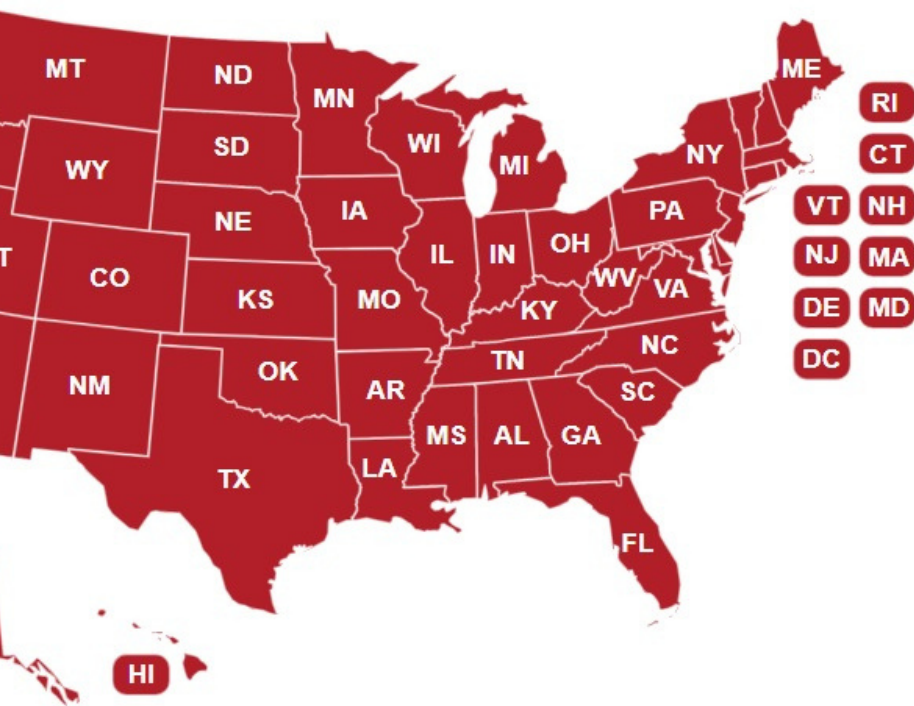




A GUIDE TO THE PUBLIC BENEFITS MAP



HOW TO DETERMINE PUBLIC BENEFITS ELIGIBILITY BY STATE AND IMMIGRATION STATUS FOR IMMIGRANT CRIME VICTIMS AND TRAFFICKING SURVIVORS

STEP ONE

TO START, BEGIN BY ACCESSING THE NIWAP WEBPAGE AT:
[HTTPS://NIWAPLIBRARY.WCL.AMERICAN.EDU/BENEFITS-MAP](https://niwaplibrary.wcl.american.edu/benefits-map)



STEP TWO

SEARCH BY...



SELECT THE STATE FOR WHICH YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEE ELIGIBILITY INFORMATION.

STEP THREE

RESOURCES

NOTE THAT EACH STATE PAGE HAS THREE STATE-SPECIFIC RESOURCE LINKS FOR USE WITH THE MAP BELOW [FURTHER DETAILED INFORMATION]



SCREENING CHART	QUICK DESKTOP REFERENCE
FULL PUBLIC BENEFITS CHART	FULL CITATIONS FOR ALL LISTED BENEFITS
DEMOGRAPHICS	FOREIGN-BORN POPULATION IN EACH STATE (2019)

SCROLLING TO THE BOTTOM OF EACH STATE PAGE WILL ALLOW YOU TO ACCESS A COMPREHENSIVE LIVE DATA STATE TABLE WITH ELIGIBILITY BY TYPE OF BENEFIT AND BY IMMIGRATION STATUS OR APPLICATION TYPE.

STEP FOUR LOCATING BY.....



STEP FIVE

NAVIGATING

CUSTOMIZING THE TABLE FOR YOUR NEEDS [RELEVANT TABS EXPLAINED]

WHY DOES THIS MATTER?

Effective navigation can help you use the table more efficiently. For example, if you know your client's state and immigration status, you can **hide all columns except state, benefit name, and immigration status** to see all the benefits your client qualifies for at a glance.

HIDE: Only display columns needed

FILTER: Select for specific results for each column

SORT: Organize by alphabetical/numerical order for specific columns

Adjusting row height for full text view

	Be...	STATE...	Benefit Name	VAWA Self-Petitioner	Battered Spouse Waiver	Refugee	Asylee
1	138	California F	Child Care - Child Care Develo...	Eligible for CCDF	Eligible for CCDF	Eligible for CCDF	Eligible for C...
2	139	California F	Child Care - TANF Funded	Eligible for TANF funded c...	Eligible for TANF funded c...	Eligible	Eligible.
3	140	California F	Children's Health Insurance Pr...	In CA, all children eligible ...	In CA, all children eligible ...	In CA, all children eligible ...	In CA, all ch...
4	141	California F	Earned Income Tax Credits (EIT...	Eligible with conditions up...	Eligible with conditions up...	Eligible with conditions up...	Eligible with...
5	143	California F	Emergency Medicaid	Eligible.	Eligible.	Eligible.	Eligible.
6	145	California F	Family Medical Leave Act - Sta...	May be eligible for CA Fam...	May be eligible for CA Fam...	May be eligible for CA Fam...	May be elig...
7	146	California F	Federal Education Student Aid,...	Eligible upon prima facie d...	Eligible as Battered Spous...	Eligible.	Eligible.
8	147	California F	Federal Emergency Managemen...	Eligible for disaster relief.	Eligible for disaster relief.	Eligible for disaster relief.	Eligible for c...
9	170	California F	Federally Recognized Driver's ...	Eligible for federally recog...	Eligible for federally recog...	Eligible for federally recog...	Eligible for f...
10	149	California F	FEMA-Restricted Programs	Eligible upon prima facie d...	Eligible as Battered Spous...	Eligible for food, unemploy...	Eligible for f...
11	150	California F	Health Insurance Exchanges - ...	Eligible with prima facie de...	Eligible as Battered Spous...	Eligible.	Eligible.
	153	California F	Income Tax Credits	Immigrants with social sec...	Immigrants with social sec...	Immigrants with social sec...	Immigrants

Hover mouse next to a row number to expand its details. Click on the blue arrows to view complete information in a pop up box.

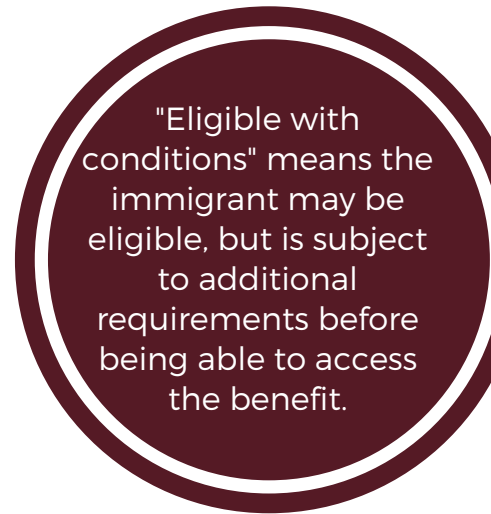
Download table into CSV file then use "save as" to convert to Excel format

A better way to view the full state table.

STEP SIX

BENEFITS

Expanding an individual row allows you to see detailed eligibility status information for each benefit category (example below):



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13 Benefit Number

13 150

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14 STATE & TERRITORY California Public Benefits

14 Benefit Name Health Insurance Exchanges - Purchase Eligibility

14 VAWA Self-Petitioner Eligible with prima facie determination.
In CA, with conditions may be eligible for subsidies.

15 Battered Spouse Waiver Eligible as Battered Spouse Waiver victim.
In CA, with conditions may be eligible for subsidies.

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USING THE STATE BENEFITS MAP TABLE INFORMATION, YOU CAN LOOK UP ALL OF THE DETAILS REGARDING ELIGIBILITY WITH THE SOURCES OF LAW CITED IN FOOTNOTES IN YOUR STATE'S FULL BENEFITS CHART LINKED ON THE INTRO PAGE FOR THE STATE.

IF YOU WOULD FURTHER INFORMATION, CALL NIWAP FOR TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AT (202) 274-4457 OR EMAIL INFO@NIWAP.ORG.

