

## 01 Asylee

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An asylee is an individual who has been granted protection and immunity from extradition by USCIS.

Asylee status is granted for seven years. A noncitizen granted asylee status is potentially eligible for CA, NA, and full services MA. An asylee who does NOT change their status loses eligibility for CA and NA at the end of the seven year period.

### **MA EXCEPTION**

The seven year period does not apply. There is no maximum time limit for MA.

An asylee who is later granted LPR status is potentially eligible for CA, NA, and full services MA based on their previous status.