



Removal of Conditions Process

Preparation

- Confirm your eligibility to do a jointly filed petition to remove conditions
- Collect personal data including immigration and address history
- Collect required documents and relationship evidence
- Draft application packet

File Application

- Review application with attorney
- Submit application to government
- Receive paper confirmation of successful filing, which also serves as the formal legal proof of automatic extension of your permanent resident status for an additional 18 months.

Biometrics Appointment

- Government assigns appointment to appear for fingerprinting
- Attend biometrics appointment and keep your stamped receipt

Monitor Pending Case

- Check case status periodically on uscis.gov
- Respond to any government requests for additional information
- Apply for naturalization when you become eligible, even if your removal of conditions is still pending -- it can speed up the application process!

Decision

- Receive your 10-year green card!
- Complete the naturalization process to become a U.S. citizen if you choose to.