Form I-485 Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status

Liberian Refugee Immigration Fairness (LRIF) Applications Adjudicated, Pending, Request for Evidence (RFE), Notice of Intent to Deny (NOID), and Processing Time, Including Percent Adjudicated and Percent Pending By Fiscal Year and Quarter

As of December 31, 2021



Period	Received ¹	Approved ²	Approved % ³	Denied ⁴	Denied % ⁵	Pending ⁶	Pending % ⁷	RFE ⁸	NOID ⁹	Processing Time (in months) ¹⁰
TOTAL	3,969	1,595	83%	325	17%	N/A	N/A	1,276	110	N/A
Fiscal Year 2020	2,434	91	99%	1	1%	N/A	N/A	40	-	N/A
Q1 October - December	3	-	0%	-	0%	3	100%	-	-	N/A
Q2 January - March	1,108	-	0%	-	0%	1,111	100%	-	-	N/A
Q3 April - June	713	-	0%	1	100%	1,817	100%	-	-	N/A
Q4 July - September	610	91	100%	-	0%	2,338	96%	40	-	N/A
Fiscal Year 2021	1,231	1,225	84%	238	16%	N/A	N/A	985	75	N/A
Q1 October - December	937	271	85%	46	15%	2,952	88%	190	7	9
Q2 January - March	99	286	85%	49	15%	2,706	78%	238	16	11
Q3 April - June	96	302	85%	55	15%	2,456	69%	249	23	12.0
Q4 July - September	99	366	81%	88	19%	2,100	57%	308	29	13.2
Fiscal Year 2022	306	279	76%	86	24%	N/A	N/A	251	35	N/A
Q1 October - December ¹¹	306	279	76%	86	24%	2,045	51%	251	35	13.7
Q2 January - March	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Q3 April - June	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Q4 July - September	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Table Key:

N/A Not available

- Represents zero or rounds to 0.0

References:

- ¹ The number of new applications received and entered into a case-tracking system during the reporting period.
- ² The number of applications approved during the reporting period.
- ³ The number of applications approved divided by the total number of applications approved and denied in the given reporting period.
- $^{\rm 4}$ The number of applications denied during the reporting period.
- ⁵ The number of applications denied divided by the total number of applications approved and denied in the given reporting period.
- $^{\rm 6}$ The number of applications awaiting a decision as of the end of the reporting period.
- ⁷ The number of applications pending in the given reporting period divided by the number of cumulative applications received through the given reporting period.
- ⁸ The number of approved or denied applications in the given reporting period with a Request for Evidence (RFE).
- 9 The number of approved or denied applications in the given reporting period with a Notice of Intent to Deny (NOID).
- ¹⁰ The median number of months it took for an application to be processed from receipt to completion in a given time frame.
- 11 LRIF applications must be properly filed to USCIS by the December 20, 2021 deadline. Applications filed after the deadline will no longer be accepted.

Notes:

- 1) Some applications approved, denied, or pending a decision may have been received in previous reporting periods.
- 2) The report reflects the most up-to-date estimate available at the time the database is queried.
- 3) Counts may differ from previous periods due to system updates and post adjudicative outcomes.
- 4) The report does not include rejected LRIF applications at the Lockbox.
- 5) RFE and NOID counts reflect the number of adjudicated applications that had at least one RFE or NOID action.
- 6) RFE and NOID counts were placed in the quarter of the adjudicative action of each application.
- 7) Processing times are defined as the number of months it took for an application to be processed from receipt to completion in a given time period. The number of months presented is the median which is the time it took to complete 50% of all the cases processed in the quarter.
- 8) Forms where a processing time is unavailable are shown with an N/A. Processing times may be unavailable for a variety of reasons such as forms pending a processing times calculation or forms where times cannot be calculated.
- 9) LRIF applications must be properly filed to USCIS by the December 20, 2021 deadline. Applications filed after the deadline will no longer be accepted.
- 10) For a complete list of USCIS forms and descriptions, visit: https://www.uscis.gov/forms

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Form I-485 Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status Counts of Liberian Refugee Immigration Fairness (LRIF) Applications Received By Applicant Sex and Age Group December 20, 2019 December 20, 2021



Age Group	Female	Male	Unknown	Total
TOTAL	2,222	1,743	6	3,971
0-19 years old	143	125	-	268
20-29 years old	220	177	1	398
30-39 years old	428	315	1	744
40-49 years old	511	411	-	922
50-59 years old	473	396	3	872
60+ years old	447	319	1	767

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Form I-485 Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status Counts of Liberian Refugee Immigration Fairness (LRIF) Applications Received By Applicant State



December 20, 2019 - December 20, 2021

Applicant State	Number of Applications Received
TOTAL	3,971
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Alabama	D
Alaska	-
Arizona	20
Arkansas	D
California	69
Colorado	12
Connecticut	19
Delaware	64
District of Columbia	15
Florida	43
Georgia	232
Hawaii	D
Idaho	D
Illinois	32
Indiana	38
lowa	41
Kansas	D
Kentucky	28
Louisiana	D
Maine	D
Maryland	407
Massachusetts	133
Michigan	41
Minnesota	607
Mississippi	D
Missouri	12
Montana	-
Nebraska	D
Nevada	D
New Hampshire	D
New Jersey	306
New Mexico	D
New York	264
North Carolina	199
North Dakota	73
Ohio	80
Oklahoma	11
Oregon	D
Pennsylvania	703
Rhode Island	153
South Carolina	16
South Dakota	11
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Tennessee	20
Texas	167
Utah	D
Vermont	-
Virginia	75
Washington	20
West Virginia	-
Wisconsin	10
Wyoming	-

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Form I-485 Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status Counts of Liberian Refugee Immigration Fairness (LRIF) Fee Waiver By Fiscal Year



December 20, 2019 - December 31, 2021

Fiscal Year	Fee Waivers Requested	Fee Waivers Granted	Fee Waivers Denied ¹	
TOTAL	142	158	49	
Fiscal Year 2020	N/A	65	N/A	
Fiscal Year 2021	114	76	38	
Fiscal Year 2022	28	17	11	

Table Key:

N/A Not Available

References:

Notes:

- 1) Some waivers approved or denied may have been received in previous reporting periods.
- 2) The report reflects the most up-to-date estimate available at the time the database is queried.
- 3) If an application has an error that causes an automatic rejection, such as missing signature, the fee waiver request would not be adjudicated and thus would not be included in the Denied Fee Waiver count.
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- 6) For a complete list of USCIS forms and descriptions, visit: https://www.uscis.gov/forms

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¹ The number of denied fee waivers were not tracked in FY 2020. Grand Total of the Fee Waivers Denied and Requested is the total since FY 2021.