

# Eligible to Naturalize Fact Sheet: Brownsville-Harlingen, TX



U.S. Citizenship  
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 **14,260 Eligible to Naturalize**

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This fact sheet provides information on select characteristics of people with Lawful Permanent Residence (LPR) status, also known as Green Card holders. Generally, an LPR is eligible to become a naturalized U.S. citizen after meeting certain requirements. Providing more information on the eligible to naturalize population is in keeping with the Executive Order on Restoring Faith in Our Legal Immigration Systems and Strengthening Integration and Inclusion Efforts for New Americans (E.O. 14012).

Throughout our history, the United States has welcomed immigrants from all over the world who have helped shape and define our country. Granting citizenship to eligible lawful permanent residents is vital to our nation's security, economic prosperity, and a future built on the principles of the U.S. Constitution. Some of the benefits to becoming a U.S. citizen include the right to vote, traveling with a U.S. passport, bringing family members to the U.S., applying for federal jobs, and becoming an elected official.

## Top Countries of Birth



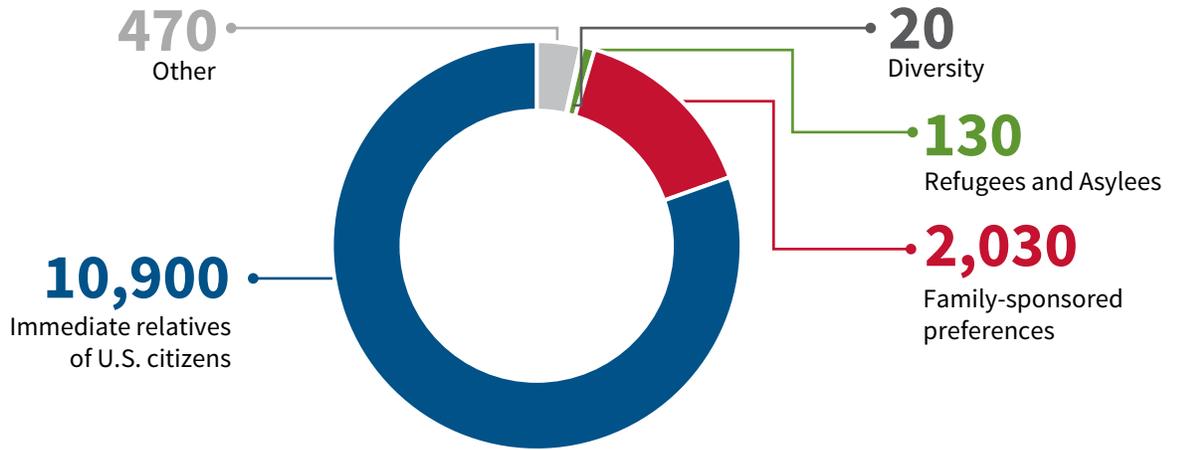
## Number of Years in LPR Status

Generally, a Lawful Permanent Resident (or LPR) is eligible to become a naturalized U.S. citizen after meeting certain requirements such as length of time in LPR status; the length of time depends on the class of admission they were given as an LPR.

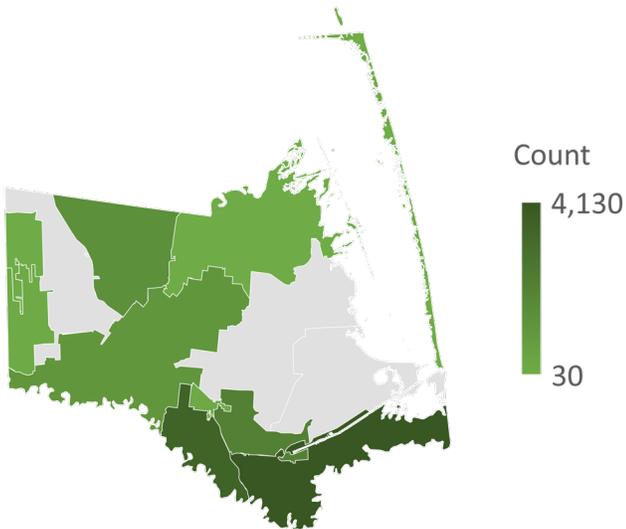


## LPRs by Category of Admission

After meeting certain eligibility requirements, a person can gain LPR status through family relationships, the diversity visa program, or as a refugee or asylee, among other ways.



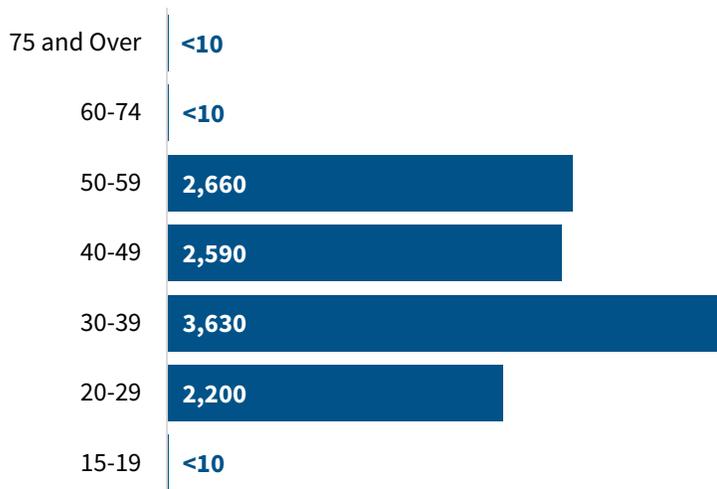
## Concentration of Eligible to Naturalize in the Region



**58%** of the eligible to naturalize population resides in **two** zip codes.

78521	4,130	78523	130	78592	30
78520	3,570	78593	80	78535	<10
78526	2,170	78583	70	78551	<10
78550	1,390	78597	60	78552	<10
78586	1,140	78522	50	78566	<10
78575	200	78567	50	78578	<10
78559	170	78553	30		

## Eligible to Naturalize by Age



## Eligible to Naturalize by Gender

