



STATUS DOCUMENTS

Documents non-citizens should carry to prove lawful status in the U.S.

U.S. Permanent Residents: Temporary Visa Holders:

U.S. permanent residents age 18 or older are required to have their valid U.S. permanent resident cards in their possession at all times.

Due to the renewed emphasis on existing registration requirements, temporary visa holders must carry proof of their status documentation at all times. This may include having a copy of their passport bio page and relevant status documents easily accessible, either as hard copies or digital copies, such as photos on their mobile device.

Examples of documents to prove lawful status for common visas:

Status: F-1 or F2

- Passport Bio Page +
- Current I-94 +
- Valid Form I-20

Status: J-1 or J-2

- Passport Bio Page +
- Current I-94 +
- Valid DS-2019

Status: A, B, C, D, E, G, H, K, O, P, R, TN, TD

- Passport Bio Page +
- Current I-94

Status: L-1 or L-2

- Passport Bio Page +
- Current I-94
- Blanket L-1 status holders should also have a copy of their endorsed Form I-129S