (applicant, parent or legal guardian) \_\_\_\_\_ do swear or affirm, under penalty of perjury laws of the United States, that I know and understand the contents of this application signed by me, and the attached supplementary pages number ( \_\_\_ ) to ( \_\_\_ ) inclusive, that the same are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, and that corrections number ( \_\_\_ ) to ( \_\_\_ ) were made by me or at my request.

Signature of parent, guardian or applicant

Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

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Subscribed and sworn or affirmed before me upon examination of the applicant (parent, guardian) on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ .

Signature of Interviewing Officer

Title

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**Part 10. Officer Report and Recommendation on Application for Certificate of Citizenship.**

On the basis of the documents, records and the testimony of persons examined, and the identification upon personal appearance of the underage beneficiary, I find that all the facts and conclusions set forth under oath in this application are  true and correct; that the applicant did  derive or acquire U.S. citizenship on \_\_\_\_\_ (mm/dd/yyyy), through (mark "X" in appropriate section of law or, if section of law not reflected, insert applicable section of law in "Other" block):  section 301 of the INA  section 309 of the INA

section 320 of the INA  section 321 of the INA  Other \_\_\_\_\_

and that (s)he  has  has not been expatriated since that time. I recommend that this application be  granted  denied and that

A or  AA Certificate of Citizenship be issued in the name of \_\_\_\_\_ .

District Adjudication Officer's Name and Title

District Adjudication Officer's Signature

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I do  do not  concur in recommendation of the application.

District Director or Officer-in-Charge Signature

Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

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