

What benefits are considered in a public charge determination?

Consideration or benefit	Considered in public charge determination	NOT considered in public charge determination
Age	X	
Health	X	
Family status	X	
Assets	X	
Resources	X	
Financial status	X	
Education and skills	X	
Any federal, state, local, or tribal cash assistance for income maintenance	X	
Supplemental Security Income (SSI)	X	
Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) cash assistance	X	
General Assistance programs	X	
Programs (including Medicaid) supporting individuals who are institutionalized for long-term care	X	
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP, or formerly called "Food Stamps")	X	
Section 8 Housing Assistance under the Housing Choice Voucher Program	X	
Section 8 Project-Based Rental Assistance (including Moderate Rehabilitation)	X	
Public Housing under section 9 the Housing Act	X	
Federally funded Medicaid (with certain exclusions)	X	
COVID-19 testing and treatment		X
Medicaid for treatment of emergency medical conditions		X
Medicaid benefits for individuals under 21		X
Medicaid benefits received by a woman during pregnancy		X
Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP)		X
Nutrition programs		X
Child care services		X
Energy assistance		X
Emergency disaster relief		X
Foster care and adoption assistance		X
Educational assistance		X
Job training programs		X
In-kind, community-based programs, services, or assistance (such as soup kitchens, crisis counseling and intervention, and short-term shelter)		X