

## **Victims of Serious Crime or Trafficking Visas (U, T)**

### U Non-Immigrant Visas for Victims of Criminal Activity

The U non-immigrant visa classification is for qualified alien victims of certain criminal activities who assist a Federal, State, or local law enforcement agency, prosecutor, judge, or other authority with responsibility for the investigation or prosecution of the qualifying criminal activities. USCIS grants U non-immigrant status through an approved petition.

### T Non-Immigrant Visas for Victims of Trafficking in Persons

The T non-immigrant visa classification is for qualified alien victims of a "severe form of trafficking in persons." USCIS grants T non-immigrant status through an approved petition.

### Interviews

The Consular Section of U.S. Embassy Lomé will send an appointment letter to U or T non-immigrant visa applicants with an approved petition. After receiving the appointment letter, applicants should follow the procedures listed on the Embassy's [non-immigrant visa page](#).

### Fingerprints

Prospective or derivative U or T visa applicants who need to be fingerprinted, and who reside within our consular district, may apply for a fingerprint appointment. They can schedule an appointment by sending an email to [consularlome@state.gov](mailto:consularlome@state.gov). Please provide the full name, date of birth, place of birth, place of residence and phone number for each applicant.

An appointment will be confirmed via telephone with information about the date and time of the appointment. At the time of the appointment, the applicant must present a valid form of identification (passport or national ID).

For more information about the visa application process, please see the [non-immigrant visa page](#).