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Refugees Department:
822-3212

Application Process and Costs

1. Applications for amnesty will commence in April 2022.
2. Applicants must go online to www.immigration.gov.bz to download application forms and make an appointment to submit completed applications.
3. After application has been submitted, an electronic receipt will be given where you can check the status of your application.
4. If your application is approved, you will then need to pay the Government of Belize \$500 per applicant 18 years or older and \$250 per applicant below 18 years of age.

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LOCATIONS:

Cayo

Belmopan
San Ignacio
Benque Viejo

Belize

Belize City
San Pedro
Sandhill

Toledo

Bella Vista
Machaca Community
Punta Gorda Town

Stann Creek

Dangriga
Pomona
Independence

Orange Walk

Orange Walk Town
San Pablo
Yo Creek

Corozal

Corozal Town
Chunox
San Joaquin

AMNESTY PROGRAM 2022



QUALIFYING CRITERIA AND REQUIREMENTS

General Requirements for all applicants:

1. Completed Permanent Residence Amnesty Application Form
 2. Belize Police Record for applicant and children 12 years and older
 3. Personal identity document, translated to English (expired ID or passport accepted)
 4. Medical Certificate
 5. HIV, VDRL, and TB Laboratory tests for adults and children 12 years and above
 6. Two passport sized photographs
 7. If dependants are included, complete dependant section on the form and submit letters of financial support for each dependant.
- NB: Only one application form per family; accompanied by form for dependant.

Qualifying Criteria and Specific Requirements:

1. REGISTERED AS ASYLUM SEEKERS WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF REFUGEES



Must have been registered before 31 March 2020



Must have an official letter from the Department of Refugees signed and sealed by the Director of Refugees and addressed to - Director, Nationality and Passport Department, Belmopan.

Qualifying Criteria and Specific Requirements:

2. RESIDING IN BELIZE BEFORE 31ST DECEMBER 2016
3. HAVE AT LEAST ONE (1) CHILD BORN IN BELIZE ON OR BEFORE 31st DECEMBER 2021
4. COMPLETED PRIMARY, SECONDARY AND OR TERTIARY EDUCATION IN BELIZE
5. MARRIED TO A CITIZEN OF BELIZE FOR AT LEAST ONE (1) YEAR.
6. IN COMMON-LAW UNION WITH A CITIZEN OF BELIZE FOR AT LEAST FIVE (5) YEARS
7. REFERRALS BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES (MINORS/ADOLESCENTS AND VICTIMS OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING)
8. MAINTAINED GAINFUL EMPLOYMENT IN BELIZE FOR FIVE (5) YEARS