

## Average Processing Times for Applications with Immigration

Below is a chart summarizing the average processing times we are experiencing at our office in cases where a request for more evidence (RFE) is not issued. The below timeframes are based recent approvals we have received and should only be used as a general reference.

For case specific information, please refer to the USCIS processing times website, where you can monitor your case using your **Receipt Notice** for the application(s) you have filed: <https://egov.uscis.gov/processing-times/>

Type of Case	Estimated Processing Times After Applications Are Filed with Immigration
Renewal of Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA)	1 – 5 months
Parole in Place / Deferred Action (Based on family in the US Armed Forces)	6 – 9 months
Applications for Employment Authorization Document (EAD)	3 – 6 months  NOTE: This is an average Processing Time for EAD's based on Asylum, Adjustment, Parole in Place, Deferred Action, U Visa.
U Visa Petition	2 – 3 years for Waitlist 4 ½ – 5 years for Approval
U Visa Adjustment of Status	9 – 12 months
Family Based Adjustment of Status	6 – 9 months
Family Petition – Immediate Relative	1 – 12 months
Provisional Unlawful Presence Waiver	9 – 12 months
Consular Processing	<u>Wait Times for Immigrant Visa Interview Date at Consulate:</u>  - Mexico = 12 – 18 months - El Salvador = 2 – 6 months - Honduras/Guatemala/Nicaragua = 6 – 8 months  NOTE: Processing Times vary because the National Visa Center processes cases based on country
Resident Alien Card - After Immigrant Visa Approval and Immigrant Fee is paid online	2 – 6 months
Petition to Remove Conditions on Residency	12 – 15 months

<b>Resident Alien Card Renewal / Replacement</b>	<b>4 – 14 months</b>
<b>Application for Naturalization</b>	<b>6 – 9 months</b>
<b>Special Immigrant Juvenile Status (SIJS)</b>	<b>1. Child Custody:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- North Carolina = 4 – 8 months</li><li>- South Carolina = 6 – 9 months</li></ul> <b>2. SIJS Petition = 6 – 9 months</b> <b>3. Wait time for Priority Date to become Current:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- See Visa Bulletin listed on our web site</li></ul> <b>4. Adjustment of Status:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Applications with USCIS = 6 – 9 months</li><li>- Applications in Immigration Court = 6 – 12 months</li></ul>