

MARRIAGE-BASED IMMIGRATION QUESTIONNAIRE

This questionnaire asks for important information that will help our attorney assess whether you are eligible to seek lawful permanent residency. Please complete this questionnaire at least 24 hours before your consultation appointment with our attorney. Once complete, the questionnaire should be uploaded to your secure client file on our Clio system.

Immigration history		
This section asks questions about the immigration history of the foreign-born spouse.		
When did you most recently arrive in the US?		
What sort of visa or status did you use to enter the US?		
When you entered the U.S. most recently, what was the purpose of your trip?		
Have you ever applied for a US visa of any kind? If yes, please describe.		
Please describe the purpose and duration of any previous trips you have taken to the US.		
Have you ever stayed in the US longer than you were allowed to? If yes, please describe.		

Have you ever been detained by a US immigration official? If yes, please describe.	
Have you ever been denied entry to the US? If yes, please describe.	
Have you ever claimed to be a US citizen? If yes, please describe.	
Have you ever made any statement to a U.S. immigration agency – spoken or written – that was less than 100% honest? If yes, please describe.	
	Inadmissibility issues
These questions help us determine i	f there are other issues that could lead you to be inadmissible to the U.S.
Have you ever been a heavy user of drugs or alcohol? If yes, please describe.	
Have you ever been in trouble for alcohol or drug-related conduct? If yes, please describe.	
Have you ever been institutionalized for mental illness? If yes, please describe.	
Have you ever intentionally hurt yourself? If yes, please describe.	
Do you have any medical conditions that require ongoing treatment? If yes, please describe.	

Have you ever been arrested for or charged with a crime anywhere in the world? If yes, please describe.	
Have you ever been detained by law enforcement? If yes, please describe.	
Have you ever been accused of DUI (driving under the influence of drugs or alcohol)? If yes, please describe.	
Questions about the relationship	
Your attorney will ask additional questions about your relationship at the time of your consultation, but this basic information is important to help us start to understand your background.	
When did you meet your spouse?	
Please describe how you met.	
When and where were you married?	
Who was present at the marriage?	
We either you or your current spouse previously married? If so, describe how those marriages ended.	

Financial sponsorship questions

Immigration law requires us to show that the U.S. petitioner has the financial ability to care for the foreign spouse. For this reason we need to understand aspects of the U.S. petitioner's financial information.

Has your spouse filed federal income taxes each of the past three years? If not, please describe why.	
How is your spouse employed?	
How long has your spouse had his/her current job?	
What was your spouse's reported income in the last tax year (approximately)?	
What is your spouse's current annual income (approximately)?	

Other questions	
Is there anything else you think our attorney should know about your background?	
Please list any specific questions that you have for our attorney.	

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By submitting this questionnaire you certify to us that all answers given here are completely true.