

# Military Naturalization Checklist



U.S. Citizenship  
and Immigration  
Services

Please include the following items in one package when applying for naturalization:

**1** Completed Form N-400, Application for Naturalization

Make sure to sign and date fields within Part 13, Page 17.

**2** Completed Form N-426, Request for Certification of Military or Naval Service

If you are currently serving in the U.S. armed forces, an officer in the grade of O-6 or higher, or the civilian equivalent, must sign the document to certify your service. Take the form to your chain of command for signature.

*Attach a copy of your DD-214 if you are no longer in the service. In this situation, the portion after your signature block, Part 4, does not need to be completed.*

**3** Completed G-1145, E-Notification of Application/Petition Acceptance (optional)

We can notify you by text message and/or email when we accept your form.

**4** Two passport style photos

Passport photos are only required if you reside outside the United States.

**5** Proof of U.S. military service

**6** Copies of any pertinent documents

If you are a Lawful Permanent Resident, provide any documents to show a change that happened after you obtained your Green Card. For example, you could provide marriage certificates, divorce decrees, and birth certificates.

**7** Certified copy of police and court documents if you have been arrested within the last year

Failure to send the certified documents with your Form N-400 will slow down the application process.

For more information, go to [uscis.gov](https://uscis.gov), call the USCIS Military hotline at 877-247-4645, or email [militaryinfo@uscis.dhs.gov](mailto:militaryinfo@uscis.dhs.gov).