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**USCIS FILING FEE INFORMATION & CHECK REQUEST GUIDE**

Immigration Service Type <sup>i</sup>	USCIS or Other External Agency or Vendor Fee <sup>ii</sup>
H-1B or E-3, <i>New Anti-Fraud Fee Required</i>	E-3: \$460.00 New H1-B: \$460.00 New H1-B Antifraud Fee: \$500.00
H-1B or E-3, <i>Extension</i>	\$460.00
O-1, <i>New</i>	\$460.00
O-1, <i>Extension</i>	\$460.00
(P-1, P-2, or P-3)	\$460.00
TN, <i>New (Port of Entry)</i>	Port-of-Entry Fees Apply <sup>iii</sup>
TN, <i>New (Change of Status) or Extension</i>	\$460.00
I-539 <i>(for Family Dependents)</i>	\$370.00 + \$85.00 biometric fee per person
Permanent Residence Permanent Labor Certification with I-140 Immigration Petition	\$700.00
Permanent Residence Outstanding Professor or Researcher, National Interest Waiver, Person of Extraordinary Ability	\$700.00
USCIS Premium Processing ( <i>optional</i> ) <sup>iv</sup>	After Nov. 29, 2019 \$1440.00
I-485 Bundle Filing <sup>v</sup> (I-485, I-765, I-131 & Biometrics) <sup>vi</sup> <i>(employee only)</i>	\$1225.00
J-1 Waivers	Please Contact ICS
Academic Evaluation (ICS Requested) <sup>vii</sup> 3 Day Service 2 Day Service Next Day (Rush) Service Same Day Service	\$75.00 \$125.00 \$125.00 \$150.00



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<sup>i</sup> TTUHSC Finance and Administration Instructions about how to request the USCIS filing fee checks for immigration filings are found in [TTUHSC Job Aids](#).

**Please review Job Aids**

[Visa – H-1B Fraud Prevention Detection Fee](#)

[Visa – Immigration/Visa Petition Fee](#)

[Visa – Immigration/Visa Premium Processing Fee](#)

For information about the nonimmigrant and immigrant filings that TTUHSC will undertake, please visit [ICS website](#). Most immigration filings are time-sensitive and ICS advises all hiring departments to review the filing requirements and time deadlines on a regular basis. If you have additional questions after reviewing the ICS website, please contact our office at 806-743-3949 or email us at [ICS@ttuhsc.edu](mailto:ICS@ttuhsc.edu)

<sup>ii</sup> International employees who obtain a visa from a US Consulate may have to pay both an application fee and a visa reciprocity fee based on country reciprocity agreement with USA. See, [Visa Reciprocity Fee by Country](#).

<sup>iii</sup> Port of entry fee information for TN status employees who are citizens of Canada or Mexico can be found at the US Department of State Website <https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/us-visas/employment/visas-canadian-mexican-nafta-professional-workers.html>

<sup>iv</sup> With payment of the USCIS Premium Processing Fee, USCIS guarantees a response to the immigration filing with fifteen (15) calendar days of receipt. If the USCIS fails to respond (decision, request for additional information, etc.) within fifteen (15) calendar days, the premium processing fee is refunded.

<sup>v</sup> On July 30, 2007 USCIS adopted a flat fee for the I-485 application process. The fees for the I-765 (EAD) and I-11 (Advance Parole) are waived if those applications are filing along with the I-485. When filed in this bundled format, the applicant pays the **total fee of \$1225.00**. The fee includes the biometrics fee of \$85.00. Children, under the age of 14 who file along with the primary applicant, pay only a fee of \$750.00. The international employee is responsible for all I-485 fees and related fees for dependent family members also seeking permanent residence status. The hiring department may pay the I-485 fees or they may be paid by the international employee. The department has **no obligation** to pay USCIS fees for family members or the employee. TTUHSC employees may email [ICS](#) and request the I-485 Guidance we prepared with information on the forms and documents needed for this filing.

<sup>vi</sup> When necessary and permitted by immigration law., TTUHSC will continue to extend the H-1B status of all international employee for whom a permanent residence petition has been filed until the permanent residence card is approved. Immigration regulations only extend this benefit to a person in H-1B status. TTUHSC employees in other visa categories cannot get this benefit.

<sup>vii</sup> Employees are free to use the academic evaluation company of their choice and may provide a copy of a prior evaluation by a US academic evaluation company. **Academic evaluations done by US companies do not expire.** The department may request that ICS arrange for an academic evaluation report and keep a photocopy in the immigration file.