



# 2021 ROUNDUP

## ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

### WORKING WITH UNACCOMPANIED CHILDREN

- [Federal Register: Notice of Temporary Exception From Expulsion of Unaccompanied Noncitizen Children Pending Forthcoming Public Health Determination, February 2021](#)
- [CDC: Title 42 Order Reassessment and Exception for Unaccompanied Noncitizen Children, July 2021](#)
- [EOIR: PM 21-27, Terminology, July 2021](#)
- [AIC: A Guide to Title 42 Expulsions at the Border, October 2021](#)
- [CILA: Fact Sheet – Unaccompanied Children at the Border, March 2021](#)
- [NYT: Many Migrants Are Quickly Expelled, but Others Can Stay. Here's Why, December 2021](#)
- [DHS: Migration Protection Protocols \(MPP\) Termination Memo, October 2021](#)
- [AIC: Fact Sheet – The “Migrant Protection Protocols,” October 2021](#)
- [DHS: DHS, Justice, and State Prepare for Court-Ordered Reimplementation of MPP, December 2021](#)
- [Time: Why The Biden Administration Is Relaunching Trump's Controversial 'Remain in Mexico' Immigration Policy, December 2021](#)
- [AILA: ICYMI - Quicktack #309: Biden Administration Re-Instates MPP, December 2021](#)
- [Congressional Research Service: Unaccompanied Alien Children: An Overview, September 2021](#)
- [CBP: Southwest Land Border Encounters](#)
- [HHS: ORR Unaccompanied Children Facts and Data by Fiscal Year](#)
- [NIJC: Case Summary - \*Garcia Ramirez et al. v. U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement et al.\*](#)
  - [Final Judgment and Permanent Injunction, September 2021](#)
- [CBS: Biden administration sued over substandard conditions at emergency sites for migrant teens, August 2021 \(article links to complaint\)](#)
- [Government Accountability Project: Third Whistleblower Complaint about Fort Bliss Detention Center Alleges Immigrant Children Were Abused and Neglected, September 2021](#)
- [ORR: Unaccompanied Children's Program Field Guidance \(FG\) Documents](#)

- [Federal Register: Federal Licensing of Office of Refugee Resettlement Facilities Request for Information, September 2021](#)
- [AILA: Tracking Notable Executive Branch Action During the Trump Administration, September 2021](#)
- [CILA: Trauma-Informed Lawyering with Unaccompanied Children 101 Webinar, December 2019](#)
- [CILA: Creative Pro Bono Models – Trauma-Informed and Culturally Sensitive Pro Bono Programs, May 2021](#)
- [Cyrus R. Vance Center for International Justice: Keep Families Together Initiative](#)
- [Justice in Motion: Child Detention Crisis Initiative](#)
- [ABA: Standards for the Custody, Placement and Care; Legal Representation; and Adjudication of Unaccompanied Children in the United States, updated August 2018](#)
- [Lowenstein Sandler, Memo to Vera Institute of Justice, Ethical Obligations in Representing Children Without Capacity in Immigration Proceedings, December 2018](#)
- [Lowenstein Sandler, Memo to Vera Institute of Justice, Ethical Concerns When Representing Underage Children in Immigration Proceedings Whose Interests Diverge From Their Parents’, December 2018](#)

## ASYLUM, WITHHOLDING OF REMOVAL, AND PROTECTION UNDER THE CONVENTION AGAINST TORTURE (CAT)

- [CILA: Overview of Withholding of Removal and Protection Under the Convention Against Torture \(CAT\) Claims for Unaccompanied Children webinar, January 2020](#)
- [CILA: Withholding and CAT Webinar Handouts, January 2020<sup>\\*i</sup>](#)
- [NIJC: A Timeline of the Trump Administration’s Efforts to End Asylum, December 2020](#)
- [NIPNLG: Federal Court Enjoins New Criminal Bars to Asylum: \*Pangea Legal Services v. DHS\* Litigation Update & FAQs, December 2020](#)
- [CILA: Asylum Case Theory and Evidence Matrix, April 2020<sup>\\*</sup>](#)
- [AILA & AIC: Comment on Security Bars and Processing Regulation, August 2020](#)
- [CGRS: \*Pangea Legal Services v. DHS\*, January 2021](#)
- [The White House: Regulatory Freeze Pending Review, January 2021](#)
- [The White House: Executive Order on Creating a Comprehensive Regional Framework to Address the Causes of Migration, to Manage Migration Throughout North and Central America, and to Provide Safe and Orderly Processing of Asylum Seekers at the United States Border, February 2021](#)
- [Immigration Impact: Biden Administration Ends ‘Safe Third Country’ Agreements, February 2021](#)



- [ACLU: \*East Bay v. Barr\*, February 2021](#)
- [CASA: National Membership Chart \(re: asylum EADs\)](#)
- [ILRC: Quick Guide: EAD Eligibility for Asylum Applicants, March 2021](#)
- [CILA: Trauma Informed Representation in Asylum Cases: Asylum Interview/Asylum Merits Hearing Checklists, March 2021\\*](#)
- [Federal Register: Security Bars and Processing; Delay of Effective Date, March 2021](#)
- [DHS: DHS Ratifies Rule that Removes 30 Day EAD Processing Requirement and Acknowledges Importance of Issuing Timely Work Authorizations, May 2021](#)
- [Immigration Impact: New 'Dedicated Docket' Could Rush Asylum-Seeking Families Through Court, June 2021](#)
- [CGRS: \*Matter of A-B-\* Amicus Project, June 2021](#)
- [CGRS: \*Matter of L-E-A-\*, June 2021](#)
- [Immigration Impact: Biden Signals Big Changes to Legal Immigration and Asylum Law with Spring Regulatory Agenda, June 2021](#)
- [CILA: Navigating Asylum Law Changes - What are the Impacts on Unaccompanied Children?, June 2021\\*](#)
- [CLINIC: FAQs on Changes to the Employment Authorization Rules for Asylum Seekers, July 2021](#)
- [The White House: FACT SHEET - The Biden Administration Blueprint for a Fair, Orderly and Humane Immigration System, July 2021](#)
- [CILA: A Deep Dive Into Current Conditions in El Salvador, Guatemala, & Honduras with the Experts webinar, August 2021](#)
- [NILA: \*Vangala v. USCIS\* – Post-Settlement Frequently Asked Questions, August 2021](#)
- [Federal Register: Procedures for Credible Fear Screening and Consideration for Asylum, Withholding of Removal, and CAT Protection Claims by Asylum Officers, August 2021](#)
- [WOLA, Temple University Announce Additional Resources for Asylum Lawyers, September 2021](#)
- [CLINIC: Fact Sheet: Immigration Court Considerations for Unaccompanied Children Who File for Asylum with USCIS While in Removal Proceedings, in Light of \*J.O.P. v. DHS\*, No. 19-01944 \(D. Md. filed July 1, 2019\), September 2021](#)
- [CLINIC: Central American Family Law Codes, October 2021](#)
- [AILA: Featured Issue: Border Processing and Asylum, October 2021](#)
- [AILA: Featured Issue: Assisting Haitian Migrants and Asylum Seekers, October 2021](#)
- [Human Rights First: Border Restrictions Lift, But Biden Administration Blocks Protection for Asylum Seekers and Children, November 2021](#)
- [ASAP: Updates for ASAP Members on the \*CASA v. Mayorkas\* lawsuit, November 2021](#)



- [Immigration Impact: ICE Begins Mass Mailing Court Notices to Asylum Seekers Released at the Border, November 2021](#)

## SPECIAL IMMIGRANT JUVENILE STATUS (SIJS) & ADJUSTMENT OF STATUS (AOS)

- [OIRA: OIRA Conclusion of EO 12866 Regulatory Review: Special Immigrant Juvenile Petitions, January 2021](#)
- [OIRA: Special Immigrant Juvenile Petitions, Spring 2021](#)
- [USCIS: Number of I 360 Petitions for Special Immigrant with a Classification of Special Immigrant Juvenile \(SIJ\) - By Fiscal Year, Quarter and Case Status Fiscal Years 2010-2021](#)
- [End SIJS Backlog Coalition: “Any Day They Could Deport Me”: Over 44,000 Immigrant Children Trapped in the SIJS Backlog, December 2021](#)
- [USCIS: Policy Alert - Special Immigrant Juvenile Classification and Saravia v. Barr Settlement, March 2021](#)
- [ICE: Saravia v. Barr Settlement Agreement, January 2021](#)
- [CLINIC: Final Approval of Settlement Affecting Gang Allegations Against Unaccompanied Minors](#)
- [US DOS: Visa Bulletin](#)
- [USCIS: Adjustment of Status Filing Charts from the Visa Bulletin](#)
- [US DOS: Chats with Charlie - November Visa Bulletin, October 2021](#)
- [AILA: Liaison Update - Check-in with DOS’s Charlie Oppenheim on the December 2021 Visa Bulletin](#)
- [End SIJS Backlog Coalition](#)
- [ABA: Adopted Resolution 103A on Protections for SIJS Beneficiaries, February 2021](#)
- [Congress: H.R.6078 - To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to eliminate the annual numerical limitation on visas for certain immigrants, to require the Secretary of Homeland Security to grant work authorization to certain immigrants with a pending application for nonimmigrant status under such Act, and for other purposes, November 2021](#)
- [CLINIC: Court Finds Special Immigrant Juveniles Eligible for Work Authorization, March 2021](#)
- [USCIS: Policy Manual - Special Immigrant Juveniles](#)
- [USCIS: Policy Manual - Special Immigrant-Based \(EB-4\) Adjustment](#)
- [ILRC: Special Immigrant Juvenile Status and Other Immigration Options for Children and Youth, November 2021](#)



- [CLINIC: Index of Unpublished Administrative Appeals Office Decisions on Special Immigrant Juvenile Status](#)
- [CILA: Overcoming Analysis Paralysis: Practical Considerations for Adjusting Status Based On SIJS, January 2021](#)
- [CILA: Frequently Asked Questions – Overcoming Analysis Paralysis: Practical Considerations for Adjusting Status Based on Special Immigrant Juvenile Status \(SIJS\), August 2021\\*](#)

## OTHER RELIEF: U VISAS, T VISAS, CAM, ETC.

### U & T VISAS

- [USCIS: Policy Alert - Bona Fide Determination Process for Victims of Qualifying Crimes, and Employment Authorization and Deferred Action for Certain Petitioners, June 2021](#)
- [USCIS: Bona Fide Determination Process Flowchart, June 2021](#)
- [ICE: Directive I 1005.3, August 2021](#)
- [ILRC, ASISTA, CLINIC Updated Practice Alert: U Visa and T Visa 'After-Acquired Spouse' Cases, June, 2021](#)
- [CILA Symposium Presentation: Identifying and Filing T Visa Claims for Youth Clients: The Flags You May Be Missing, May 2021](#)
- [ILRC: Special Considerations when Screening Youth for T Visa Eligibility, July 2021](#)
- [USCIS: Policy Alert - T Nonimmigrant Status for Victims of Severe Forms of Trafficking in Persons, October 2021](#)
- [USCIS: Policy Manual, Volume 3, Part B - Victims of Trafficking](#)
  - [Vol. 3, Pt. B, Ch. 2](#)

### CAM & AFGHAN MINORS

- [Joint Statement by the U.S. Department of State and U.S. Department of Homeland Security on the Expansion of Access to the Central American Minors Program, June 2021](#)
- [ILRC: Central American Minors Program, September 2021](#)
- [ORR: Field Guidance #19 – Unaccompanied Afghan Minor Processing, September 2021](#)
- [ORR: Policy Letter 22-01: Afghan Humanitarian Parolees and Unaccompanied Afghan Minors Eligible for ORR Benefits and Services, October 2021](#)
- [CNN: HHS repurposes an emergency intake site in Michigan for unaccompanied Afghan minors, October 2021](#)



## IMMIGRATION REVIEW (EOIR): IMMIGRATION COURT

- [EOIR: Operational Status](#)
- [EOIR: Notice of Public Health Procedures, July 2021](#)
- [EOIR: Frequently Asked Questions \(COVID Protocols\), October 2021](#)
- [EOIR: Policy Manual, last updated March 2021](#)
- [EOIR: PM 21-24, Cancellation of Policy Memorandum 21-10 and Information on EOIR Fees and Fee Waivers, June 2021](#)
- [EOIR: PM 21-18, Revised Case Flow Processing Before the Immigration Courts, April 2021](#)
- [EOIR: PM 21-25, Effect of Department of Homeland Security Enforcement Priorities, June 2021](#)
- [EOIR: PM 21-27, Terminology, July 2021](#)
- [EOIR: DM 22-01, Encouraging and Facilitating Pro Bono Legal Services, November 2021](#)
- [EOIR: DM 22-02, Updated Guidance on EOIR's Response to the COVID-19 Outbreak, November 2021](#)
- [Matter of Arambula-Bravo, 28 I&N Dec. 388 \(BIA 2021\)](#)
- [CILA Legal Update: Rodriguez v. Garland Creates Significant Advocacy Opportunity in the Fifth Circuit, November 2021](#)
- [Matter of Cruz-Valdez, 28 I&N Dec. 326 \(A.G. 2021\)](#)
- [EOIR: DM-22-03, Administrative Closure, November 2021](#)
- [ILRC: Advocating for Clients in Removal Proceedings Using the OPLA Prosecutorial Discretion Memo, June 2021](#)
- [5<sup>th</sup> Circuit: Texas v. U.S., September 2021](#)
- [DHS: Guidelines for the Enforcement of Civil Immigration Law, September 2021](#)
- [IDP: Practice Advisory for Immigration Advocates: The Biden Administration's Final Enforcement Priorities, November 2021](#)
- [CNN: Justice Department eliminates Trump-era case quotas for immigration judges](#)

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<sup>i</sup> CILA includes some materials on a password-protected part of our website. Resources included in this handout that are password-protected are noted with an \*. If you need access to CILA's *Additional Resources* webpage, simply email CILA at [cila@abacila.org](mailto:cila@abacila.org) for the password.

