

# N400 INTERACTIVE FORM COPY: QUESTIONS, INS

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<b>Step</b>	<b>Section</b>
<b>Becoming a citizen through naturalization: The application process</b>	<b>Eligibility</b>

**Cost**

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**Security**

**What happens after I apply?**

**Biometrics appointment**

**Request for evidence**

**Interview**

**Oath of Allegiance**

**Start your application**

**Privacy Act Statement**

**Reminder**

## TRUCTIONAL AND HELP TEXT, AND OTHER

### Instructional Text

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(IF USER REACHED THE END OF THE ELIGIBILITY TOOL AND RECEIVED A 'YOU MAY BE ELIGIBLE' CONFIRMATION SCREEN) You may be eligible for naturalization because [eligibility basis].

If you think this eligibility basis is incorrect, you can change it after you start your application.

(IF USER SKIPS ELIGIBILITY TOOL OR RECEIVED A 'YOU MAY NOT BE ELIGIBLE' CONFIRMATION SCREEN) You will need to select your basis for eligibility after you start your application.

If you are under 75 years old, the application fee is \$680. This includes the \$595 standard fee plus an \$85 biometrics service fee. If you are 75 years or older, there is no biometrics fee, so the fee is \$595.

Submitting your application online is the same as mailing in a completed paper form, and they both gather the same information (and cost the same).

If you do not work on your application for more than 30 days, we will delete your data in order to prevent storing personal information indefinitely. **If your data are deleted, you can restart the application at any time.**

A few weeks after you submit your application, we will contact you to schedule an appointment at an Application Support Center near you. At the appointment, we will get your fingerprints, photograph, and signature.

If we need more information, we will contact you by email and through a written notice in the mail to ask for other documents. This may happen before or after your interview.

After your biometrics appointment, we will schedule your interview at a local USCIS field office (unless you qualify for a special accommodation). At the interview, you will answer questions about your application, then take the civics and English tests if required.

**Once** your application is approved, you **will be** ready to take the Oath of Allegiance! At your naturalization ceremony, you will return your Permanent Resident Card, answer questions about your activity since the interview, take the Oath of Allegiance, and get your Certificate of Naturalization.

Before the start of the Application for Naturalization (N-400), you may want to gather the documents you will need to support your application.

The other documents you need will depend on the information you provide in the application form (such as your personal history, family, and circumstances).

**AUTHORITIES:** The information requested on this application, and the associated evidence, is collected under the Immigration and Nationality Act section 334 [8 U.S.C. 1445].

**PURPOSE:** The primary purpose for providing the requested information on this application is to determine if you have established eligibility for naturalization. USCIS requests the applicant to provide their Social Security number (SSN) to facilitate and expedite the adjudication of the applicant's request. The SSN is used to establish and corroborate the applicant's identity to complete a sufficient background check. DHS will use the information you provide to grant or deny the immigration benefit you are seeking.

**DISCLOSURE:** The information you provide is voluntary. However, failure to provide the requested information, including the SSN, and any requested evidence, may delay a final decision in your case or result in denial of your application.

**ROUTINE USES:** DHS may share the information you provide on this application with other federal, state, local, and foreign government agencies and authorized organizations. DHS follows approved routine uses described in the associated published system of records notices [DHS-USCIS-007 - Benefits Information System and DHSUSCIS-001 - Alien File, Index, and National File Tracking System of Records] which you can find at [www.dhs.gov/privacy](http://www.dhs.gov/privacy). DHS may also share the information, as appropriate, for law enforcement purposes or in the interest of national security.

### **Paperwork Reduction Act Burden Disclosure Notice**

An agency may not conduct or sponsor information collection, and a person is not required to respond to a collection of information, unless it displays a currently valid Office of Management and Budget (OMB) control number. The public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated at 3.5 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, gathering the required documentation and information, completing the application, preparing statements, attaching necessary documentation, and submitting the application. The collection of biometrics is estimated to require 1 hour and 10 minutes. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden, to:

U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services, Regulatory  
Coordination Division  
Office of Policy and Strategy  
20 Massachusetts Ave NW  
Washington, DC 20529-2140

OMB No. 1615-0052. Do not mail your completed Form N-400 to this address.

If you do not work on your application for more than 30 days, we will delete your data in order to prevent storing personal information indefinitely.

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**Notes**

See the eligibility tool Excel doc for Basis of Eligibility copy

Military eligibility paths are not in the initial release for e-filing

**Comment Author**

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Comment	myUSCIS Response
On the military path, do we need a line that says that they are not included in the e-filing currently? That means they have to do a paper form?	If a user completes the eligibility tool and receives a military path, the confirmation message says they cannot e-file at this time. If a user does not complete the eligibility tool, and proceeds to the N-400 interactive form, if they select a military basis they receive a similar message.

"Can we say something like: If your application is deleted, you can begin your application process using this tool again." Not wedded to the language but want people to know that they start the process over again electronically.	Fixed
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Suggest changing this language to "Once your application is approved, you will be ready to take the oath of allegiance!"

Fixed

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<b>Getting Started</b>	<b>Basis for eligibility</b>	

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**Preparer and interpreter information**

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<b>Your name</b>	2.1.b
	2.1.c
	2.1.a
	2.3.b
	2.3.c
	2.3.a
	2.4
	2.4.b
	2.4.c
	2.4.a
<b>Your contact information</b>	4.4

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<b>When and where you were born</b>	2.8
	2.1
<b>Your immigration information</b>	2.11

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2.2.c

2.2.a

Part 1



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## ELABORATION AND HELP TEXT, AND OTHER COPY

for answering the question. (In some cases, like in the Crimes and Criminal Procedure Act, the Act may be used to expand. Provides additional contextual or clarifying information.)

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**Question**

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What is your basis for eligibility?

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Is someone assisting you with completing this application?

(IF YES) Is a preparer assisting you with completing this application?

(IF YES) Is an interpreter assisting you with completing this application?

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What is your preparer's full name?

What is your preparer's business or organization name?

What is your preparer's mailing address?

What is your preparer's contact information?

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What is your interpreter's full name?

What is your interpreter's business or organization name?

What is your interpreter's mailing address?

What is your interpreter's contact information?

What language is your interpreter using to interpret this application for you?

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What is your current legal name?

Have you used any other names since birth?

(IF YES)

Would you like to legally change your name?

(IF YES) What new name would you like to use?

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How can we contact you?

What is your current mailing address?

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What is your date of birth?

What is your country of birth?

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What is your country of citizenship or nationality?

On what date did you become a lawful permanent resident?

What is your name exactly as it appears on your permanent residence card?

What is your A-Number?

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What is your U.S. Social Security number?

What is your USCIS Online Account Number?

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(IF ELIGIBILITY=319.B) In which USCIS field office would you like to have your naturalization interview?

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<b>Sub-Question</b>	<b>Field Type</b>	<b>Not Required</b>
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I am at least 18 years of age and have been a lawful permanent resident of the United States for at least 5 years

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I am at least 18 years of age and have been a lawful permanent resident of the United States for at least 3 years. In addition, I have been married to and living with a U.S. citizen spouse for the last 3 years, and my spouse has been a U.S. citizen for the last 3 years at the time I filed my Form N-400.	Radio
I am at least 18 years of age, I am a lawful permanent resident of the United States, and I am the spouse of a U.S. citizen and my U.S. citizen spouse is regularly engaged in specified employment abroad	Radio
I am at least 18 years of age and am applying on the basis of qualifying military service	Radio
Other	Radio
(IF OTHER) Provide an explanation.	Text
Yes/No	Radio
Yes/No	Radio
Yes/No	Radio
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Given name (first name)	Text
Family name (last name)	Text
	Text
My preparer is not part of a business or organization.	Checkbox
Country	Text
Address line 1	Text
Address line 2	Text
City or town	Text
State	Dropdown
ZIP code	Text
Daytime phone number	Text
Mobile phone number	Text
My preparer does not have a mobile phone number.	Checkbox
Email address	Text
My preparer does not have an email address.	Checkbox
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Given name (first name)	Text
Family name (last name)	Text
	Text
My interpreter is not part of a business or organization.	Checkbox

X

Country	Text	
Address line 1	Text	
Address line 2	Text	X
City or town	Text	
State	Dropdown	
ZIP code	Text	
Daytime phone number	Text	
Mobile phone number	Text	
My interpreter does not have a mobile number.	Checkbox	
Email address	Text	
My interpreter does not have an email address.	Checkbox	
	Text	

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Given name (first name)	Text	
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Middle name (if applicable)	Text	X
Family name (last name)	Text	
Yes/No	Radio	

Given name (first name)	Text	
Middle name (if applicable)	Text	X
Family name (last name)	Text	
Yes/No	Radio	

Given name (first name)	Text	
Middle name (if applicable)	Text	X
Family name (last name)	Text	
Mobile phone number	Text	

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I am deaf or hard of hearing and need TTY assistance.	Checkbox	
Daytime phone number	Text	
This is the same as my mobile phone number.	Checkbox	
Evening phone number	Text	
This is the same as my mobile phone number.	Checkbox	
Work phone number	Text	
This is the same as my mobile phone number.	Checkbox	
Email address	Text	
In care of name (if any)	Text	X
Country	Dropdown	

Address line 1	Text	
Address line 2	Text	X
City or town	Text	
State/Province or region (FOR FOREIGN ADDRESS)	Text	
ZIP code/Postal code (FOR FOREIGN ADDRESS)	Text	
County	Dropdown	X

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Month/Day/Year	Date
This is an approximate date.	Checkbox
Country	Text

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Text

Month/Day/Year Date

Given name (first name) Text

Middle name (if applicable) Text X

Family name (last name) Text

The name on my permanent resident card matches my current legal name. Checkbox

Text

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I do not have a U.S. Social Security number. Text  
Checkbox

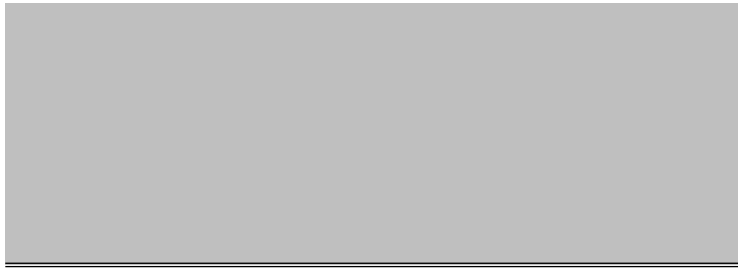
Text

I do not have a USCIS Online Account Number.

Checkbox

Dropdown

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## **Instructional Text**

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### **Before you start your application, here are a few things to know**

1. Make sure you are applying with the right basis for eligibility, either by using the basis shown or selecting your basis from the list of options on the next page.
2. You should answer all questions in the Getting Started section first so we can best customize the rest of your application experience.
3. You should provide as many responses as you can throughout the application, to the best of your knowledge. Incomplete fields or sections and missing information can slow down the process after you submit your application.
4. We will automatically save your information when you select next to go to a new page or navigate to another section of the application. We will save your information for 30 days from today, or from the last time you worked on your application.

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### **Information about your eligibility**

The basis for eligibility shown here reflects your answers to questions about your lawful permanent residency, age, and other factors. If this statement is not accurate, or you chose not to determine your eligibility, you can change your basis of eligibility here.

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A preparer is anyone who completes or helps you complete all or part of your application using information and answers that you provide.

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Your current legal name is the name on your birth certificate, unless it changed after birth by a legal action such as marriage or court order. Do not provide any nicknames here.

Other names used may include nicknames, aliases, and maiden names.

Provide the other names you have used.

A court can allow you to change your name at your naturalization oath ceremony.

You do not need to request a name change if you legally changed your name because of marriage, divorce, or other court order.

We cannot process name change requests for members of the military or their spouses who are naturalizing overseas.

Provide the new full name you would like to use. Any name change you request here will not be final until you become a U.S. citizen.

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We will use your current mailing address to contact you throughout the naturalization process. We may not be able to contact you if you do not provide a complete and valid address.

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Provide the name of the country as it currently exists, where you are currently a citizen or national. If the country no longer exists, use the current name of the country.

If you are a citizen or national of more than one country, provide the name of the foreign country that issued your last passport.

If you are stateless, enter the name of the current country where you were last a citizen or national.

Provide the official date when your permanent residence began as shown on your Permanent Resident Card (formerly known as the Alien Registration Card or referred to as the Green Card).

The date may be located on the front or back of the card, depending on when the card was issued.

[sample LPR card image]

Provide your name exactly as it appears on your Permanent Resident Card, even if it is misspelled.

Your A-Number is located on your Permanent Resident Card (formerly known as the Alien Registration Card or referred to as the Green Card), and consists of a 7, 8, or 9-digit number.

The A-Number may be located on the front or back of the card, depending on when the card was issued.

[sample A-Number card image]

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You can find your USCIS Online Account Number by signing in to your account and going to your profile page.

If you previously filed an application, petition, or request using the USCIS online filing system, provide the USCIS Online Account Number you were issued.

If you previously filed certain applications, petitions, or requests on a paper form via a USCIS Lockbox facility, you may have received a USCIS Online Account Access Notice issuing you a USCIS Online Account Number. You can find this number at the top of the notice.

The USCIS Online Account Number is not the same as an A-Number. The USCIS Online Account Number was previously called the USCIS Electronic Immigration System (USCIS ELIS) Number.

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**Help Text**

**Notes**

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We will have an eligibility path preselected; we will not present each basis for eligibility to users unless they want to manually select their eligibility basis

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DPC: Can we add language that explains what a preparer is? Some people may not understand what this term means.

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This answer will be used to populate the language being interpreted in statements/questions in the Interpreter signature section in Review & Submit

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Provide a name if someone else is receiving your mail for you at your current mailing address. Use "I" help text style

Instructions for P.O. Box numbers, students, spouses of U.S. citizens employed abroad, and applicants receiving benefits under the Violence Against Women Act (VAWA):

### **Post Office (P.O.) Box numbers**

Do not provide a P.O. Box number unless it is your only address.

### **Students**

If you are still financially dependent on your parents, you may apply for naturalization either where you go to school or where your family lives.

### **Spouses of U.S. citizens employed abroad**

If you are residing outside of the United States, are filing under INA section 319(b), and want us to collect your biometrics in the United States, then you must provide an address in the United States. We will send a letter to that mailing address notifying you when and where to go for biometrics services.

### **Domestic Violence Victims**

If you are a victim of domestic violence, you are not required to disclose the confidential address of a shelter or safe house. If you are residing at a shelter or safe house at the time of filing this application or you do not feel safe providing your current address, you may provide a "safe address" where you are able to receive mail. If you are not currently residing in a

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This is conditional based on eligibility; user will be able to search for offices by state

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<b>Step</b>	<b>Section</b>	<b>Paper Form Question #</b>
<b>About You</b>	<b>Describe yourself</b>	

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**Where you have lived**

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**School and employment**

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**Selective service**

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**Travel outside the U.S.**

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click to expand. Provides additional contextual or clarifying inform

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### Question

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What is your gender?

What is your ethnicity?

What is your race?

What is your height?

What is your weight?

What is the color of your eyes?

What is the color of your hair?

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Where do you live now?

When did you move here?

Where else have you lived during the last 5 years?

When did you live here?

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Where have you worked and/or attended school (full-time or part-time) during the last 5 years?

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Add school

What is the name of the school?

What was your occupation?

On what dates did you attend this school?

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What is the school's address?

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Add employer

What is the name of the employer?

What was your occupation?

On what dates were you employed here?

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What is the employer's address?

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Add unemployment

On what dates were you unemployed?

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Add self-employment

What is the name of the employer?

What was your occupation?

On what dates were you self-employed here?

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What is the business address?

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Have you **EVER** served in the U.S. armed forces?

Are you **currently** a member of the U.S. armed forces?

(IF YES) Are you scheduled to deploy overseas, including to a vessel, within the next three months?

(IF YES) Are you **currently** stationed overseas?

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Are you a male who lived in the United States at any time between your 18th and 26th birthdays?

(IF YES TO 12.44.a) Did you register for the Selective Service?

(IF YES TO BOTH) On what date did you register for the Selective Service?

(IF YES TO BOTH) What is your Selective Service Number?

(IF YES TO 12.44.a & NO TO DID YOU REGISTER &  $\geq 18 < 26$ ) On what date did you register for the Selective Service?

(IF YES TO 12.44.a & NO TO DID YOU REGISTER &  $\geq 18 < 26$ ) What is your Selective Service Number?

(IF YES TO 12.44.a & NO TO DID YOU REGISTER &  $\geq 26$ ) Why did you not register with the Selective Service?

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Have you taken a trip outside of the United States in the last 5 years?

List all trips of 24 hours or longer that you have taken outside the United States during the last 5 years.

I am currently traveling here.

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Do you have a physical or developmental disability or mental impairment that prevents you from demonstrating your knowledge and understanding of the English language and/or civics requirements for naturalization?

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Are you requesting an accommodation because of your disabilities and/or impairments?

(IF YES) Select all that apply.

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You may be eligible for an exemption from the English language test

You may be eligible for an exemption from the English language test

You may be eligible for an exemption from the English language test and a simplified version of the U.S. civics test



(In the Offenses section, instructional text may appear above a set of questions.)  
Information about a question.

Sub-Question	Field Type	Not Required
Male/Female Hispanic or Latino Not Hispanic or Latino	Radio Radio	
White	Checkbox	
Asian	Checkbox	
Black or African American	Checkbox	
American Indian or Alaska Native	Checkbox	



Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander                      Checkbox

Feet/Inches                      Text

Pounds                      Text

Black/Blue/Brown/Gray/Green/Hazel/Maroon/Pink/  
Unknown/other                      Dropdown

Bald (no  
hair)/Black/Blonde/Brown/Gray/Red/Sandy/White/  
Unknown/other                      Dropdown

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I live at my current mailing address.                      Checkbox

Country                      Dropdown

Address line 1                      Text

Address line 2                      Text                      X

City or town                      Text

State/Province or region (FOR FOREIGN ADDRESS)                      Text

ZIP code/Postal code (FOR FOREIGN ADDRESS)                      Text

County                      Text                      X

From                      Date

This is an approximate date.                      Checkbox

Country                      Dropdown

Address line 1                      Text

Address line 2                      Text                      X

City or town                      Text

State/Province or region (FOR FOREIGN ADDRESS)                      Text

ZIP code/Postal code (FOR FOREIGN ADDRESS)                      Text

County                      Text                      X

From/To                      Date

This is an approximate date.                      Checkbox

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Add a school                      Dropdown

Add an employer

Add a period of unemployment

Add a period of self-employment

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Text

Text

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This is an approximate date.	Checkbox	
I currently attend this school.	Checkbox	
Country	Text	
Address line 1	Text	
Address line 2	Text	X
City or town	Text	
State/Province or region (FOR FOREIGN ADDRESS)	Dropdown	
ZIP code/Postal code (FOR FOREIGN ADDRESS)	Text	

	Text	
	Text	
From/To	Date	
This is an approximate date.	Checkbox	
I currently work here.	Checkbox	
Country	Text	
Address line 1	Text	
Address line 2	Text	X
City or town	Text	
State/Province or region (FOR FOREIGN ADDRESS)	Dropdown	
ZIP code/Postal code (FOR FOREIGN ADDRESS)	Text	

	Text	
From/To	Date	
This is an approximate date.	Checkbox	
I am currently unemployed.	Checkbox	

	Text	
	Text	
From/To	Date	
This is an approximate date.	Checkbox	
I am currently self-employed.	Checkbox	
Country	Text	
Address line 1	Text	
Address line 2	Text	X
City or town	Text	
State/Province or region (FOR FOREIGN ADDRESS)	Dropdown	
ZIP code/Postal code (FOR FOREIGN ADDRESS)	Text	

Yes/No	Radio	
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Yes/No

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Yes/No

Radio

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Yes/No

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This is an approximate date.

Checkbox

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Yes/No

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Date you left the U.S.

Date

Date you returned to the U.S.

Date

Checkbox

Countries you traveled to

Textarea

[Total days outside of the United States (per trip)]

[Total days of 24 hours or longer spent outside the United States during the last 5 years]

[Total trips of 24 hours or longer taken outside the United States during the last 5 years]

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Yes/No

Radio

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Yes/No

Radio

I am deaf or hard of hearing.

Checkbox

Provide an explanation for the accommodation that you Textarea are requesting. If you are requesting a sign-language interpreter, indicate for which language (for example, American Sign Language).

I am blind or have low vision.

Checkbox

Provide an explanation for the accommodation that you Textarea are requesting.

I have another type of disability and/or impairment (for example, wheelchair).

Checkbox

Provide an explanation for the accommodation that you Textarea are requesting. Describe the nature of your disability and/or impairment.

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You may not have to take the English language test because you are 50 years of age or older and have lived in the United States as a lawful permanent resident for periods totaling at least 20 years. However, you still have to take the U.S. civics test, but can take it in the language of your choice.

Notice

If you want to use this exemption to the English test, you should bring an interpreter who is proficient in English and the language of your choice with you to your naturalization interview.

You may not have to take the English language test because you are 55 years of age or older and have lived in the United States as a lawful permanent resident for periods totaling at least 15 years. However, you still have to take the U.S. civics test, but can take it in the language of your choice.

Notice

If you want to use this exemption to the English test, you should bring an interpreter who is proficient in English and the language of your choice with you to your naturalization interview.

You may not have to take the English language test because you are 65 years of age or older and have lived in the United States as a lawful permanent resident for periods totaling at least 20 years.

Notice

If you want to use this exemption to the English test, you should bring an interpreter who is proficient in English and the language of your choice with you to your naturalization interview.

You may also be eligible to take a simplified version of the U.S. civics test. This will be offered to you in the language of your choice during your naturalization interview.

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**Instructional Text**

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We require you to complete the categories below to conduct background checks. Providing this information as part of your application may reduce the time you spend at your biometrics services appointment.

Hispanic or Latino refers to a person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.

Select all that apply. Your race is different from your ethnicity and should reflect your geographical origins.

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(ON LAST PAGE ABOVE SUMMARY CHART OF RESIDENCE HISTORY) Here is a history of where you have lived during the last 5 years. If anything is incorrect or missing, you can edit or delete your entries below or add a new address.

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Provide where and when you have worked or attended school full-time or part-time during the last 5 years. Include all military, police, and/or intelligence service and provide information for the complete time period.

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(ON LAST PAGE ABOVE SUMMARY CHART OF SCHOOL/EMPLOYMENT HISTORY) Here is a history of your school and employment. If anything is incorrect or missing, you can edit or delete your entries below or add a new school or employer.

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This does not include living in the United States as a lawful nonimmigrant.

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Provide information for all trips you have taken outside the United States, including short trips that lasted longer than 24 hours and visits to Canada and Mexico.

We count the day you depart from the United States and the day you return to the United States as days in the United States.

(ON LAST PAGE ABOVE SUMMARY CHART OF TRAVEL HISTORY) Here is your travel history. If anything is incorrect or missing, you can edit or delete your entries below or add a new trip.

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If you want to apply for a disability exception, your disability or impairment must affect your ability to read, write, or speak the English language or learn U.S. civics, even with accommodations. Your disability must have affected you for at least 1 year or be expected to last longer than 1 year. If you qualify for a disability exception, an interpreter who is fluent in English and the language of your choice must come with you to your interview.

You cannot qualify for a disability exception based on illiteracy.

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We will make every effort to make reasonable accommodations for applicants with disabilities who need modifications to the naturalization process in order to demonstrate their eligibility.

- If you use a wheelchair, we will make sure you can be fingerprinted, interviewed, and sworn in at a location that is wheelchair accessible. All domestic USCIS facilities meet the Accessibility Guidelines of the Americans with Disabilities Act.
  - If you are unable to travel to a designated USCIS location for an interview, USCIS may visit you at your home or a hospital to conduct the naturalization interview
  - If you use a service animal such as a guide dog, your animal may come with you to your interview, oath ceremony, or any other immigration benefit-related appointment
  - If you are blind or have low vision, USCIS may permit you to take a test orally rather than in writing
  - If you are hearing impaired, the officer conducting your interview will speak loudly and slowly, or we will work with you to arrange for a sign language interpreter. If you require a sign language interpreter at the oath ceremony, your interview, or any other immigration benefit-related appointment, please indicate that here.
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**Help Text**

**Notes**

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### **White**

A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa.

### **Asian**

A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.

### **Black or African American**

A person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.

### **American Indian or Alaska Native**

A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), and who maintains tribal affiliation or community attachment.

**Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander**

A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.

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These alerts will be presented to eligible users during the Review My Application step in Review & Submit

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# N400 INTERACTIVE FORM COPY: QUESTIONS, INSTRUCTION

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Question grouping page breaks are indicated by a horizontal line.

Conditional question logic is indicated in ( ) before question.

Personalized copy is indicated in [ ]

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**Your prior marriages**

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**Your current spouse's prior marriages**

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**Children**

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**Parents**

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7.2.Ac

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### Question

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What is your current marital status?

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(IF YES TO MARRIED OR SEPARATED) What is your current spouse's legal name?

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On what date did you marry [spouse name]?  
On what date did you marry your current spouse?

What is [current spouse first name]'s date of birth?  
What is your current spouse's date of birth?

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Has [current spouse first name] ever used a previous legal name?  
Has your current spouse ever used a previous legal name?

(IF YES)

Has [current spouse first name] used any other names since birth?  
Has your current spouse used any other names since birth?

(IF YES)

What is [current spouse first name]'s current address?  
What is your current spouse's current address?

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Is [current spouse first name] a U.S. citizen?  
Is your current spouse a U.S. citizen?

(IF YES) When did [current spouse first name] become a U.S. citizen?

(IF YES) When did your current spouse become a U.S. citizen?

(IF NO) What is [current spouse first name]'s country of citizenship or nationality?

(IF NO) What is your current spouse's country of citizenship or nationality?

(IF NO) What is [current spouse first name]'s current immigration status?

(IF NO) What is your current spouse's current immigration status?

(IF NO) What is [current spouse first name]'s A-Number?

(IF NO) What is your current spouse's A-Number?

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Is [current spouse first name] a current member of the U.S. armed forces?

Is your current spouse a current member of the U.S. armed forces?

Where is [current spouse first name] currently employed?

Where is your current spouse currently employed?

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[How many times have you been married?] Have you been married previously?

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(IF YES TO DIVORCED, WIDOWED, OR MARRIAGE ANNULLED; OR YES TO HAVE YOU BEEN MARRIED PREVIOUSLY?) What is your prior spouse's legal name?

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When were you married to [prior spouse first name]?  
When were you married to your prior spouse?

How did this marriage end?

What is [prior spouse first name]'s date of birth?  
What is your prior spouse's date of birth?

What is [prior spouse first name]'s country of birth?  
What is your prior spouse's country of birth?

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What is [prior spouse first name]'s country of citizenship or nationality?  
What is your prior spouse's country of citizenship or nationality?

What was [prior spouse first name]'s immigration status when your marriage ended?  
What was your prior spouse's immigration status when your marriage ended?

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Has [current spouse first name] been married previously?  
Has your current spouse been married previously?

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What is [current spouse first name]'s prior spouse's legal name?  
What is your current spouse's prior spouse's legal name?

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When was [current spouse first name] married to [current spouse's prior spouse first name]?  
When was your current spouse married to his or her prior spouse?

How did this marriage end?

What is [current spouse's prior spouse first name]'s date of birth?  
What is your current spouse's prior spouse's date of birth?

What is [current spouse's prior spouse first name]'s country of birth?  
What is your current spouse's prior spouse's country of birth?

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What is [current spouse's prior spouse first name]'s country of citizenship or nationality?  
What is your current spouse's prior spouse's country of citizenship or nationality?

What is [current spouse's prior spouse first name]'s immigration status?  
What is your current spouse's prior spouse's immigration status?

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How many times has [current spouse first name] been married?  
How many times has your current spouse been married?

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Do you have any children?

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What is your child's current legal name?

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What is [child first name]'s relationship to you?  
What is your child's relationship to you?

What is [child first name]'s date of birth?  
What is your child's date of birth?

What is [child first name]'s country of birth?  
What is your child's country of birth?

What is [child first name]'s current address?  
What is your child's current address?

What is [child first name]'s A-Number?  
What is your child's A-Number?

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Were your parents married before your 18th birthday?

Is your mother a U.S. citizen?  
Is your father a U.S. citizen?

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(IF YES) What is your mother's current legal name?



What is your mother's country of birth?

What is your mother's date of birth?

When did your mother become a U.S. citizen?

What is your mother's A-Number?

(IF YES) What is your father's current legal name?

What is your father's country of birth?

What is your father's date of birth?

When did your father become a U.S. citizen?

What is your father's A-Number?

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(In Offenses section, instructional text may appear above a set of questions.)  
 Instruction about a question.

Sub-Question	Field Type	Not Required
Single, never married/Married/Divorced/Widowed/Separated/Marriage annulled	Radio	
Given name (first name)	Text	
Middle name (if applicable)	Text	X
Family name (last name)	Text	
Month/Day/Year	Date	
This is an approximate date.	Checkbox	
Month/Day/Year	Date	
This is an approximate date.	Checkbox	
Yes/No	Radio	
Given name (first name)	Text	
Middle name (if applicable)	Text	X
Family name (last name)	Text	
Yes/No	Radio	
Given name (first name)	Text	

Middle name (if applicable)	Text	X
Family name (last name)	Text	
My spouse's current address is the same as my current address.	Checkbox	
Country	Text	
Address line 1	Text	
Address line 2	Text	X
City or town	Text	
State/Province or region (FOR FOREIGN ADDRESS)	Dropdown	
ZIP code/Postal code (FOR FOREIGN ADDRESS)	Text	
County	Text	X
Yes/No	Radio	
At birth/Other	Dropdown	
Date your current spouse became a U.S. citizen	Date	
This is an approximate date.	Checkbox	
	Text	
Lawful permanent resident/Other	Radio	
(IF OTHER) (IF YES) Provide an explanation.	Textarea	
	Text	
My spouse does not have an A-Number.	Checkbox	

Yes/No

Radio

Text

My spouse is currently unemployed.

Checkbox

Yes/No

Radio

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Given name (first name)

Text

Middle name (if applicable)

Text

X

Family name (last name)

Text

From/To

Date

This is an approximate date.

Checkbox

Annulled/Divorced/Spouse deceased/Other

Radio

(IF OTHER) Provide an explanation.

Textarea

Month/Day/Year

Date

This is an approximate date.

Checkbox

Text

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Dropdown

U.S. citizen/Lawful permanent resident/Other/I do not know Radio

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Yes/No Radio

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Given name (first name) Text

Middle name (if applicable) Text X

Family name (last name) Text

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From/To Date

This is an approximate date. Checkbox

Annulled/Divorced/Spouse deceased/Other Radio

(IF OTHER) (IF YES) Provide an explanation. Textarea

Date

This is an approximate date. Checkbox

Dropdown

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Dropdown

U.S. citizen/lawful permanent resident/Other/I do not know Radio

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Text

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Yes/No

Radio

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	Text	
My child is missing.	Checkbox	
My child is deceased.	Checkbox	
Month/Day/Year	Date	
This is an approximate date.	Checkbox	
	Text	
My child lives with me.	Checkbox	
Country	Text	
Address line 1	Text	
Address line 2	Text	X
State/Province or region (FOR FOREIGN ADDRESS)	Text	
ZIP code/Postal code (FOR FOREIGN ADDRESS)	Dropdown	
ZIP code	Text	
County	Text	X
	Text	
My child does not have an A-Number.	Checkbox	
Yes/No	Radio	
Yes/No	Radio	
Yes/No	Radio	
Given name (first name)	Text	
Middle name (if applicable)		X
Family name (last name)		

Text

Month/Day/Year

Date

This is an approximate date.

Checkbox

Month/Day/Year

Date

My mother became a U.S. citizen at birth.

Checkbox

This is an approximate date.

Checkbox

Text

My mother does not have an A-Number.

Checkbox

Given name (first name)

Text

Middle name (if applicable)

Text

X

Family name (last name)

Text

Date

Month/Day/Year

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Month/Day/Year

Date

My father became a U.S. citizen at birth.

Checkbox

This is an approximate date.

Checkbox

Text

My father does not have an A-Number.

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Checkbox





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**Instructional Text**

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Your spouse's legal name is the name on his or her birth certificate, unless it changed after birth by a legal action such as marriage or court order. Do not provide a nickname here.

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Provide the previous legal name your current spouse has used.

Other names used may include nicknames, aliases, and maiden names.

Provide the other names your current spouse has used.

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Provide the name of the country as it currently exists, where your spouse is currently a citizen or national. If the country no longer exists, use the current name of the country.

If your spouse is a citizen or national of more than one country, provide the name of the foreign country that issued his or her last passport.

If your spouse is stateless, enter the name of the current country where he or she was last a citizen or national.

Your spouse's A-Number is located on his or her Permanent Resident Card (formerly known as the Alien Registration Card or referred to as the Green Card), and consists of a 7, 8, or 9-digit number.

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Include annulled marriages, marriages to other people, and marriages to the same person.

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Your prior spouse's legal name is the name on his or her birth certificate, unless it changed after birth by legal action such as marriage or court order. Do not provide a nickname here.

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Provide the name of the country at the time of your prior spouse's birth, even if the name has changed.

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Provide the name of the country as it currently exists, where your prior spouse is currently a citizen or national. If the country no longer exists, use the current name of the country.

If your prior spouse is a citizen or national of more than one country, provide the name of the foreign country that issued his or her last passport.

If your prior spouse is stateless, enter the name of the current country where he or she was last a citizen or national.

(ON LAST PAGE ABOVE SUMMARY CHART OF MARITAL HISTORY) Here are your prior marriages. If anything is incorrect or missing, you can edit or delete your entries below or add a new marriage.

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Include annulled marriages, marriages to other people, and marriages to the same person.

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Your spouse's prior spouse's legal name is the name on his or her birth certificate, unless it changed after birth by a legal action such as marriage or court order. Do not provide a nickname here.

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Provide the name of the country at the time of your spouse's prior spouse's birth, even if the name has changed.

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Provide the name of the country as it currently exists, where your spouse's prior spouse is currently a citizen or national. If the country no longer exists, use the current name of the country.

If your spouse's prior spouse is a citizen or national of more than one country, provide the name of the foreign country that issued his or her last passport.

If your spouse's prior spouse is stateless, enter the name of the current country where he or she was last a citizen or national.

(ON LAST PAGE ABOVE SUMMARY CHART OF MARITAL HISTORY) Here are your current spouse's prior marriages. If anything is incorrect or missing, you can edit or delete your entries below or add a new marriage.

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Your spouse's marital history includes annulled marriages, marriages to other persons, and previous marriages to the same person. If your spouse was married to the same person more than one time, provide the requested information about each marriage separately.

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You must indicate **all** of your children, including:

- Children who are alive, missing, or deceased
  - Children born in the United States or in other countries
  - Children under or over 18 years of age
  - Children who are currently married or unmarried
  - Children living with you or elsewhere
  - Current stepchildren
  - Legally adopted children
  - Children born when you were not married
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Your child's legal name is the name on his or her birth certificate, unless it changed after birth by legal action such as marriage or court order. Do not provide a nickname here.

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Your child's relationship to you includes biological child, stepchild, or legally adopted child.

Provide the name of the country at the time of your child's birth, even if the name has changed.

Your child's A-Number is located on his or her Permanent Resident Card (formerly known as the Alien Registration Card or referred to as the Green Card), and consists of a 7, 8, or 9-digit number.

(ON LAST PAGE ABOVE SUMMARY CHART OF CHILDREN)  
Here are your children. If anything is incorrect or missing, you can edit or delete your entries below or add a new child.

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Your relationship to your mother may be biological or as a legally adoptive parent.

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Your mother's legal name is the name on her birth certificate, unless it changed after birth by legal action such as marriage or court order. Do not provide a nickname here.

Provide the name of the country at the time of your mother's birth, even if the name has changed.

Your mother's A-Number is located on his or her Permanent Resident Card (formerly known as the Alien Registration Card or referred to as the Green Card), and consists of a 7, 8, or 9-digit number.

Your father's legal name is the name on his birth certificate, unless it changed after birth by legal action such as marriage or court order. Do not provide a nickname here.

Provide the name of the country at the time of your father's birth, even if the name has changed.

You should provide a response.

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**Help Text**

**Notes**

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Single, never married goes to Children section;  
Married and Separated goes to Current spouse section;  
Divorced, Widowed, and Marriage annulled go to second page of Your marital history section

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Sub-section does not appear in navigation unless users say they are Married or Separated; sub-section never appears for users if they are Divorced, Widowed, or Marriage annulled

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The A-Number may be located on the front or back of the card, depending on when the card was issued.

[sample A-Number card image]

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The question on the paper form is: How many times have you been married? The interactive form logic will automatically total this number as the users add their marital history and store this number in the backend

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What is your total number of children? Is original question

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The A-Number may be located on the front or back of the card, depending on when the card was issued.

[sample A-Number card image]

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The A-Number may be located on the front or back of the card, depending on when the card was issued.

[sample A-Number card image]

Your father's A-Number is located on his or her Permanent Resident Card (formerly known as the Alien Registration Card or referred to as the Green Card), and consists of a 7, 8, or 9-digit number.

The A-Number may be located on the front or back of the card, depending on when the card was issued.

[sample A-Number card image]

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### Question

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Have you **EVER** claimed to be a U.S. citizen (in writing or any other way)?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

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Have you **EVER** registered to vote in any federal, state, or local election in the United States?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Have you **EVER** voted in any federal, state, or local election in the United States?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

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Do you now have, or did you **EVER** have, a hereditary title or an order of nobility in any foreign country?

(IF YES) At your naturalization ceremony, are you willing to give up any inherited titles or orders of nobility that you have in a foreign country?

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Do you owe any overdue federal, state, or local taxes?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Have you **EVER** not filed a federal, state, or local tax return since you became a Lawful Permanent Resident?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

(IF YES) Did you consider yourself to be a "non-U.S. resident"?

Have you called yourself a "non-U.S. resident" on a federal, state, or local tax return since you became a lawful permanent resident?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

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Have you **EVER** been declared legally incompetent or been confined to a mental institution?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

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Have you **EVER** been a member of, involved in, or in any way associated with any organization, association, fund, foundation, party, club, society, or similar group in the United States or in any other location in the world?

(IF YES) Group name

(IF YES) Group purpose

(IF YES) Dates were you a member

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Have you **EVER** been a member of, or in any way associated (either directly or indirectly) with the Communist Party?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Have you **EVER** been a member of, or in any way associated (either directly or indirectly) with any other totalitarian party?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Have you **EVER** been a member of, or in any way associated (either directly or indirectly) with a terrorist organization?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

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Have you **EVER** advocated (either directly or indirectly) the overthrow of any government by force or violence?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Have you **EVER** persecuted (either directly or indirectly) any person because of race, religion, national origin, membership in a particular social group, or political opinion?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

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Between March 23, 1933 and May 8, 1945, did you work for or associate in any way (either directly or indirectly) with the Nazi government of Germany?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Between March 23, 1933 and May 8, 1945, did you work for or associate in any way (either directly or indirectly) with any government in any area occupied by, allied with, or established with the help of the Nazi government of Germany?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.



Between March 23, 1933 and May 8, 1945, did you work for or associate in any way (either directly or indirectly) with any German, Nazi, or S.S. military unit, paramilitary unit, self-defense unit, vigilante unit, citizen unit, police unit, government agency or office, extermination camp, concentration camp, prisoner of war camp, prison, labor camp, or transit camp?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

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Were you **EVER** involved in any way with genocide?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Were you **EVER** involved in any way with torture?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Were you **EVER** involved in any way with killing, or trying to kill, someone?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Were you **EVER** involved in any way with badly hurting, or trying to hurt, a person on purpose?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Were you **EVER** involved in any way with forcing, or trying to force, someone to have any kind of sexual contact or relations?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Were you **EVER** involved in any way with not letting someone practice his or her religion?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

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Were you **EVER** a member of, or did you **EVER** serve in, help, or otherwise participate in, a military unit?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Were you **EVER** a member of, or did you **EVER** serve in, help, or otherwise participate in, a paramilitary unit (a group of people who act like a military group but are not part of the official military)?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Were you **EVER** a member of, or did you **EVER** serve in, help, or otherwise participate in, a police unit?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Were you **EVER** a member of, or did you **EVER** serve in, help, or otherwise participate in, a self-defense unit?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Were you **EVER** a member of, or did you **EVER** serve in, help, or otherwise participate in, a vigilante unit (a group of people who act like the police but are not part of the official police)?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

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Were you **EVER** a member of, or did you **EVER** serve in, help, or otherwise participate in, a rebel group?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Were you **EVER** a member of, or did you **EVER** serve in, help, or otherwise participate in, a guerrilla group (a group of people who use weapons against or otherwise physically attack the military, police, government, or other people)?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Were you **EVER** a member of, or did you **EVER** serve in, help, or otherwise participate in, a militia (an army of people, not part of the official military)?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Were you **EVER** a member of, or did you **EVER** serve in, help, or otherwise participate in, an insurgent organization (a group that uses weapons and fights against a government)?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

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Were you **EVER** a worker, volunteer, or soldier, or did you otherwise **EVER** serve in a prison or jail?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Were you **EVER** a worker, volunteer, or soldier, or did you otherwise **EVER** serve in a prison camp?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Were you **EVER** a worker, volunteer, or soldier, or did you otherwise **EVER** serve in a detention facility (a place where people are forced to stay)?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Were you **EVER** a worker, volunteer, or soldier, or did you otherwise **EVER** serve in a labor camp (a place where people are forced to work)?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Were you **EVER** a worker, volunteer, or soldier, or did you otherwise **EVER** serve in any other place where people were forced to stay?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

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Were you **EVER** a part of any group, or did you **EVER** help any group, unit, or organization that used a weapon against any person, or threatened to do so?

(IF YES) When you were part of this group, or when you helped this group, did you ever use a weapon against another person?

(IF YES) (IF YES) Provide an explanation.

(IF YES) When you were part of this group, or when you helped this group, did you ever tell another person that you would use a weapon against that person?

(IF YES) (IF YES) Provide an explanation.

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Did you **EVER** sell, give, or provide weapons to any person, or help another person sell, give, or provide weapons to any person?

(IF YES) Did you know that this person was going to use the weapons against another person?

(IF YES) (IF YES) Provide an explanation.

(IF YES) Did you know that this person was going to sell or give the weapons to someone who was going to use them against another person?

(IF YES) (IF YES) Provide an explanation.

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Did you **EVER** receive any type of military, paramilitary (a group of people who act like a military group but are not part of the official military), or weapons training?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Did you **EVER** recruit (ask), enlist (sign up), conscript (require), or use any person under 15 years of age to serve in or help an armed force or group?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Did you **EVER** use any person under 15 years of age to do anything that helped or supported people in combat?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

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Have you **EVER** committed, assisted in committing, or attempted to commit, a crime or offense for which you were **NOT** arrested?

Have you **EVER** been arrested, cited, or detained by any law enforcement officer (including any immigration official or any official of the U.S. armed forces) for any reason?

Have you **EVER** been charged with committing, attempting to commit, or assisting in committing a crime or offense?

Have you **EVER** been convicted of a crime or offense?

Have you **EVER** been placed in an alternative sentencing or a rehabilitative program (for example, diversion, deferred prosecution, withheld adjudication, deferred adjudication)?

Have you **EVER** received a suspended sentence, been placed on probation, or been paroled?

(IF YES) Have you completed the probation or parole?

Have you **EVER** been in jail or prison?

(IF YES) How long were you in jail or prison?

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Provide information about the circumstances in which you were [question copy user answered Yes to starting after Have you EVER been]

(IF YES TO ANY EXCEPT 12.22) On what date were you arrested, cited, detained, or charged?

(IF YES TO ANY EXCEPT 12.22) Where were you arrested, cited, detained, or charged?

(IF YES TO ANY EXCEPT 12.22) Why were you arrested, cited, detained, or charged?

(IF YES TO ANY EXCEPT 12.22) What was the outcome or disposition of the arrest, citation, detention, or charge?

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Have you **EVER** been a habitual drunkard?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Have you **EVER** been a prostitute or procured anyone for prostitution?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Have you **EVER** sold or smuggled controlled substances, illegal drugs, or narcotics?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Have you **EVER** been married to more than one person at the same time?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Have you **EVER** married someone in order to obtain an immigration benefit?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

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Have you **EVER** helped anyone to enter, or try to enter, the United States illegally?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Have you **EVER** gambled illegally or received income from illegal gambling?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Have you **EVER** failed to support your dependents or to pay alimony?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Have you **EVER** made any misrepresentation to obtain any public benefit in the United States?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

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Have you **EVER** given any U.S. Government officials **any** information or documentation that was false, fraudulent, or misleading?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Have you **EVER** lied to any U.S. Government officials to gain entry or admission into the United States or to gain immigration benefits while in the United States?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

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Have you **EVER** been removed, excluded, or deported from the United States?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Have you **EVER** been ordered removed, excluded, or deported from the United States?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Have you **EVER** been placed in removal, exclusion, rescission, or deportation proceedings?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Are removal, exclusion, rescission, or deportation proceedings (including administratively closed proceedings) **currently** pending against you?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

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Have you **EVER** been court-martialed, administratively separated, or disciplined, or have you received an other than honorable discharge while in the U.S. armed forces?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Have you **EVER** been discharged from training or service in the U.S. armed forces because you were an alien?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

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Have you **EVER** left the United States to avoid being drafted in the U.S. armed forces?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Have you **EVER** applied for any kind of exemption from military service in the U.S. armed forces?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

Have you **EVER** deserted from the U.S. armed forces?

(IF YES) Provide an explanation.

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Do you support the Constitution and form of Government of the United States?

(IF NO) Provide an explanation.

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Do you understand the full Oath of Allegiance to the United States?

(IF NO) Provide an explanation.

Are you willing to take the full Oath of Allegiance to the United States?

(IF NO) Provide an explanation.

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If the law requires it, are you willing to bear arms on behalf of the United States?

(IF NO) Provide an explanation.

If the law requires it, are you willing to perform noncombatant services in the U.S. armed forces?

(IF NO) Provide an explanation.

If the law requires it, are you willing to perform work of national importance under civilian direction?

(IF NO) Provide an explanation.

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(In the Offenses section, instructional text may appear above a set of questions.)  
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This is an approximate date.

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I already provided an explanation for this crime or offense.

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**Instructional Text**

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If any part of a question applies to you or has ever applied to you, you must answer yes.

Your answers, whether yes or no, will not automatically cause your application to be denied.

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Provide information about your membership, involvement, or association with an organization, association, fund, foundation, party, club, society, or similar group in the United States or in any other location in the world.

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**Before you start this section**

If any of the questions on this page apply to you, you must answer yes even if your records have been sealed, expunged, or otherwise cleared. You must disclose this information even if anyone, including a judge, law enforcement officer, or attorney, told you that it no longer constitutes a record or told you that you do not have to disclose the information. [CHECK WITH DEV TO CHANGE STYLE]

Because you answered yes to one or more questions, you must provide additional information on the next page.

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Provide an explanation for your crime or offense below. One explanation may be enough to explain multiple crimes and offenses. Add additional explanations as needed.

For example, no charges filed, charges dismissed, jail, probation, or another outcome.

(ON LAST PAGE ABOVE SUMMARY CHART OF CRIMES AND OFFENSES EXPLANATIONS) Here are your crimes and offenses explanations. If anything is incorrect or missing, you can edit or delete your entries below or add a new trip.

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**Help Text**

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**Step**

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**Evidence**

**Required evidence to submit your application**

**Additional evidence to support your application**



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Your Permanent Resident Card

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Your marriage certificate

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Request for Certification of Military or Naval Service

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Evidence of military service	Upload
Request for Certification of Military or Naval Service	Upload
Evidence of military service	Upload
Additional requirements for spouses of military personnel	Upload

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Evidence that you maintained residence in the U.S. during travel [Upload](#)

Application to Preserve Residence for Naturalization Purposes [Upload](#)

Evidence of your name change [Upload](#)  
Evidence of your current spouse's U.S. citizenship [Upload](#)

Evidence about your marriage

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Evidence about your current spouse's qualifying employment abroad

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Evidence of the end of your prior marriage(s)

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Evidence of the end of your current spouse's prior marriage(s)

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Evidence about your child(ren)

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Evidence about child support	Upload
Evidence of Selective Service registration	Upload
Evidence of Selective Service status	Upload
Information about your arrest(s)	Upload
Information about your arrest(s) or conviction(s)	Upload
Information about alternative sentencing or rehabilitative programs	Upload
Information about arrest(s) or conviction(s) removed from your record	Upload

Medical Certification for Disability Exceptions	Upload
Additional evidence you want to provide	Upload

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Applicant's statement regarding the preparer

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Pay for and submit your application



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At my request, the preparer named in the Getting Started section of this application/[preparer first and last name] prepared this application for me based only upon information I provided or authorized.

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I am **not** an attorney or accredited representative but have prepared this application on behalf of the applicant and with the applicant's consent.

I am an attorney or accredited representative and my representation of the applicant in this case does not extend beyond the preparation of this application.

I am an attorney or accredited representative and my representation of the applicant in this case extends beyond the preparation of this application.

By my signature, I certify, under penalty of perjury, that I prepared this application at the request of the applicant. The applicant then reviewed this completed application and informed me that he or she understands all of the information contained in, and submitted with, his or her application, including the Applicant's Certification, and that all of this information is complete, true, and correct. I completed this application based only on information that the applicant provided to me or authorized me to obtain or use.

As the applicant's preparer, you must sign on paper and provide your signature page to the applicant. Follow these steps:

1. Download the Preparer Signature page
2. Print the Preparer Signature page
3. Read and sign the Preparer Signature page
4. Give the signed Preparer Signature page to the applicant

The applicant will need to scan and upload your completed signature page on the next screen.

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The interpreter named in the Getting Started section of this application/[Interpreter first and last name] read to me every question and instruction on this application and my answer to every question in the language I specified in the Getting Started section/[language], a language in which I am fluent, and I understood everything.

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By my signature, I certify, under penalty of perjury, that I am fluent in English and [language], and I have read to this applicant in the identified language every question and instruction on this application and his or her answer to every question. The applicant informed me that he or she understands every instruction, question, and answer on the application, including the Applicant's Certification, and has verified the accuracy of every answer.

As the applicant's interpreter, you must sign on paper and provide your signature page to the applicant. Follow these steps:

1. Download the Interpreter Signature page
2. Print the Interpreter Signature page
3. Read and sign the Interpreter Signature page
4. Give the signed Interpreter Signature page to the applicant

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I can read and understand English, and I have read and understand every question and instruction on this application and my answer to every question.

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Copies of any documents I have submitted are exact photocopies of unaltered, original documents, and I understand that USCIS may require that I submit original documents to USCIS at a later date. Furthermore, I authorize the release of any information from any of my records that USCIS may need to determine my eligibility for the immigration benefit that I seek.

I further authorize release of information contained in this application, in supporting documents, and in my USCIS records, to other entities and persons where necessary for the administration and enforcement of U.S. immigration laws.

I understand that USCIS will require me to appear for an appointment to take my biometrics (fingerprints, photograph, and/or signature) and, at that time, I will be required to sign an oath reaffirming that:

1. I reviewed and provided or authorized all of the information in my application;
2. I understood all of the information contained in, and submitted with, my application; and
3. All of this information was complete, true, and correct at the time of filing.

By my signature, I certify, under penalty of perjury, that I provided or authorized all of the information in my application, I understand all of the information contained in, and submitted with, my application, and that all of this information is complete, true, and

[Date of signature]

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**Instructional Text****CTA (Call to Action/button title)**

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We will review your application to check for accuracy and completeness before you submit it.

Review my application

We encourage you to provide as many responses as you can throughout the application, to the best of your knowledge. Missing information can slow down the review process after you submit your application.

You can return to this page to review your application as many times as you want before you submit it.

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You have one or more warnings based on incomplete or incorrect responses. You cannot submit your application until you have no warnings.

You will submit your application using the following basis for eligibility.

You may qualify for one or more **exemptions** based on the information you provided in your application.

You have one or more alerts based the information you provided in your application. An alert means you may be missing information or may need to follow-up with us about your responses. You can still submit your application, but some alerts may slow down the review process after you submit your application.

Continue to view all my responses

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Here is a summary of all the information you provided in your application.

Continue to sign and pay

Make sure you have provided responses for everything that applies to you before you submit your application. You can edit your responses by going to each application section using the site navigation.

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You must read and agree to the statement below.

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Your preparer must read the statements below and select the statement that applies to him or her.

If your preparer is an attorney or accredited representative whose representation extends beyond preparation of this application, he or she may be obliged to submit a completed Form G-28 Notice of Entry of Appearance as Attorney or Accredited Representative with your application.

Your preparer must read and agree to the certification below.

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Scan and upload your preparer's completed signature page below.

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You must read and agree to the statement below.

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Your interpreter must read and agree to the certification below.

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Scan and upload your interpreter's completed signature page below.

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You must read and agree to the statement below.

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You must read and agree to the certification below. If you knowingly and willfully falsify or conceal a material fact or submit a false document with your application, we can deny your application and may deny any other immigration benefit. You may also face criminal prosecution and penalties provided by the law.

You must provide your digital signature below by typing your full legal name. We may deny your application if you do not completely fill out this application or fail to submit required documents. We will record the date of your signature with your application.

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The final step to submit your Application for Naturalization is to pay the required fee.

Your application fee is: **[\$XXX.00]**



We will send you to Pay.gov — our safe, secure payment website — to make your payment and submit your application online.

Pay and submit

Here are the steps in the payment and submission process:

1. Provide your billing information on Pay.gov
2. Provide your information for one of two billing options: credit card or U.S. bank account
3. Submit your payment

Pay.gov will redirect you to my.USCIS.gov to an application confirmation screen, which will include your application receipt number.

When you have paid your fee, your application will be submitted. Your payment and application submission may take 1 to 3 days to be fully processed. You can track the status of your application through your USCIS online account.

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For initial release, only these two options are presented for the applicant; after attorney G-28 logic gets added, a third attorney option will be added

Sub-section only appears in navigation if users indicate they have an interpreter in Getting Started section

This question only shows if the applicant does NOT have an interpreter

We will record the date on the backend  
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