

All Nationalities Welcome!

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BECOME A U.S. CITIZEN

Citizenship Application Assistance

Free consultation with immigration attorneys and free assistance with applying for citizenship/naturalization.*

**Assistance with Fee Waiver or Reduced Fee application, if applicable*



Asian Pacific American Legal Resource Center at the Gilchrist Immigrant Resource Center

18330 Montgomery Village Avenue, 2nd Floor
Gaithersburg, MD 20879

Meetings in-person by appointment only
2nd and 4th Thursdays of the Month
3:00pm to 7:00pm

ENGLISH | CHINESE | KOREAN | VIETNAMESE | URDU

WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS?

You can VOTE and run for elected office

Fewer worries about being deported or losing your immigration status

You could bring your family living abroad to live in the United States more quickly

You will be eligible for a U.S. passport, making travel easy

You can apply for government jobs that require U.S. citizenship

YOU QUALIFY IF YOU:

Are at least 18 years old

Lived in the U.S. as a green card holder for more than 5 years (3 years if married to U.S. citizen)

Have been physically present in the U.S. for more than 2.5 years (18 months if married to U.S. citizen)

Can show you have good moral character

Can speak, read and write basic English

Can pass a test on the U.S. government and American history