

ASYLEE

Adjustment of status to permanent residence

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What documents are needed?

- A copy of your asylum approval notice.
- Proof of your identity, preferably a birth certificate with any foreign language translated into English.
- A copy of any pages in your passport that show any trips you made outside of the U.S. since receiving asylum.
- Proof of one year's worth of physical presence in the U.S. This evidence can include pay stubs, rent receipts, or other official documents that prove you have been living in the U.S. for one year.
- Two recent passport-size photos in color, with your name written on the back of each.
- A copy of your Form I-94: Arrival and Departure Record. USCIS should have given you this when they granted you asylum. If not, then you can get your I-94 online.
- A copy of Form I-693: Report of Medical Examination and Vaccination Record.
- Arrest records, if you have any.

Note: If CBP provided you with an electronic Form I-94 upon your arrival/admission to the United States, you may print out a paper version of the Form I-94 from the CBP website at www.cbp.gov/I94; All foreign language documents included in this application packet will need to include a complete translation into English.

Cost

- The filing fee is **\$1140** and **\$85** for the biometric fee. Applicant pays a total between **\$1140** to **\$1225**

The client qualifies for a fee waiver if the client is receiving public assistance or income is below the poverty guideline (need a benefit letter or proof of income to file a fee waiver request)

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REFUGEE

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What documents are needed?

- Proof of your admission as a refugee (such as a copy of Form I-94, Arrival/Departure Record that shows the date you were admitted as a refugee);
- Evidence of one-year physical presence in the U.S.;
- Two passport-style photographs;
- Copy of your government-issued identity document with photograph;
- Copy of your birth certificate (if available);
- Copy of your passport page with nonimmigrant visa (if available);
- Copy of your passport page with admission or parole stamp (issued by a U.S. immigration officer) (if available);
- Copy of Form I-94, Arrival/Departure Record, or copy of the U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) admission or parole stamp on the travel document (if applicable);

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Refugees do **NOT** need to pay the Form I-485 filing fee or the biometric services fee.



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