U.S. Immigration Benefits for NONCITIZEN CRIME VICTIMS

**T VISA CONSIDERATIONS**
- Must be in the U.S. on account of human trafficking
- Law enforcement declaration is encouraged but not required

**If approved, benefit provides:**
- Up to four years of temporary nonimmigrant status
- Work authorization
- Access to federal and state benefits and services
- Ability to apply for permanent residency
- Ability for qualifying family members to receive derivative nonimmigrant status, even if not already in the U.S.

**To apply:** USCIS Form I-914

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**VAWA CONSIDERATIONS**
- Have suffered battery or extreme cruelty perpetrated by your U.S. citizen or Lawful Permanent Resident spouse or parent or your U.S. citizen adult son or daughter
- Petitioners and perpetrators may be of any sex or gender

**If approved, benefit provides:**
- Lower priority for removal
- Work authorization
- Access to federal and state benefits and services (possibly sooner than approval)
- Ability to apply for permanent residency
- Ability for children of self-petitioning spouses or children to receive permanent residency, even if not already in the U.S.

**To apply:** USCIS Form I-360

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**SIJ CONSIDERATIONS**
- Must be a victim of abuse, abandonment, neglect, or a similar basis under state law by one or both parents
- Must have a juvenile court order with the required determinations

**If approved, benefit provides:**
- Ability to apply for permanent residency

**To apply:** USCIS Form I-360

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**U VISA CONSIDERATIONS**
- Qualifying crime must have occurred in the U.S. or violated U.S. law
- May apply from the U.S. or while abroad
- Must have law enforcement certification

**If approved, benefit provides:**
- Up to four years of temporary nonimmigrant status
- Work authorization
- Ability to apply for permanent residency
- Ability for qualifying family members to receive derivative nonimmigrant status, even if not already in the U.S.

**To apply:** USCIS Form I-918

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**ASYLUM CONSIDERATIONS**
- Must fear persecution on account of race, religion, nationality, political opinion, or membership in a particular social group
- If in removal proceedings, may need to file Form I-589 with the immigration judge

**If approved, benefit provides:**
- Asylee status
- Work authorization
- Access to federal and state benefits and services
- Ability to apply for permanent residency
- Ability for spouse and children to receive asylum, even if not already in the U.S.

**To apply:** USCIS Form I-589

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**U VISA**
For victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, felonious assault, human trafficking, and other qualifying crimes

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**ASYLUM**
For victims of persecution

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**SIJ**
Special Immigrant Juvenile classification for child victims under 21 years of age

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**T VISA**
For victims of human trafficking

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**VAWA**
For victims of domestic violence and abuse

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For victim support call 1-888-373-7888 or text INFO or HELP to BeFree (233733)

All U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) forms can be found at: www.uscis.gov/forms/all-forms