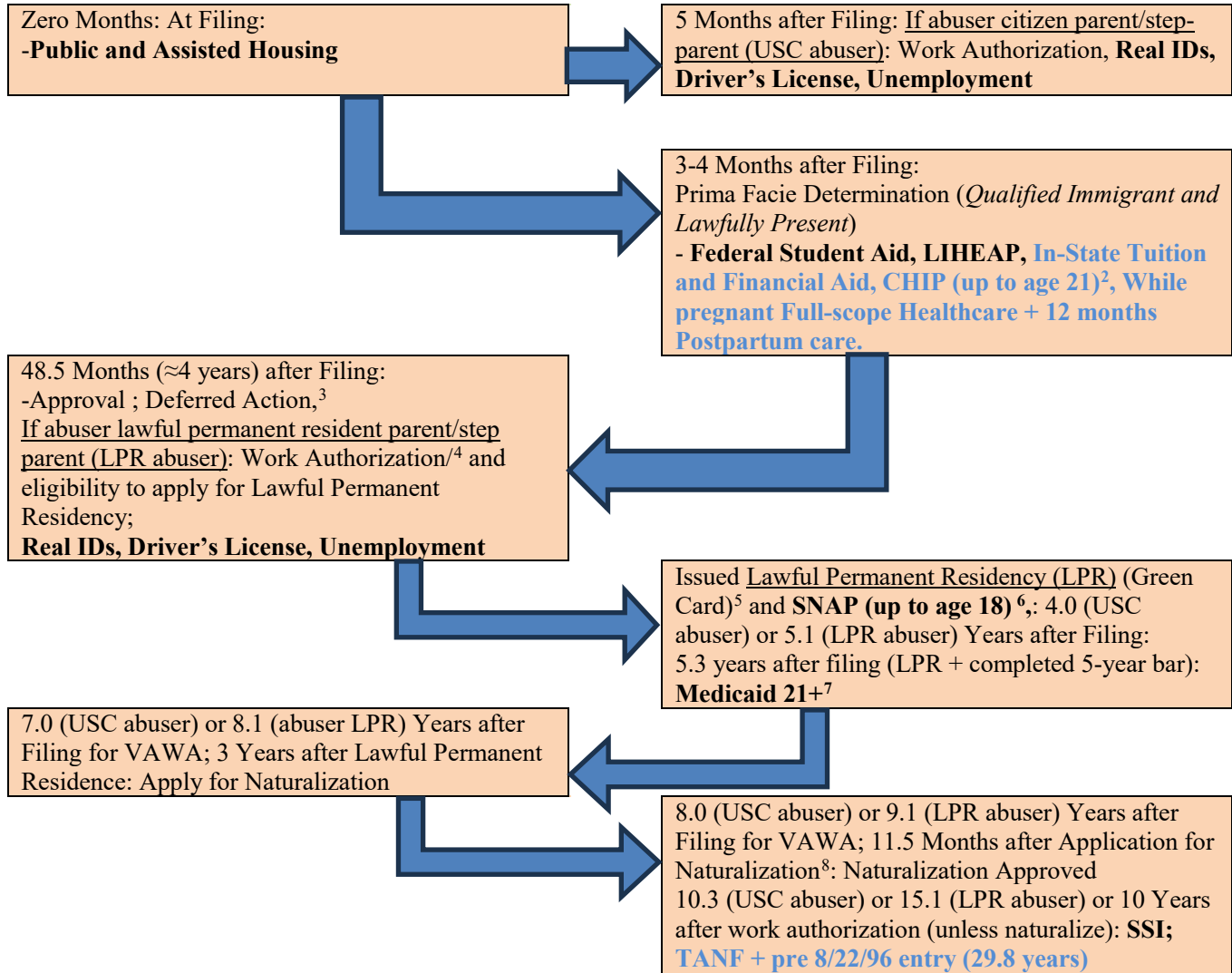


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VAWA Children¹

- All children are eligible for K-12 public education regardless of immigration status



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¹ Child is up to age 21 under immigration law. For public benefits age limit varies by benefits program see state public benefits charts.

² Available through September 30, 2026. After 10/1/26 requires lawful permanent residency.

³ Formal protection from removal/deportation.

⁴ If spouse/child/stepchild of citizen abuser filed lawful permanent resident application with VAWA self-petition.

⁵ If spouse/child/stepchild of citizen abuser filed lawful permanent resident application with VAWA self-petition. Indianapolis Field Office wait time is 13 months.

⁶ Must be under age 18, disabled, met the 5-year bar, or earned 40 quarters (10 years) of work credit since work authorization.

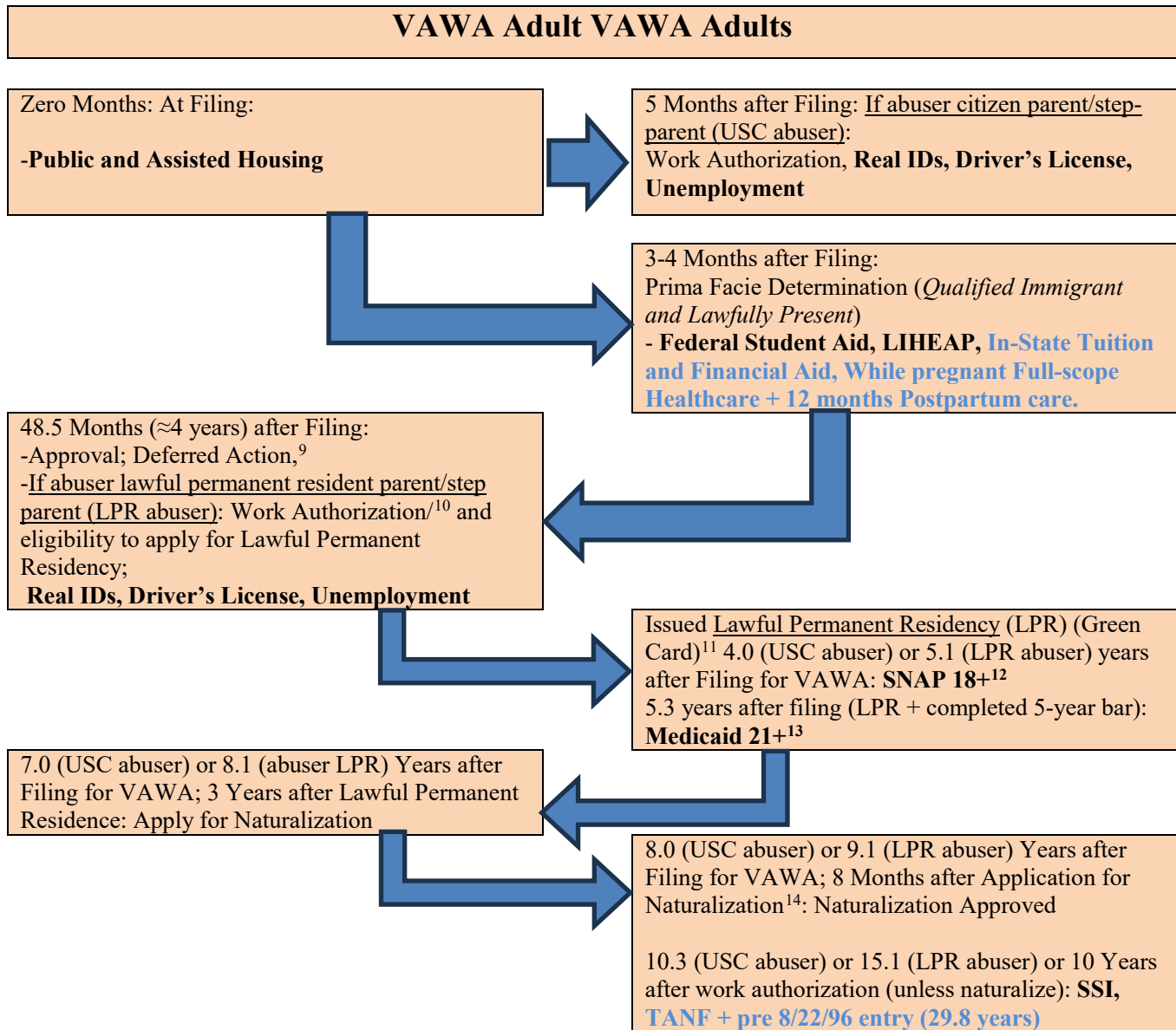
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