



SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION HUMANITARIAN AND COMPASSIONATE CONSIDERATIONS

This form must be completed by:

- you, the principal applicant;
- your family members **ONLY IF** they have different humanitarian and compassionate grounds **AND** they are included in this application.

Warning:

You must provide truthful and accurate information. The information provided may be verified. Enforcement action may be initiated if you give false or misleading information.

IMPORTANT:

Ensure you include **any and all** factors you wish to have considered by Citizenship and Immigration Canada during the processing of your application for permanent residence. You must also provide evidence to support any statements you make on this form. Additional information or documentation **not** submitted with your application **may not be considered at a later date**.

It is your responsibility to list all factors you wish to have considered **at the time you submit your application**. You may not have another opportunity to provide the information.

While you may be required to attend an interview, note that there is **no right** to an interview.

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- This form is part of your *Generic Application Form for Canada* (IMM 0008).
- Canadian immigration law requires applicants to obtain a permanent resident visa at a visa office outside of Canada and to be admissible to Canada. In your application, you must clearly indicate the special circumstances that would exempt you from these, or other, requirements.
- This form is not for claiming any fear of persecution, danger of torture or of risk to your life or of cruel and unusual treatment or punishment in your country of origin. For information concerning refugee claims in Canada, refer to: <http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/refugees/inside/index.asp> and <http://www.irb-cisr.gc.ca/eng/port/refasi/cladem/pages/index.aspx>
- It is your responsibility to keep Citizenship and Immigration Canada informed of any change of circumstances such as marital status or the birth of a child.

Did you make a refugee claim that was rejected by the Refugee Protection Division or the Refugee Appeal Division of the Immigration and Refugee Board of Canada, or did you abandon a refugee claim?

☐ No ☐ Yes **▶** If yes, see question A, if no, go to question 1. Personal information

A. Was your refugee claim rejected or abandoned within the last 12 months?

☐ No ☐ Yes

OR Did you withdraw your refugee claim during your Refugee Protection Division hearing, which occurred with the last 12 months?

☐ No ☐ Yes

If the answer to either of those question under A is yes, you may not apply for permanent residence on humanitarian and compassionate grounds until at least 12 months have passed since the day your refugee claim was rejected.

There are exceptions to the 12-month bar. You may be exempted if:

- you provide sufficient credible and objective evidence that there are children under 18 years of age who would be directly and adversely affected if you were removed from Canada; or
- you provide sufficient credible and objective evidence that you or a failed refugee claimant included in your application, if returned to home country, would be subject to a risk to life caused by the inability of your country(ies) of nationality, or former habitual residence if you don't have a nationality, to provide adequate health or medical care.

If you are requesting an exception from the 12-month bar indicate on what grounds:

- ☐ Best interests of the child **AND/OR**
- ☐ You or a failed refugee claimant included in your application suffer from a medical condition that would result in a risk to life if you are returned to your home country

1. Personal information

Family name		Given name(s)	
Date of birth (YYYY-MM-DD)	Citizenship	Status in Canada	

2. With whom were you living before coming to Canada?

Family name		Given name(s)		
Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Other	Relationship to you	Country of birth	Date of birth (YYYY-MM-DD)	
Address				
Street and no.				
City or town	Province/State/District	Country		

This form is made available by Citizenship and Immigration Canada and is not to be sold to applicants.

3. Details of your immediate family (parents, non-dependant children, brothers and sisters) living in Canada

Family name			Given name(s)			
Sex	<input type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Female	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	Relationship to you	Country of birth	Date of birth (YYYY-MM-DD)
Address						
Street and no.				Province	City or town	
Family name			Given name(s)			
Sex	<input type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Female	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	Relationship to you	Country of birth	Date of birth (YYYY-MM-DD)
Address						
Street and no.				Province	City or town	
Family name			Given name(s)			
Sex	<input type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Female	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	Relationship to you	Country of birth	Date of birth (YYYY-MM-DD)
Address						
Street and no.				Province	City or town	
Family name			Given name(s)			
Sex	<input type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Female	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	Relationship to you	Country of birth	Date of birth (YYYY-MM-DD)
Address						
Street and no.				Province	City or town	

4. Person you are living with in Canada

Are you living with someone in Canada?				<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	▶ If yes, provide details below.	
Family name			Given name(s)				
Sex	<input type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Female	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	Relationship to you	Country of birth	Date of birth (YYYY-MM-DD)	
Address							
Street and no.				City or town	Province	Postal Code	

5. Details of your immediate family (parents, non-dependant children, brothers and sisters) living abroad

Family name			Given name(s)				
Sex	<input type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Female	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	Relationship to you	Country of birth	Date of birth (YYYY-MM-DD)	
Address							
Street and no.				City or town	Province/State/District	Country	
Family name			Given name(s)				
Sex	<input type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Female	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	Relationship to you	Country of birth	Date of birth (YYYY-MM-DD)	
Address							
Street and no.				City or town	Province/State/District	Country	
Family name			Given name(s)				
Sex	<input type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Female	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	Relationship to you	Country of birth	Date of birth (YYYY-MM-DD)	
Address							
Street and no.				City or town	Province/State/District	Country	

NOTE: The information you provide should not be limited by the space allowed to answer a question. If you need more space, attach another sheet of paper.
Indicate the number of the question you are answering.

**You are entirely responsible to provide ALL the evidence to support any statement you make on this form.
You will NOT be solicited for additional information or documentation**

6. Are you currently subject to a removal order? ☐ No ☐ Yes

7. Explain the humanitarian and compassionate reasons that prevent you from leaving Canada. Humanitarian and compassionate reasons can NOT include fear of persecution, torture or risk to life or cruel and unusual treatment or punishment in your country of origin.

8. If you are requesting an exemption because you or a family member are inadmissible, or do not meet any applicable criteria or obligation of the *Immigration and Refugee Protection Act*, you must:

- clearly indicate in your application the specific exemption(s) you are requesting; and
- provide all details related to this request, including the reasons why you should be granted an exemption on humanitarian and compassionate grounds.

9. If applicable, describe the circumstances of your family and other relationships that would support your humanitarian and compassionate application.

10. If applicable, considering the best interest of the child, provide information on any child affected by this decision.

11. How have you established yourself in Canada?

12. How do you support yourself financially in Canada?

13. Indicate any other information you want to have considered in your application.

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DECLARATION OF APPLICANT

I declare that the information I have given on this supplementary information form is truthful and correct.



Signature of APPLICANT

Date (YYYY-MM-DD)

WARNING: It is an offence under Section 127 of the *Immigration and Refugee Protection Act* to knowingly make a false statement on this form.

The information you provide on this form is collected under the authority of the *Immigration and Refugee Protection Act* and will be used in assessing Humanitarian and Compassionate cases according to the requirements of the Act. It will be retained in Personal Information Bank CIC PPU 042. It may be shared with other organizations in accordance with the consistent use of information under the *Privacy Act*. Under the *Privacy Act* and the *Access to Information Act* individuals have the right to protection of and access to their personal information. Details on these matters are available at infosource.gc.ca and through the Citizenship and Immigration Call Centre. **Infosource is also available in Canadian public libraries.**