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# **Citizenship**

## **Are you eligible for U.S. citizenship?**

There are several factors that must be reviewed to determine whether someone is eligible for U.S. citizenship. To establish eligibility, one must:

1. **Confirm your Permanent Resident Status** – we will confirm exact status, verify amount of time as LPR and analyze legal time requirement for eligibility.
2. **Review Physical Location during Permanent Residency** – we will look at the time requirements for location, continuity of location and which state to apply in.
3. **Age Requirements** – we will confirm age of potential citizen
4. **Demonstrate Good Moral Character** – we will review potential pitfalls both criminal and otherwise and discuss how to meet the burden of proof
5. **English Language Skills** – we will make an honest assessment regarding the applicant's skills or explore exceptions.
6. **U.S. History and Government Exam** – we will discuss this requirement and what should be done to prepare for this part.
7. **Loyalty to U.S.** – we will discuss the required oath and exceptions if this is contrary to your beliefs.

If you have any questions or would like to make an appointment regarding Citizenship please contact my office.