

Supportive Evidence for initial TPS applicants

This is a list of documents that you might need to submit with your TPS application. Please consult with an immigration attorney before submitting a TPS application.

IDENTITY AND NATIONALITY EVIDENCE

Prove your identity and that you are a national of a country designated for TPS (or that you do not have a nationality and your last habitual residence was in a country designated for TPS).

- A copy of your passport; or
- A copy of your birth certificate; or
- A copy of a national identification document that bears your photograph and/or fingerprint issued by your country, or your country's Embassy or Consulate in the United States, such as a national identification card or a naturalization certificate.

CONTINUOUS PHYSICAL PRESENCE EVIDENCE

Prove that you were physically present in the U.S. since October 3, 2023.

- A copy of your passport with stamp showing date of entry; or
- I-94 Arrival/Departure Record if you arrived in the U.S. with a visa; or
- Copy of parole stamp and any other documents given to you at the border; or
- Copies of documents specified in the "Continuous Residence Evidence" section.

CONTINUOUS RESIDENCE EVIDENCE

Submit documents with your name and a date showing that you have been in the U.S. since July 31, 2023 until the date you submit your TPS application.

- Employment records, pay stubs, federal income taxes; or
- Rent receipts, lease agreements, utility bills, bank statements; or
- School records or vaccination records for your children from the schools or doctors that you or your children have attended or visited in the U.S.; or
- Hospital or medical records concerning treatment or hospitalization of you or your children; or
- Attestations by a church, union, or other organization officials who know you and where you have been residing.

CERTIFIED TRANSLATION

- Any document that is not in English must be accompanied by a complete English translation. The translation must state:
 - The translator is competent both in English and the foreign language used in the original document; and
 - The translation is true and correct to the best of translator's ability, knowledge, and belief.
 - The translation must be signed and dated by the translator.

CRIMINAL CHARGES OR ARRESTS

If you were arrested or charge with a crime you will need to submit:

- Certified court disposition (if applicable).

IMMIGRATION HISTORY

If you have an immigration petition or application pending you will need to submit:

- A copy of the receipt notice (if applicable).
- Copy of Notice to Appear (if applicable).

TPS FILING FEES

- Over 14 - TPS, EAD (employment card) y biometrics (\$545).
- Under 14: \$50
- 66 or older: \$135
- Cost is different if not applying for an EAD.

YOUR AGE	FEE FOR THE TPS APPLICATION (I-821 FORM)	FEE FOR BIOMETRICS (FINGERPRINTS)	FEE FOR WORK AUTHORIZATION (I-765 FORM)	TOTAL
under 14 years old	\$50	\$0	\$0	\$50
14-65 years old	\$50	\$85	\$410	\$545
66 and over	\$50	\$85	\$0	\$135

FEE WAIVER REQUEST

If you are unable to pay filing fees, submit a request for a fee waiver (Form I-912 Request for Fee Waiver) explaining why you are unable to pay filing fees for your TPS application. If available, you might need the following documents for your fee waiver request:

- Copy of your most recent Income Tax returns (if available).
 - Copy of W-2 and pay stubs,
 - Copy of lease agreement, utility bills, medical expenses and others to show monthly expenses,
 - Copy of COMPASS sheet if you or a family member receives public benefits in Pennsylvania (Medicaid, TANF, SNAP, CHIP other),
 - If you do not have any income, financial support, or cannot provide evidence of income, submit affidavits from religious institutions, non-profits, community-based organizations, describing your particular situation that you believe qualifies you for a fee waiver.
- For more information visit: <https://www.uscis.gov/i-912>

