



Application for Naturalization

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

USCIS
Form N-400
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► **START HERE - Type or print in black ink.** If you do not answer all of the questions, it may take longer for U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) to process your Form N-400.

If your mother or father (including legal adoptive mother or father) is a U.S. citizen by birth, or was naturalized before you reached your 18th birthday, you may not need to file Form N-400 as you may already be a U.S. citizen. Before you file this application, please visit the USCIS website at www.uscis.gov/N-600 for Form N-600, Application for Certificate of Citizenship.

Part 1. Information About Your Eligibility (Select only one box to identify the basis of your eligibility or your Form N-400 may be delayed or rejected.)	Enter Your 9 Digit A-Number: ► A- <input style="width: 80px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>
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1. Reason for Filing (Please see Instructions for eligibility requirements under each provision.):
 - A. **General Provision.** See Instructions: *List of General Eligibility Requirements*
 - B. **Spouse of U.S. Citizen.** See Instructions: *Eligibility Based on Marriage to a U.S. Citizen*
 - C. **VAWA.** See Instructions: *Eligibility for the Spouse, Former Spouse, or Child of a U.S. Citizen under the Violence Against Women Act (VAWA)*
 - D. **Spouse of U.S. Citizen in Qualified Employment Outside the United States.** See Instructions: *Eligibility for the Spouse of a U.S. Citizen Working for a Qualified Employer Outside the United States*
 If your residential address is outside the United States and you are filing under Immigration and Nationality Act (INA) section 319(b), select the USCIS field office where you would like to have your naturalization interview. You can find a USCIS field office at www.uscis.gov/field-offices.
 - E. **Military Service During Period of Hostilities.** See Instructions: *Eligibility and Evidence for Current and Former Members of the U.S. Armed Forces*
 - F. **At Least One Year of Honorable Military Service at Any Time.** See Instructions: *Eligibility and Evidence for Current and Former Members of the U.S. Armed Forces*
 - G. **Other Reason for Filing Not Listed Above**

Part 2. Information About You (Person applying for naturalization)

1. Your Current Legal Name (**do not** provide a nickname)

Family Name (Last Name)	Given Name (First Name)	Middle Name (if applicable)
2. Other Names You Have Used Since Birth (see the Instructions for this **Item Number** for more information about which names to include)

Family Name (Last Name)	Given Name (First Name)	Middle Name (if applicable)

Part 2. Information About You (Person applying for naturalization) (continued) A-

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Name Change (Optional)

Read the instructions for this Item Number before you decide whether you would like to legally change your name.

3. Would you like to legally change your name? Yes No (skip to **Item Number 4.**)

If you answered "Yes," type or print the new name you would like to use:

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

4. USCIS Online Account Number (if any)

5. Sex Male Female

6. Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)

In addition to your actual date of birth, include any other dates of birth you have ever used, including dates used in connection with any legal names or non-legal names, in the space provided in **Part 14. Additional Information.**

7. If you are a lawful permanent resident, provide the date you became a lawful permanent resident (mm/dd/yyyy).

8. Country of Birth

9. Country of Citizenship or Nationality

If you are a citizen or national of more than one country, list additional countries of nationality in the space provided in **Part 14. Additional Information.**

10. Was your mother or father (including adoptive mother or father) a U.S. citizen before your 18th birthday? Yes No
If you answered "Yes," you may already be a U.S. citizen. If you are a U.S. citizen, you should not complete Form N-400.

11. Do you have a physical or developmental disability or mental impairment that prevents you from demonstrating your knowledge and understanding of the English language or civics requirements for naturalization? Yes No

If you answered "Yes," submit a completed Form N-648, Medical Certification for Disability Exceptions, when you file your Form N-400. See the *Naturalization Testing and Exceptions* section of the Instructions for additional information about exceptions from the English language test, including exceptions based on age and years as a lawful permanent resident.

Social Security Update

12.a. Do you want the Social Security Administration (SSA) to issue you an original or replacement Social Security card and update your immigration status with the SSA if and when you are naturalized?

- Yes (Complete **Item Numbers 12.b. - 12.c.**)
- No (Go to **Part 3.**)

12.b. Provide your Social Security number (SSN) (if any).

12.c. **Consent for Disclosure:** I authorize disclosure of information from this application and USCIS systems to the SSA as required for the purpose of assigning me an SSN, issuing me an original or replacement Social Security card, and updating my immigration status with the SSA. Yes No

NOTE: If you answered "Yes" to **Item Number 12.a.**, you must also answer "Yes" to **Item Number 12.c., Consent for Disclosure**, to receive a card.

Part 3. Biographic Information

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NOTE: USCIS requires you to complete the categories below to conduct background checks. (See the **Form N-400 Instructions** for more information.)

1. Ethnicity (Select **only one** box)

 Hispanic or Latino Not Hispanic or Latino

2. Race (Select **all applicable** boxes)

 American Indian or Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander White

3. Height Feet Inches 4. Weight Pounds

5. Eye color (Select **only one** box)

 Black Blue Brown Gray Green Hazel Maroon Pink Unknown/Other

6. Hair color (Select **only one** box)

 Bald (No hair) Black Blond Brown Gray Red Sandy White Unknown/Other

Part 4. Information About Your Residence

1. Physical Addresses

 List every location where you have lived during the last 5 years if you are filing based on the general provision under **Part 1, Item Number 1.a.** If you are filing based on other naturalization eligibility options, see **Part 4.** in the **Specific Instructions by Item Number** section of the Instructions for the applicable period of time for which you must enter this information. If you need extra space, use the space provided in **Part 14. Additional Information.**

Current Physical Address

In Care Of Name (if any)

Street Number and Name

Apt. Ste. Flr. Number

City or Town

State

ZIP Code

Province

Postal Code

Country

Dates of Residence: From (mm/dd/yyyy)

Dates of Residence: To (mm/dd/yyyy)

Physical Address (Street Number and Name)	City or Town	State / Province	ZIP Code / Postal Code	Country	Dates of Residence	
					From (mm/dd/yyyy)	To (mm/dd/yyyy)

2. Is your current physical address also your current mailing address?

Yes (If you answered "Yes," skip to **Part 5.**) No

Part 4. Information About Your Residence (continued)

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3. Current Mailing Address (Safe Mailing Address, if applicable)

In Care Of Name (if any)

Street Number and Name

Apt. Ste. Flr. Number

City or Town

State

ZIP Code

Province

Postal Code

Country

Part 5. Information About Your Marital History

1. What is your current marital status?

- Single, Never Married Married Divorced Widowed Separated Marriage Annulled

If you are single and have **never** married, go to **Part 6. Information About Your Children.**

2. If you are currently married, is your spouse a current member of the U.S. armed forces?

- Yes No

3. How many times have you been married? (See the **Specific Instructions by Item Number** section of the Instructions for more information about which marriages to include.)

Provide current marriage certificate and any divorce decree, annulment decree, or death certificate showing that your prior marriages were terminated (if applicable).

If you are filing under one of the categories below, answer **Item Numbers 4.a. - 8.:**

- Spouse of U.S. Citizen, **Part 1., Item Number 1.b.;** or;
- Spouse of U.S. Citizen in Qualified Employment Outside the United States, **Part 1., Item Number 1.d.**

If you are not filing **under one of the categories above, skip to Part 6.**

Your Current Marriage

If you are currently married, including if you are legally separated, provide the following information about your current spouse.

4.a. Current Spouse's Legal Name

Family Name (Last Name)

Given Name (First Name)

Middle Name (if applicable)

4.b. Current Spouse's Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)

4.c. Date You Entered into Marriage with Current Spouse (mm/dd/yyyy)

4.d. Is your current spouse's present physical address the same as your physical address?

- Yes
 No (If you answered "No," provide address in **Part 14. Additional Information.**)

5.a. When did your current spouse become a U.S. citizen?

- By Birth in the United States - Go to **Item Number 7.**
 Other - Complete **Item Number 5.b.**

5.b. Date Your Current Spouse Became a U.S. Citizen (mm/dd/yyyy)

Part 5. Information About Your Marital History (continued)

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6. Current Spouse's Alien Registration Number (A-Number) (if any) ▶ A-
7. How many times has your current spouse been married? (See the **Specific Instructions by Item Number** section of the Instructions for more information about which marriages to include.)

Provide divorce decrees, annulment decrees, or death certificates showing that all of your spouse's prior marriages were terminated (if applicable).

8. Current Spouse's Current Employer or Company

Only answer **Item Number 8.** if you are filing under **Part 1., Item Number 1.d., Spouse of U.S. Citizen in Qualified Employment Outside the United States.**

Part 6. Information About Your Children

1. Indicate your total number of children under 18 years of age.
2. Provide the following information about your children identified in **Item Number 1.** For the residence and relationship columns, you must type or print one of the valid options listed. If any of your children do not reside with you, provide the address(es) where those children live in **Part 14. Additional Information.** If you have more than three children, use the space provided in **Part 14. Additional Information.**

Son or Daughter's Name (First Name and Family Name)	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)	Residence (Valid options include: resides with me, does not reside with me, or unknown/ missing)	Relationship (Valid options include: biological son or daughter, stepchild, or legally adopted son or daughter)	Are you providing support for your son or daughter?
				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Part 7. Information About Your Employment and Schools You Attended

1. List where you have worked or attended school full time or part time during the last 5 years if you are filing based on the general provision under **Part 1., Item Number 1.a.** If you are filing based on other naturalization eligibility options, see **Part 7.** in the **Specific Instructions by Item Number** section of the Instructions for the applicable period of time for which you must enter this information. Provide information for the complete time period for all employment, including foreign government employment such as military, police, and intelligence services. Begin by providing information about your most recent or current employment, studies, or unemployment. Provide the locations and dates where you worked, were self-employed, were unemployed, or have studied. If you worked for yourself and not for a specific employer, type or print "self-employed" for the employer name. If you were unemployed, type or print "unemployed." If you are retired, type or print "retired." If you need extra space to complete **Part 7.,** use the space provided in **Part 14. Additional Information.**

Employer or School					Employment/School Dates		Occupation or Field of Study
Name	City/Town	State/ Province	ZIP Code/ Postal Code	Country	From (mm/dd/yyyy)	To (mm/dd/yyyy)	
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Part 9. Additional Information About You (continued)

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If you answer “Yes” to any part of Item Number 15. below, complete the table below with each crime or offense even if your records have been sealed, expunged, or otherwise cleared. You must disclose this information even if someone, including a judge, law enforcement officer, or attorney, told you that it is no longer on your record, or told you that you do not have to disclose the information. If you need extra space, use the space provided in Part 14. Additional Information. Submit evidence to support your answers with your Form N-400.

Include all the crimes and offenses in the United States or **anywhere in the world** (including domestic violence, driving under the influence of drugs or alcohol, and crimes and offenses while you were under 18 years of age) which you **EVER**:

- Committed, agreed to commit, or asked someone else to commit;
- Were arrested, cited, detained, or confined by any law enforcement officer, military official (in the U.S. or elsewhere), or immigration official;
- Were charged with committing, helping commit, or trying to commit;
- Pled guilty to;
- Were convicted of;
- Were placed in alternative sentencing or a rehabilitative program for (for example, diversion, deferred prosecution, withheld adjudication, or deferred adjudication); or
- Received a suspended sentence, clemency, amnesty, or pardon for, or were placed on probation or paroled for.

15.a. Have you **EVER** committed, agreed to commit, asked someone else to commit, helped commit, or tried to commit a crime or offense for which you were NOT arrested? Yes No

15.b. Have you **EVER** been arrested, cited, detained or confined by any law enforcement officer, military official (in the U.S. or elsewhere), or immigration official for any reason, or been charged with a crime or offense? Yes No

What was the crime or offense? (If convicted, provide crime of conviction. If not convicted, provide crime or offense listed in arrest, citation, charging document, or crime committed.)	Date of the Crime or Offense (mm/dd/yyyy)	Date of your conviction or guilty plea (if applicable) (mm/dd/yyyy)	Place of Crime or Offense (City or Town, State, Country)	What was the result or disposition of the arrest, citation, or charge? (no charges filed, convicted, charges dismissed, detention, jail, probation, etc.)	What was your sentence (if applicable)? (For example, 90 days in jail, 90 days on probation)

16. If you received a suspended sentence, were placed on probation, or were paroled, have you completed your suspended sentence, probation, or parole? Yes No

If you answer “Yes” to any of the questions in **Item Numbers 17.a. - 19.**, provide an explanation in the space provided in **Part 14. Additional Information.** Submit evidence to support your answers.

Part 9. Additional Information About You (continued)

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If you answered "No" to **Item Number 25.**, go to **Item Number 30.a.**

- 26.a. Are you **currently** a member of the U.S. armed forces? Yes No
- 26.b. If you answered "Yes" to **Item Number 26.a.**, are you scheduled to deploy outside the United States, including to a vessel, within the next 3 months? (Call the Military Help Line at **877-247-4645** if you transfer to a new duty station after you file your Form N-400, including if you are deployed outside the United States or to a vessel.) Yes No
- 26.c. If you answered "Yes," to **Item Number 26.a.**, are you **currently** stationed outside the United States? Yes No
- 26.d. If you answered "No" to **Item Number 26.a.**, are you a former U.S. military service member who is currently residing outside of the U.S.? Yes No

If you answer "Yes" to **Item Numbers 27. - 29.**, provide an explanation in the space provided in **Part 14. Additional Information.**

- 27. Have you **EVER** been court-martialed or have you received a discharge characterized as other than honorable, bad conduct, or dishonorable, while in the U.S. armed forces? Yes No
- 28. Have you **EVER** been discharged from training or service in the U.S. armed forces because you were an alien? Yes No
- 29. Have you **EVER** deserted from the U.S. armed forces? Yes No

For **Item Numbers 30.a. - 37.** see **Specific Instructions by Item Number, Part 9. Additional Information About You.** If you answer "Yes" to **Item Number 30.a.**, provide an explanation in the space provided in **Part 14. Additional Information.**

- 30.a. Do you now have, or did you **EVER** have, a hereditary title or an order of nobility in any foreign country? Yes No (skip to **Item Number 31.**)
- 30.b. If you answered "Yes," to **Item Number 30.a.**, are you willing to give up any inherited titles or orders of nobility, (list titles), that you have in a foreign country at your naturalization ceremony? Yes No

If you answer "No" to any question except **Item Number 33.**, see the *Oath of Allegiance* section of the Instructions for more information.

- 31. Do you support the Constitution and form of Government of the United States? Yes No
- 32. Do you understand the full Oath of Allegiance to the United States (see **Part 16. Oath of Allegiance**)? Yes No
- 33. Are you unable to take the Oath of Allegiance because of a physical or developmental disability or mental impairment? If you answer "Yes," skip **Item Numbers 34. - 37.** and see the *Legal Guardian, Surrogate, or Designated Representative* section in the **Instructions.** Yes No
- 34. Are you willing to take the full Oath of Allegiance to the United States? Yes No
- 35. If the law requires it, are you willing to bear arms (carry weapons) on behalf of the United States? Yes No
- 36. If the law requires it, are you willing to perform noncombatant services (do something that does not include fighting in a war) in the U.S. armed forces? Yes No
- 37. If the law requires it, are you willing to perform work of national importance under civilian direction (do non-military work that the U.S. Government says is important to the country)? Yes No

Part 10. Request for a Fee Reduction

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For information about fees, fee waivers, and reduced fees, see Form G-1055, Fee Schedule, at www.uscis.gov/g-1055. To apply for a reduced fee, complete **Item Numbers 1. - 5.b.** If you are not eligible for a reduced fee, complete **Item Number 1.** and proceed to **Part 11.**

1. My household income is less than or equal to 400% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines (see Instructions for required documentation).

- Yes (complete **Item Numbers 2. - 5.b.**)
- No (skip to **Part 11.**)

2. Total household income:

3. My household size is:

4. Total number of household members earning income including yourself:

5.a. I am the head of household. Yes No

5.b. Name of head of household (if you selected "No" in **Item Number 5.a.**):

Part 11. Applicant's Contact Information, Certification, and Signature

Applicant's Contact Information

Provide your daytime telephone number, mobile telephone number (if any), and email address (if any).

- 1. Applicant's Daytime Telephone Number
- 2. Applicant's Mobile Telephone Number (if any)
- 3. Applicant's Email Address (if any)

Applicant's Certification and Signature

I certify, under penalty of perjury, that I provided or authorized all of the responses and information contained in and submitted with my application, I read and understand or, if interpreted to me in a language in which I am fluent by the interpreter listed in **Part 12.**, understood, all of the responses and information contained in, and submitted with, my application, and that all of the responses and the information are complete, true, and correct. Furthermore, I authorize the release of any information from any and all of my records that USCIS may need to determine my eligibility for an immigration request and to other entities and persons where necessary for the administration and enforcement of U.S. immigration law.

- 4. Applicant's Signature (or signature of a legal guardian, surrogate, or designated representative, if applicable) Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy)

Part 12. Interpreter's Contact Information, Certification, and Signature

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Interpreter's Full Name

1. Interpreter's Family Name (Last Name) Interpreter's Given Name (First Name)

2. Interpreter's Business or Organization Name

Interpreter's Contact Information

3. Interpreter's Daytime Telephone Number 4. Interpreter's Mobile Telephone Number (if any)

5. Interpreter's Email Address (if any)

Interpreter's Certification and Signature

I certify, under penalty of perjury, that I am fluent in English and , and I have interpreted every question on the application and Instructions and interpreted the applicant's answers to the questions in that language, and the applicant informed me that he or she understood every instruction, question, and answer on the application.

6. Interpreter's Signature Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy)

Part 13. Contact Information, Certification, and Signature of the Person Preparing this Application, if Other Than the Applicant

Preparer's Full Name

1. Preparer's Family Name (Last Name) Preparer's Given Name (First Name)

2. Preparer's Business or Organization Name

Preparer's Contact Information

3. Preparer's Daytime Telephone Number 4. Preparer's Mobile Telephone Number (if any)

5. Preparer's Email Address (if any)

Preparer's Certification and Signature

I certify, under penalty of perjury, that I prepared this application for the applicant at his or her request and with express consent and that all of the responses and information contained in and submitted with the application are complete, true, and correct and reflects only information provided by the applicant. The applicant reviewed the responses and information and informed me that he or she understands the responses and information in or submitted with the application.

6. Preparer's Signature Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy)

Part 14. Additional Information

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If you need extra space to provide any additional information within this application, use the space below. If you need more space than what is provided, you may make copies of this page to complete and file with this application or attach a separate sheet of paper. Type or print your name and A-Number at the top of each sheet; indicate the **Page Number**, **Part Number**, and **Item Number** to which your answer refers; and sign and date each sheet.

1. Family Name (Last Name) Given Name (First Name) Middle (if applicable)

2. Page Number Part Number Item Number

3. Page Number Part Number Item Number

4. Page Number Part Number Item Number

5. Page Number Part Number Item Number

Do not complete Parts 15. or 16. until the USCIS officer instructs you to do so at the interview.

Part 15. Signature at Interview

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I swear (affirm) and certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that I know that the contents of this Form N-400, Application for Naturalization, subscribed by me, including corrections, are complete, true, and correct. The evidence submitted by me are complete, true, and correct.

Subscribed to and sworn to (affirmed) before me

USCIS Officer's Printed Name or Stamp

Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy)

Applicant's Signature

USCIS Officer's Signature

Part 16. Oath of Allegiance

If your application is approved, you will be scheduled for a naturalization ceremony at which time you will be required to take the following Oath of Allegiance immediately prior to becoming a naturalized citizen. By signing below you acknowledge your willingness to take this Oath:

I hereby declare on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, of whom or which I have heretofore been a subject or citizen;

that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign, and domestic;

that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same;

that I will bear arms on behalf of the United States when required by the law;

that I will perform noncombatant service in the armed forces of the United States when required by the law;

that I will perform work of national importance under civilian direction when required by the law; and

that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; so help me God.

Applicant's Signature

Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy)