



**Step Up To Citizenship!**

- Step 1. Sign up at [www.stepuptocitizenship.com](http://www.stepuptocitizenship.com) or call [\(445\) 446-5118](tel:4454465118)
- Step 2. Find out if you qualify
- Step 3. Get an appointment with an attorney
- Step 4. Work with an attorney for FREE to complete and submit your citizenship application

**YOU MUST BE SCREENED AND HAVE AN APPOINTMENT TO PARTICIPATE**



**FREE Citizenship Application Assistance**

Pennsylvania celebrates AILA pro-bono Citizenship Day 2023 with four sites in four counties in Eastern and Central Pennsylvania. Volunteer attorneys will provide free assistance to eligible lawful residents\* who wish to apply for U.S citizenship.

**Co-sponsoring and supporting organizations**

African Cultural Alliance of North America; Catholic Social Services, Philadelphia; Centro Hispano; Equal Access Legal Services; Esperanza Immigration Legal Services; HIAS Pennsylvania, Keystone Opportunity Center; Multicultural Community Family Services; Nationalities Service Center: The New Americans Campaign; Pennsylvania Immigration and Citizenship Coalition; Philadelphia Community College; Philadelphia Office of Immigrant Affairs; SEAMAAC; Welcoming Center for New Pennsylvanians

**Citizenship Day Sites:**

**Philadelphia County  
Community College of  
Philadelphia,  
Center for Business &  
Industry  
1751 Callowhill St.  
Philadelphia, PA**

**Berks County  
Centro Hispano  
25 N 2nd St., Reading, PA**

**Delaware County  
Multicultural Community  
Family Services  
7016 Terminal Sq.  
Upper Darby, PA**

**Montgomery County  
Community Partners Center,  
2506 North Broad Street, 1st  
Floor Walton and/or  
Conference Room, Colmar, PA**

**\* Are you eligible for citizenship?**

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to learn more.**

## **TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR CITIZENSHIP**

### **YOU MUST MEET THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS**

- ✓ Reside in the United States as a permanent resident for 5 years (3 years if living with and married to a U.S. citizen)
- ✓ Remain in the U.S. for at least half of the 5 years period (or 3, if married to a U.S. citizen)
- ✓ Be at least 18 years old
- ✓ Proficient in reading, writing and speaking English
  - You may be eligible to take the civics test in your own language if you are:
    - age 50+ and living in the U.S. for 20yrs as a permanent resident
    - age 55+ and living in U.S. for 15 years as a legal permanent resident
- ✓ Pay the government fee of \$725
  - Individuals who receive public benefits or are 150% of the poverty level or below qualify for a fee waiver; those between 150% and 200% of the poverty level may be eligible for a reduced fee of \$320

### **CITIZENSHIP DAY SITES**

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Reading, PA

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Upper Darby, PA

#### **Montgomery County**

Community Partners Center, 2506 North  
Broad Street, 1st Floor Walton and/or  
Conference Room, Colmar, PA

#### **Philadelphia County**

Community College of Philadelphia  
Center for Business and Industry  
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