

Form N-600, Application for Certificate of Citizenship

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Part 1. Information About Your Eligibility

Enter Your 9-Digit A-Number:

1. This application is being filed based on the fact that: (Select **only one box)**

I am a BIOLOGICAL child of a U.S. citizen parent.

I am an ADOPTED child of a U.S. citizen parent.

I am a parent or legal guardian filing on behalf of a BIOLOGICAL minor child of a U.S. citizen parent.

I am a parent or legal guardian filing on behalf of an ADOPTED minor child of a U.S. citizen parent.

Other (Explain fully): [Fillable Field]

NOTE: If you need extra space to complete this section, use the space provided in **Part 11. Additional Information.**

Part 2. Information About You

NOTE: Provide information about yourself if you are an applicant applying for the Certificate of Citizenship.

Provide information about your child if you are a U.S. citizen parent or legal guardian applying for a Certificate of Citizenship for your minor child.

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

Family Name (Last Name)

Given Name (First Name)

Middle Name

2. Your Name Exactly As It Appears on Your Permanent Resident Card (if different from above)

Family Name (Last Name)

Given Name (First Name)

Middle Name

3. Other Names You Have Used Since Birth

Provide all other names you have ever used, include nicknames, maiden name, and aliases.

Family Name (Last Name)

Given Name (First Name)
Middle Name

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

4. U.S. Social Security Number (if any)
5. USCIS Online Account Number (if any)
6. Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)
7. Country of Birth
8. Country of Prior Citizenship or Nationality
9. Gender
Male
Female

10. Height Feet __ Inches __

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11. **Current** Mailing Address
In Care Of Name (if any)
Street Number and Name
Apt. Ste. Flr.
Number
City or Town
State
ZIP Code + 4
Province (foreign address only)
Postal Code (foreign address only)
Country (foreign address only)

12. **Current** Physical Address (if different from the address above)
Street Number and Name (Do **not** provide a PO Box in this space unless it is your **ONLY** address.)
Apt. Ste. Flr.
Number
City or Town
State
Province (foreign address only)
Postal Code (foreign address only)
Country (foreign address only)

13. **Current** Marital Status
Single, Never Married
Married
Divorced
Widowed
Separated
Marriage Annulled
Other [Fillable field]

14. U.S. Armed Forces

Are you a member or veteran of any branch of the U.S. Armed Forces?

Yes

No

15. Information About Your Admission into the United States and Immigration Status

A. I arrived in the following manner

Port-of-Entry

[Fillable field]

Date of Entry (mm/dd/yyyy)

Exact Name Used at Time of Entry

Family Name (Last Name)

Given Name (First Name)

Middle Name

B. I used the following travel document to be admitted to the United States

Passport

Passport Number

Travel Document

Travel Document Number

Country of Issuance for Passport or Travel Document

Date Passport or Travel Document Issued (mm/dd/yyyy)

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C. Have you ever been a lawful permanent resident (LPR)?

Yes (Answer **Item D.** and **Item Number 16.**)

No (Skip to **Item Number 17.**)

D. I obtained LPR status through adjustment of status in the United States or admission as a LPR (if applicable).

Date I became a LPR (mm/dd/yyyy)

U.S. **Citizenship** and Immigration Services (USCIS) Office That Granted my LPR Status or Location Where I Was Admitted

16. Have you ever abandoned or lost your LPR status?

Yes

No

If you answered "Yes" to **Item Number 16.**, provide an explanation below. If you need extra space to complete this section, use the space provided in **Part 11. Additional Information.**

[Fillable Field]

17. Have you previously applied for a Certificate of Citizenship?

Yes

No

If you answered "Yes" to **Item Number 17.**, provide an explanation below. If you need extra space to complete your explanation, use the space provided in **Part 11. Additional Information.**

[Fillable Field]

18. Have you previously applied for a U.S. Passport?

Yes

No

If you answered "Yes" to **Item Number 18.**, provide an explanation below. If you need extra space to complete **your explanation**, use the space provided in **Part 11. Additional Information.**
[Fillable Field]

19. Do you regularly reside in the legal and physical custody of your U.S. citizen parent(s), or, if over 18 years of age, did you regularly reside in the legal and physical custody of your U.S. citizen parent(s) before turning 18 years of age?

Yes

No

20. Were you adopted?

Yes

No

If you answered "Yes" to **Item Number 20.**, complete **Items A. - E.** If you answered "No" to **Item Number 20.**, skip to **Item Number 23.**

A. Place of Adoption

City or Town

State

Country

B. Date of Adoption (mm/dd/yyyy)

C. Date Legal Custody Began (mm/dd/yyyy)

D. Date Physical Custody Began (mm/dd/yyyy)

E. Was this adoption considered a full, final, and complete adoption?

Yes

No

If you answered "Yes" to **Item Number 20.E.**, skip to **Item Number 25.** If you answered "No" to **Item Number 20.E.**, proceed to **Item Number 21.**

21. Did your state of residence recognize your foreign adoption as full and final under that state's adoption laws either through an administrative process or by operation of law? Provide evidence of the statutory or regulatory provision recognizing foreign adoption.

Yes (Skip **Item Numbers 22.A.-22.D.**)

No (Answer **Item Numbers 22.A-22.D.**)

22. Information About Re-Adoption

A. Place of Re-Adoption

City or Town

State

Country

B. Date of Adoption (mm/dd/yyyy)

C. Date Legal Custody Began (mm/dd/yyyy)

D. Date Physical Custody Began (mm/dd/yyyy)

If you are applying as the biological child of U.S. citizen parent(s), answer **Item Numbers 23.** and **24.**

23. Were your parents married to each other when you were born?

Yes

No

24. Did your parents marry after you were born?

Yes

No

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Answer Item Number 25. only if you are claiming U.S. citizenship at the time of birth and you were born before October 10, 1952. Skip to Part 3. if this does not apply to you. If you need extra space to complete this section, use the space provided in **Part 11. Additional Information.**

25. Have you been absent from the United States since you first arrived?

Yes (**Answer Items A.-F.**)

No (**Skip to Part 3.**)

A. Date You Left the United States (mm/dd/yyyy)

B. Date You Returned to the United States (mm/dd/yyyy)

C. Place of Entry Upon Return to the United States

City or Town

State

D. Date You Left the United States (mm/dd/yyyy)

E. Date You Returned to the United States (mm/dd/yyyy)

F. Place of Entry Upon Return to the United States

City or Town

State

Part 3. Information About Your U.S. Citizen Biological (or Adoptive) Parent

NOTE: Complete this section if you are claiming citizenship through a U.S. citizen biological (or adoptive) parent.

Provide information about yourself if you are a U.S. citizen parent applying for a Certificate of Citizenship on behalf of your minor biological or adopted child.

1. Current Legal Name of a U.S. Citizen Parent

Family Name (Last Name)

Given Name (First Name)

Middle Name

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

3. This Parent is My:

Mother

Father

4. Country of Birth

5. Current Physical Address

Street Number and Name (Type or print "Deceased" and the date of death if applicable.)

Apt. Ste. Flr.

Number

City or Town

State

ZIP Code + 4

Province (foreign address only)

Postal Code (foreign address only)

Country (foreign address only)

6. My parent is a U.S. citizen by

Birth in the United States

Acquisition after birth through naturalization of parent(s)

Certificate of Citizenship Number (if any)

Alien Registration (A-Number) (if any)

Birth abroad to U.S. citizen parent(s)

Certificate of Citizenship Number (if any)

Alien Registration (A-Number) (if any)

Naturalization

Place of Naturalization (Name of Court or USCIS Office Location)

City or Town

State

Certificate of Naturalization Number

A-Number

Date of Naturalization (mm/dd/yyyy)

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

Yes

No

If you answered "Yes" to Item Number 7., provide an explanation in Part 11. Additional Information.

8. Marital History

A. How many times has your U.S. citizen parent been married (including annulled marriages and marriages to the same person)?

B. What is your U.S. citizen parent's current marital status?

Single, Never Married

Married

Divorced

Widowed

Separated

Marriage Annulled

Other [Fillable field]

If you selected "Other," provide an explanation. If you need extra space to complete this section, use the space provided in Part 11. Additional Information.

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9. If your U.S. citizen parent is married or separated, is their current spouse also your other biological (or adoptive) parent (as identified in Part 4.)?

Yes (Answer only **Item Number 10.A and 10.B.**, then skip to **Part 4.**)
No (Answer all questions in **Item Number 10.**)

10. Information About U.S. Citizen Parent's Current Spouse

A. Date of Marriage (mm/dd/yyyy)

B. Place of Marriage
City or Town
State
Country

C. Family Name (Last Name)
Given Name (First Name)
Middle Name

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

E. Country of Birth

F. Country of Citizenship or Nationality

G. Spouse's **Current** Physical Address
Street Number and Name
Apt. Ste. Flr.
Number
City or Town
State
ZIP Code + 4
Province (foreign address only)
Postal Code (foreign address only)
Country (foreign address only)

H. Spouse's Immigration Status
U.S. Citizen
Lawful Permanent Resident
Other (Explain):

If you selected "Other," provide an explanation. If you need extra space to complete this section, use the space provided in **Part 11. Additional Information.**

Part 4. Information About Your Other Biological (or Adoptive) Parent

1. Current Legal Name of **Other Parent**
Family Name (Last Name)
Given Name (First Name)
Middle Name

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

3. This Parent is My:
 Mother
 Father

4. Country of Birth

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5. Current Physical Address

Street Number and Name (Type or print “Deceased” and the date of death if **applicable.**)

Apt. Ste. Flr.

Number

City or Town

State

ZIP Code + 4

Province (foreign address only)

Postal Code (foreign address only)

Country (foreign address only)

6. Is your other parent a U.S. citizen?

Yes (Answer Item Number 7.)

No (Skip to Item Number 8.)

7. My other parent is a U.S. citizen by

Birth in the United States

Acquisition after birth through naturalization of parent(s)

Certificate of Citizenship Number (if any)

Alien Registration (A-Number) (if any)

Birth abroad to U.S. citizen parent(s)

Certificate of Citizenship Number (if any)

Alien Registration (A-Number) (if any)

Naturalization

Place of Naturalization (Name of Court or USCIS Office Location)

City or Town

State

Certificate of Naturalization Number

Alien Registration (A-Number)

Date of Naturalization (mm/dd/yyyy)

8. If your other parent is not a U.S. citizen, what is their country of citizenship or nationality?

9. Has your other parent ever lost U.S. citizenship or taken any action that would cause loss of U.S. citizenship?

Yes

No

If you answered “Yes” to **Item Number 10.**, provide an explanation in **Part 11. Additional Information.**

10. Marital History

A. How many times has your **other parent** been married (including annulled marriages and marriages to the same person)?

B. What is your **other parent’s** current marital status?

Single, Never Married

Married

Divorced

Widowed

Separated
Marriage Annulled
Other [Fillable field]

If you selected "Other," provide an explanation. If you need extra space to complete this section, use the space provided in **Part 11. Additional Information.**

11. If your other parent is married or separated, is their current spouse also your U.S. citizen biological (or adoptive) parent identified in Part 3.?

Yes (Skip to Part 5.)

No (Answer all questions in Item Number 12.)

12. Information About Other Parent's Current Spouse

A. Family Name (Last Name)

Given Name (First Name)

Middle Name

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

C. Country of Birth

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D. Country of Citizenship or Nationality

E. Spouse's Current Physical Address

Street Number and Name

Apt. Ste. Flr.

Number

City or Town

State

ZIP Code + 4

Province (foreign address only)

Postal Code (foreign address only)

Country (foreign address only)

F. Date of Marriage (mm/dd/yyyy)

G. Place of Marriage

City or Town

State

Country

H. Spouse's Immigration Status

U.S. Citizen

Lawful Permanent Resident

Other (Explain):

If you selected "Other," provide an explanation. If you need extra space to complete this section, use the space provided in **Part 11. Additional Information.**

Part 5. Information About a Legal Guardian Applying on Behalf of a Child

Complete this section if you are a legal guardian applying on behalf of a minor child.

1. Current Legal Name of Legal Guardian

Family Name (Last Name)

Given Name (First Name)

Middle Name

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

3. Current Physical Address

Street Number and Name

Apt. Ste. Flr.

Number

City or Town

State

ZIP Code + 4

Province (foreign address only)

Postal Code (foreign address only)

Country (foreign address only)

Part 6. Physical Presence in the United States From U.S. Citizen Parent's Birth Until Child's Birth

NOTE: Only applicants born outside the United States claiming to have been born U.S. citizens are required to provide all the dates when your U.S. citizen biological parent resided in the United States. **Include all dates from the U.S. citizen parent's birth until the child's birth.**

1. Indicate to which U.S. citizen parent this information relates

U.S. Citizen Parent Identified in **Part 3.**

U.S. Citizen Parent Identified in **Part 4.**

2. Physical Presence in the United States

A. From (mm/dd/yyyy)

To (mm/dd/yyyy)

B. From (mm/dd/yyyy)

To (mm/dd/yyyy)

C. From (mm/dd/yyyy)

To (mm/dd/yyyy)

D. From (mm/dd/yyyy)

To (mm/dd/yyyy)

E. From (mm/dd/yyyy)

To (mm/dd/yyyy)

F. From (mm/dd/yyyy)

To (mm/dd/yyyy)

G. From (mm/dd/yyyy)

To (mm/dd/yyyy)

H. From (mm/dd/yyyy)

To (mm/dd/yyyy)

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Part 7. Information About Military Service of U.S. Citizen Parents

NOTE: Complete this only if you are an applicant claiming U.S. citizenship at time of birth abroad.

1. Has your U.S. citizen parent served in the U.S. Armed Forces?

Yes

No

If both of your parents are U.S. citizens and have both served in the U.S. Armed Forces, provide information about the other parent's service in **Part 11. Additional Information.**

2. If you answered "Yes" to **Item Number 1.**, provide the name of your parent who served in the U.S. Armed Forces.

[fillable text field]

3. Dates of Service (mm/dd/yyyy) (if time of service fulfills any of the required physical presence, submit evidence of the service.)

A. From (mm/dd/yyyy)

To (mm/dd/yyyy)

B. From (mm/dd/yyyy)

To (mm/dd/yyyy)

4. Type of **Military Service**

Honorable

Other than Honorable

Dishonorable

Other (Explain):

Part 8. Applicant's, Parent's, or Legal Guardian's Statement, Contact Information, Certification, and Signature

NOTE: Read the **Penalties** section of the Form N-600 Instructions before completing this section.

Applicant's, Parent's, or Legal Guardian's Statement

NOTE: Select the box for either **Item A.** or **B.** in **Item Number 1.** If applicable, select the box for **Item Number 2.**

1. Applicant's, Parent's, or Legal Guardian's Statement Regarding the Interpreter

A. 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.

B. The interpreter named in **Part 9.** read to me every question and instruction on this application and my answer to every question in [Fillable Field], a language in which I am fluent, and I understood everything.

2. Applicant's, Parent's, or Legal Guardian's Statement Regarding the Preparer

At my request, the preparer named in **Part 10.**, [Fillable field], prepared this application for me based only upon information I provided or authorized.

Applicant's, Parent's, or Legal Guardian's Contact Information

3. **Daytime** Telephone Number

4. **Mobile** Telephone Number (if any)

5. **Email** Address (if any)

Applicant's, Parent's, or Legal Guardian's Certification

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 and all of my records that USCIS may need to determine my eligibility for the immigration benefit that I seek.

I furthermore 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 law.

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I understand that USCIS may require me (the applicant/child) to appear for an appointment to take my biometrics and, that if I am required to appear, 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.

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 correct.

Applicant's, Parent's, or Legal Guardian's Signature

6. Signature (sign in ink)

Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy)

NOTE TO ALL APPLICANTS: If you do not completely fill out this application or fail to submit required documents listed in the Instructions, USCIS may deny your application.

Part 9. Interpreter's Contact Information, Certification, and Signature

Provide the following information about the interpreter.

Interpreter's Full Name

1. Interpreter's Family Name (Last Name)
Interpreter's Given Name (First Name)
2. Interpreter's Business or Organization Name (if any)

Interpreter's Mailing Address

3. Street Number and Name
Apt./Ste./Flr. Number
City or Town
State
ZIP Code + 4
Province
Postal Code
Country

Interpreter's Contact Information

4. Interpreter's Daytime Telephone Number
5. Interpreter's Mobile Telephone Number (if any)
6. Interpreter's Email Address (if any)

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Interpreter's Certification

I certify, under penalty of perjury, that:

I am fluent in English and [Fillable Field], which is the same language specified in **Part 8., Item B.** in **Item Number 1.**, and I have read to this applicant (or his or her parent or legal guardian) in the identified language every question and instruction on this application and his or her answer to every question. The applicant (or his or her parent or legal guardian) 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.

Interpreter's Signature

7. Interpreter's Signature

Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy)

Part 10. Contact Information, Declaration, and Signature of the Person Preparing this Application, if Other Than the Applicant, Parent, or Legal Guardian

Provide the following information about the preparer.

Preparer's Full Name

1. Preparer's Family Name (Last Name)

Preparer's Given Name (First Name)

2. Preparer's Business or Organization Name (if any)

Preparer's Mailing Address

3. Street Number and Name

Apt./Ste./Flr. Number

City or Town

State

ZIP Code

Province

Postal Code

Country

Preparer's Contact Information

4. Preparer's Daytime Telephone Number

5. Preparer's Mobile Telephone Number (if any)

6. Preparer's Email Address (if any)

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Preparer's Statement

7. **A.** I am not an attorney or accredited representative but have prepared this application on behalf of the applicant and with the applicant's consent (or the consent of his or her parent or legal guardian).

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

NOTE: If you are an attorney or accredited representative, you may need to submit a completed Form G-28, Notice of Entry of Appearance as Attorney or Accredited Representative, with this application. Members of the Armed Forces applying outside the United States for a Certificate of Citizenship under INA section 320 may file Form G-28I, Notice of Entry of Appearance as Attorney In Matters Outside the Geographical Confines of the United States with this application, if applicable.

Preparer's Certification

By my signature, I certify, under penalty of perjury, that I prepared this application at the request of the applicant (or his or her parent or legal guardian). The applicant (or his or her parent or legal guardian) 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 (or his or her parent or legal guardian) provided to me or authorized me to obtain or use.

Preparer's Signature

8. Preparer's Signature (sign in ink)

Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy)

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Part 11. Additional Information

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 (if any) 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) [Auto-populated field]

Given Name (First Name) [Auto-populated field]

Middle Name [Auto-populated field]

2. A-Number (if any) [Auto-populated field]

3. A. Page Number

B. Part Number

C. Item Number

D. [Fillable field]

4. A. Page Number

B. Part Number

C. Item Number

D. [Fillable field]

5. A. Page Number

B. Part Number

C. Item Number

D. [Fillable field]

6. A. Page Number

B. Part Number

C. Item Number

D. [Fillable field]

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Part 12. Affidavit (do **NOT** complete this part unless instructed to do so **AT THE INTERVIEW**)

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

Applicant's, Parent's, or Legal Guardian's Signature (Sign in ink)

Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy)

Subscribed and sworn or affirmed before me upon examination of the applicant (parent, or legal guardian) on [Date (mm/dd/yyyy)] at [(Location)].

USCIS Officer's Printed Name
USCIS Officer's Title
USCIS Officer's Signature (Sign in ink)
Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy)

Part 13. Officer Report on Application for Certificate of Citizenship (for USCIS use ONLY)

On the basis of the documents, records, the testimony of persons examined, and the identification upon personal appearance of the underage beneficiary (if applicable), I find that all the facts and conclusions set forth under oath in this application are:

1. True and correct
2. The applicant derived or acquired U.S. citizenship on [Date (mm/dd/yyyy)]
3. The applicant derived or acquired U.S. citizenship through (Select the box next to the appropriate section of law, or if the section of law is not reflected, type or print the applicable section of law in the space next to "Other.")
 - A. INA Section 301
 - B. INA Section 309
 - C. INA Section 320
 - D. Former INA Section 321
 - E. Other
4. The applicant has not been expatriated since that time

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This Form N-600 is:

Approved
Denied

Issue Certificate of Citizenship in the name of:

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

USCIS Officer's Printed Name
USCIS Officer's Title
USCIS Officer's Signature (Sign in ink)
Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy)