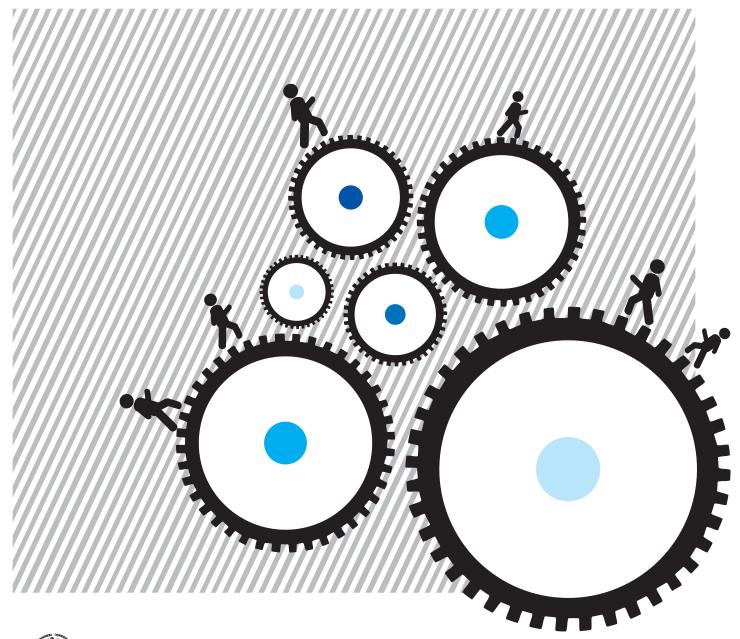
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Introduction

These lessons will educate immigrant workers about their protections against discrimination under the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA) and NYC Human Rights Law. It also provides resources to contact if discrimination occurs.

The Immigration and Nationality Act (INA) protects U.S. citizens and certain work-authorized individuals from employment discrimination based upon citizenship or immigration status. The INA protects all work-authorized individuals from national origin discrimination, unfair documentary practices relating to the employment eliqibility verification process, and from retaliation.

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www.lacnyc.org

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prohibits discrimination in employment, housing and public accommodations based on race, color, creed, age, national origin, alienage or citizenship status, gender (including gender identity and sexual harassment), sexual orientation, disability, marital status, or partnership status. In addition, the Law affords protection against discrimination in employment based on arrest or conviction record and status as victim of domestic violence, stalking or sex offenses. In housing, the Law affords additional protections based on lawful occupation, any lawful source of income, and family status. The City Human Rights Law also prohibits retaliation and biasrelated harassment. The Commission also conducts extensive education about the law for the general public.

www.nyc.gov/cchr

New York Immigration Coalition is an umbrella policy organization for approximately 200 groups in New York State that work with "newcomers" to the US. The NYIC was founded in 1987 and has evolved into a powerful advocacy voice, analyzing the impact of immigration policy proposals, promoting and protecting the rights of immigrants and their family members, improving newcomers' access to services, resolving problems with public agencies, and mobilizing member groups to respond to public issues and community needs.

www.thenyic.org

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WORKING IN THE UNITED STATES

Immigrant Employment Rights Part I

Lesson Plan

Working in the United States

Immigrant Employment Rights Part I LESSON PLAN

Duration

2-3 hours

Materials

- DVD player and The Right to Work DVD
- The Right to Work Beginner Student Edition Workbook
- Supplementary Materials
 - 8½ x 11" vocabulary flashcards (see appendix)
 - tape to hang flashcards on the board
 - Yes/No vocabulary word handout (1 per student)
 - 1 set of 8 target vocabulary word cards for every pair of students

Objectives

By the end of this session, students will be able to:

- Identify the I-9 form and its purpose
- Name at least two documents accepted when completing the I-9 form
- Name at least one place to call in case of document abuse
- Demonstrate their ability to address problems with document abuse in oral dialogues

Pre-Workshop Homework

To prepare students to introduce themselves in session 1, assign the writing activity on page 13 as homework.

Steps:

- Introductions and Learning Goals (30 minutes)
- 2. Video 1 (30 minutes)
- 3. Understanding the I-9 Form and Document Abuse (30 minutes)
- 4. Follow-Up and Next Steps (30-60 minutes)

In-Class Activities

Step 1: Introductions and Learning Goals

A) Introduce yourself and where you are from.

Ask students to introduce themselves. You can write these sentence starters on the board:

- My name is...
- I am from...
- My family is from...

Make sure each student has the opportunity to speak.

B) Introduce the purpose of your visit.

Say, "I am here today to talk about national origin discrimination. *National origin* is where you are from." You can write national origin=where you are from on the board.

Tell students that you are going to talk with them about discrimination. Say, "Discrimination is different and unfair treatment of people. Discrimination is illegal." You can write illegal=against the law on the board.

To get a sense of students' speaking ability, you can ask them at this point if anyone has experience with discrimination, or, continue to the next activity.

C) Introduce learning goals.

Say, "My job is to help you understand the law. Here are some words we are going to learn." Make one vocabulary flashcard for each of the following words:

- discrimination
- documents
- I-9 form
- wages

OSC

- 311
- interpreter
- E-Verify

Post the flashcards of the 8 new words on the board. Use tape to hang the words so you will be able move the words later on in the lesson.

Ask students to decide whether they know these words or not. Distribute one Yes/No vocabulary word handout to each student. Say, "If you know this word, write it in the 'yes' column. If you don't know the word, write it in the 'no' column." Circulate and help students complete the task.

For low-level classes in which copying can be difficult, prepare one set of vocabulary words for every pair of students. Students can work with a partner to sort the words to the 'yes' or 'no' column. Use the chart in the appendix to tally their responses.

Note: This set of eight words includes a mix of familiar words to activate students' background knowledge and challenging terms to inspire their curiosity for learning. Don't worry about teaching the meaning words at this point in the lesson. If students ask, say only, "Today we are going to learn more about these words."

Step 2: Watch Video 2

Say, "We are going to watch a video. But, there is no sound. After you watch, tell me who you see and what is the problem. Then we will watch the video again with sound."

Play the video to the end without audio or subtitles. Ask students:

- Who do you see?
- Who is the boss?
- Who is the job applicant?
- What's the problem?

At this point, do not indicate to students if their guesses are correct or incorrect but instead encourage their participation. Try to help them describe the two men. You can help them with new words they might need, such as *ladder*, *bandana*, *hat*, *wallet*, *employer*.

Say, "Let's watch the video again and see if you were right." Watch video with sound and subtitles. Review what students understood using the sound and subtitles. See if students can name the problem and who is right. Review these questions with them:

- Who do you see?
- Who is the boss?
- Who is the job applicant?
- What's the problem?
- Who is right? The boss or the man who wants the job?

Say, "Let's talk about who is right under the law." Ask students to open their workbooks to page 1 and complete the Yes/No activity about the video with a partner. Students who work faster can continue to the exercises on page 2. If students have trouble completing the dialogue, repeat that section of the video.

Note: In some beginner classes, writing exercises will slow the pace of the lesson. Use this time to see how well the class completes the writing activities. If you see that the class struggles with writing, consider working just with the video for the rest of your visit and asking the teacher to help students with the writing exercises at a later point.

Step 3: Understanding the I-9 Form and Document Abuse

Ask students to look at the I-9 form on pages 4-5. Read them the information on page 3. Help them use the "Lists of Acceptable



Documents" on page 5 to answer the questions from page 3:

Which documents does Tomás have?	B2 and C1
Which document proves his identity?	B2
Which document proves his work authorization?	C1
Does Tomás have the right documents?	Yes

Clarify the problem Tomás had when looking for a job. Ask students what Tomás can do to solve this problem. Without giving them the answer, have students read page 6 and try to complete page 7 with a partner. Students who finish quickly can continue with the exercises on pages 8-9.

Note: The exercises on page 9 are designed for literacy level students. If you find a student struggling with the other exercises, you may want to refer the student to this page to work on word recognition skills.

After students have worked on the exercises, ask a couple of partners to share their dialogues out loud. Point to the 8 vocabulary words you hung on the board at the start of the lesson. Review what students learned. For example, say, "We talked about documents." Ask if anyone has questions. Move the card to the one side of the board. Repeat with *I-9 form, OSC, 311, interpreter*.

Point out the appendix of the book. Say, "If you want to learn more about the I-9 form and acceptable documents, you can see more examples here."

Step 4: Follow-Up and Next Steps

Choose from the following activities based on time and interest.

Ask students if they want to watch another video. Time permitting, watch video 2. Repeat procedure above, trying to get students to talk about the people and the problem in the video. You can skip the written exercises and just discuss the video. Students can complete the exercises on pages 10-11 for homework.

Ask students to look at page 12. Help them think of dialogues they might have when looking for a job. If the class is low level, model a dialogue with the teacher. Consider modeling a "good" job interview and a "bad" job interview to see if students can identify when employers ask questions that are not in compliance with the law.

Ask students to talk about what they wrote on page 13. Model how to complete this exercise with these sentence starters:

- My name is...
- I am from...
- I live in...
- I work for...
- lam a...
- My dream job is to be a...

Complete these sentences with examples from your own life. Write the sentence starters on the board. Have students check their examples about themselves and share with a partner.

Collect examples of Yes/No vocabulary word handouts from students. Ask students to read page 20 and prepare the vocabulary for the next session.

Teacher Resource: http://www.uscis.gov/I-9Central

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♣ VIDEO 1 | Tomás needs a job.



1. Watch Video 1.

- Who do you see?
- What **documents** do you see?
- What is the problem?

2. Talk about the Video.

Circle YES or NO.

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A man needs a job.	YES	NO
The man goes to a deli.	YES	NO
The man talks to the boss.	YES	NO
The boss asks the man for his documents.	YES	NO
The man shows the boss his documents.	YES	NO
The man gets the job.	YES	NO

3. What is the problem?

Complete the dialogue.





Sr. Santos

Tomás

<i>Sr. Santos:</i> Do you have your	g	reen card	with you?
<i>Tomás:</i> No, but I have my	state ID	and _	Social Security Card
Sr. Santos: That's good but I nee	d to see your ₋	gr	een card

Complete the sentences.

Tomás is the	employer	job applicant
Sr. Santos is the	employer	job applicant
Sr. SantosTomás for his documents.	asks	shows
Tomás Sr. Santos his documents.	asks	shows
Sr. SantosTomás's documents.	accepts	refuses
Tomás the job.	gets	does not get

Working in the United States

Immigrant Employment Rights Part I

♣ I-9 FORM

- 1. Look at an I-9 form.
- 2. The Immigration and Nationality Act (INA) says that employers must use the I-9 form.
- 3. Employers use the I-9 form to check every new employee's **identity** and **work** authorization.
- 4. Employees must have the right documents.
- 5. You need one document that proves both identity and work authorization.
- 6. Or, you need one document that proves **identity** *and* one document that proves work authorization.
- 7. Look at the lists of acceptable documents.
 - a. Which documents does Tomás have?
 - b. Which document proves his identity?
 - c. Which document proves his work authorization?
 - d. Does Tomás have the right documents?









Read instructions carefully before completing this form. The instructions must be available during completion of this form.

ANTI-DISCRIMINATION NOTICE: It is illegal to discriminate against work-authorized individuals. Employers CANNOT specify which document(s) they will accept from an employee. The refusal to hire an individual because the documents have a future expiration date may also constitute illegal discrimination.

Tuture expiration date may also const				
Section 1. Employee Information and		be completed and signe		1 1 0 /
Print Name: Last	First		Middle Initial	Maiden Name
Address (Street Name and Number)		A	pt. #	Date of Birth (month/day/year)
City	State	Z	ip Code	Social Security #
I am aware that federal law provides imprisonment and/or fines for false st use of false documents in connection completion of this form.	atements or	A citizen of t A noncitizen A lawful perr An alien auth	he United States national of the Uni nanent resident (A orized to work (Al	I am (check one of the following): ited States (see instructions) lien #) ien # or Admission #) ble - month/day/year)
Employee's Signature		Date (month/day/	(year)	
Preparer and/or Translator Certifical penalty of perjury, that I have assisted in the comprehensive Preparer's/Translator's Signature	t ion (To be completed pletion of this form and	l and signed if Section 1 is pri l that to the best of my knowle Print Name	epared by a person dge the informatio	other than the employee.) I attest, under on is true and correct.
Address (Street Name and Number, City	v, State, Zip Code)		I	Date (month/day/year)
Section 2. Employer Review and Veri examine one document from List B and expiration date, if any, of the document List A Document title: Issuing authority: Document #: Expiration Date (if any):	OR	List B	mptoyer. Exam f this form, and AND	line one accument from List A OK if record the title, number, and List C
Document #:	- 1			
Expiration Date (if any): CERTIFICATION: I attest, under penalt the above-listed document(s) appear to be (month/day/year) and th employment agencies may omit the date to Signature of Employer or Authorized Representation.	genuine and to rela at to the best of my he employee began	ate to the employee name knowledge the employee employment.)	ed, that the emp	
Business or Organization Name and Address (Stre	eet Name and Number,	City, State, Zip Code)		Date (month/day/year)
Section 3. Updating and Reverification	n (To be complete	ed and signed by employ	ver.)	1
A. New Name (if applicable)	,	3 7 . 1 ,		thire (month/day/year) (if applicable)
C. If employee's previous grant of work authoriza	tion has expired, provi	de the information below for	the document that	establishes current employment authorization.
Document Title:	•	Document #:		Expiration Date (if any):
I attest, under penalty of perjury, that to the be document(s), the document(s) I have examined		this employee is authorized	to work in the Un	
Signature of Employer or Authorized Representat				Date (month/day/year)

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LISTS OF ACCEPTABLE DOCUMENTS

All documents must be unexpired

	LIST A	LIST B	LIST C	
	Documents that Establish Both Identity and Employment Authorization C	Documents that Establish Identity PR	Documents that Establish Employment Authorization AND	
	1. U.S. Passport or U.S. Passport Card	Driver's license or ID card issued by a State or outlying possession of the United States provided it contains a	Social Security Account Number card other than one that specifies on the face that the issuance of the	
	2. Permanent Resident Card or Alien Registration Receipt Card (Form	photograph or information such as name, date of birth, gender, height, eye color, and address	card does not authorize employment in the United States	
L	I-551)		2. Certification of Birth Abroad	
	 Foreign passport that contains a temporary I-551 stamp or temporary I-551 printed notation on a machine- 	ID card issued by federal, state or local government agencies or entities, provided it contains a photograph or information such as	issued by the Department of State (Form FS-545)	
	readable immigrant visa	name, date of birth, gender, height, eye color, and address	3. Certification of Report of Birth issued by the Department of State	
	4. Employment Authorization Document that contains a photograph (Form	3. School ID card with a photograph	(Form DS-1350)	
	I-766)	4. Voter's registration card	4. Original or certified copy of birth certificate issued by a State,	
	5. In the case of a nonimmigrant alien authorized to work for a specific	5. U.S. Military card or draft record	county, municipal authority, or territory of the United States	
	employer incident to status, a foreign passport with Form I-94 or Form	6. Military dependent's ID card	bearing an official seal	
	I-94A bearing the same name as the passport and containing an endorsement of the alien's	7. U.S. Coast Guard Merchant Mariner Card	5. Native American tribal document	
	nonimmigrant status, as long as the period of endorsement has not yet	8. Native American tribal document		
	expired and the proposed employment is not in conflict with any restrictions or limitations	not in conflict with s or limitations 9. Driver's license issued by a Canadian government authority	6. U.S. Citizen ID Card (Form I-197)	
	identified on the form 6. Passport from the Federated States of	For persons under age 18 who are unable to present a document listed above:	7. Identification Card for Use of Resident Citizen in the United States (Form I-179)	
	Micronesia (FSM) or the Republic of the Marshall Islands (RMI) with	10. School record or report card	8. Employment authorization	
	Form I-94 or Form I-94A indicating nonimmigrant admission under the Compact of Free Association	11. Clinic, doctor, or hospital record	document issued by the Department of Homeland Security	
	Between the United States and the FSM or RMI	12. Day-care or nursery school record		

Illustrations of many of these documents appear in Part 8 of the Handbook for Employers (M-274)

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KNOW THE LAW | Document Abuse

Document abuse is against the law. The law says an employee can choose which documents to show an employer. The I-9 form says, "Employers cannot specify which document(s) they will accept from an employee."

These are possible examples of **document abuse**.

- The employer asks for your documents **before** they offer you the job.
- The employer asks you for different documents.
- The employer asks you for more documents.
- The employer asks you for **specific** documents.

If you have questions about document abuse, you can contact:



THE OFFICE OF SPECIAL COUNSEL FOR IMMIGRATION RELATED UNFAIR EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES (OSC)

The OSC is a part of the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ).

Call 1-800-255-7688. The call is free.

TDD: 1-800-237-2515



THE NEW YORK CITY COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS (CCHR)

There is an office in every borough.

Call **311**.

Or, call the Central Office at **1-212-306-7450.**

The New York City Commission on Human Rights helps residents of the five boroughs of New York City.

You can get help in your language from OSC and CCHR. If you need an interpreter, say:

"I need an interpreter. I speak "



REPORTING A PROBLEM

Complete the dialogue. Practice the dialogue with a partner.

Tomás: I have a problem.
Friend: What's the matter?
Tomás: I have two documents, but my boss only wants to see my green card.
Friend: Call They can help you, for free!
Tomás: But my English is not very good.
Friend: If you want to speak your language, you can ask for aninterpreter



NEW WORD PRACTICE

What's another word for...?

against the law
documents
employer
employee
green card
refuse
valid

illegal
papers, identification
boss
worker
permanent residence card
reject
OK, acceptable

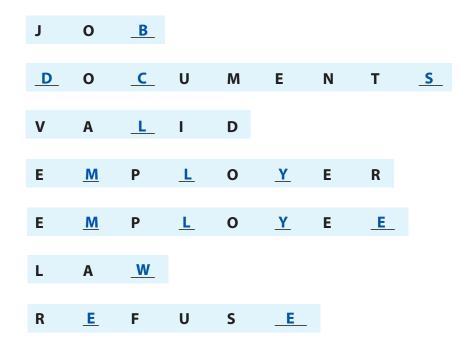
Complete the sentences. Use the words in the box.

	documents	green card	employee	employer
	job	law	valid	
1.	Tomás needs a _	job	·	
2.	Tomás has	valid	_ documents.	
3.	Sr. Santos refuse	s Tomás's	documents	·
4.	Sr. Santos asks To	omás for his	green card	
5.	Document abuse	e is against the	law	·
6.	An <u>emp</u>	loyee	can choose which docu	ments to show employers
7.	An emp	loyer	cannot refuse valid docu	ıments.

Circle the same word:

(job) job jab jib jot documents documents document documentation documented valid (valid) invalid valued value employ employer employer employee employed employee employ (employee) employed employer law lawyer lab law low (refuse) refuge refuse refusal fuse

Write the missing letter:



[♣] VIDEO 2 | A new job.



1. Watch Video 2.

- Who do you see?
- Do you see **document abuse**?



Employee



Employer

2. Talk about the Video.

Circle YES or NO.

A woman has a new job.	YES	NO
This is a temporary job.	YES	NO
Her employer asks for her documents.	YES	NO
Her documents are permanent.	YES	NO
Her employer asks for different documents.	YES	NO
This is an example of document abuse.	YES	NO

3. Listen and Practice

Employer:

What's this Temporary Proof of Permanent Residence?

Employee:

It's all I have.

Employer:

But this is a permanent job, not temporary. I need something permanent.

Employee:

Well, I'm here permanently. It's just the card that expires, like a driver's license.

Employer:

I don't know. I need your green card. Your Permanent Resident Card. Why don't you reapply when you get your permanent card? Okay?

4. Complete the sentences. Use the words in the box below.



documents iob law I-9 Form

Office of Special Counsel (OSC) **Permanent Resident Card Temporary Proof of Permanent Residence**

Employee

a.	This woman has a new
b.	Today, her employer is checking her
c.	At the interview, she shows the employer her <u>Temporary Proof of Permanent Residence</u>
d.	The employer asks to see her Permanent Resident Card
e.	She can call the Office of Special Counsel (OSC) for help.
f.	Document abuse is against the
q.	Her employer can call the OSC to ask about her documents .

VOCABULARY | Finding a Job



DIALOGUE

Complete the dialogue. Practice the dialogue with a partner.

Applicant:	Hello, I'm looking for a job.		
Interviewer:			
Applicant:			
Interviewer:			
Applicant:			
Interviewer:			

Write

- What is your name?
- Where are you from?
- Where do you live?
- Do you work? Where do you work?
- What is your job?
- What is your dream job?



WORKING IN THE UNITED STATES

Immigrant Employment Rights Part II

Lesson Plan

Working in the United States

Immigrant Employment Rights Part II LESSON PLAN

Duration

2-3 hours

Materials

- DVD player and The Right to Work DVD
- The Right to Work Beginner Student Edition Workbook
- Supplementary Materials
 - 8½ x 11" vocabulary flashcards (see appendix)
 - 8½ x 11"Yes/No flashcards (see appendix)
 - tape to hang flashcards on the board
 - Workshop evaluation (1 per student)

Objectives

By the end of this session, students will be able to:

- Identify examples of national origin discrimination on the job
- Name at least one place to call in case of national origin discrimination
- Demonstrate their ability to address problems with national origin discrimination in oral dialogues
- Talk about how they might solve problems on the job by using the resource information in Part III of their workbooks

Pre-Workshop Homework

- Completion of *The Right to Work Immigrant Employment Rights Part I.*
- Ask students to read and review the vocabulary on page 20 prior to this workshop.

Steps:

- Introductions: Where do you work? (15 minutes)
- 2. Video 3 (30 minutes)
- 3. Understanding Examples of Discrimination (30 minutes)
- 4. Problems on the Job and Possible Solutions (30-60 minutes)
- 5. Follow-Up and Next Steps (15 minutes)

In-Class Activities

Step 1: Introductions

Ask if students remember your name and where you work. Ask a few students to talk about where they work. You can write these sentence starters on the board:

- I'm a...
- I work at...

See if a couple of students want to volunteer their answers to page 20 or if students have questions about the vocabulary on page 20.

Hang the 8 vocabulary word flashcards on the board. Say, "Last time we talked about these words. Who can tell me something about discrimination?" See if students can say that discrimination is different and unfair treatment of people.

Say, "Last session we talked about discrimination because of documents. Who remembers what documents we talked about?" See if students can provide definitions for I-9 form, OSC, 311, and interpreter. As you review these terms, move them to one side of the board.

Say, "Today we are going to talk about other kinds of discrimination and problems on the job, for example, problems with wages and E-Verify." Point to the remaining two vocabulary cards.

Step 2: Watch Video 3

Say, "We are going to watch a video.
Remember, there is no sound. After you watch, tell me who you see and what is the problem. Then we will watch the video again with sound."

Play the video to the end without audio or subtitles. Ask students:



- Who do you see?
- · Who is the boss?
- Who is the job applicant?
- What's the problem?

At this point, do not indicate to students if their guesses are correct or incorrect but instead encourage their participation. Try to use the same language to discuss the video as you used in the first session.

Say, "Let's watch the video again and see if you were right." Watch video with sound and subtitles. Review what students understood using the sound and subtitles. See if students can name the problem and who is right. Review these questions with them:

- Who do you see?
- Who is the boss?
- Who is the job applicant?
- What's the problem?
- Who is right? The boss or the man who wants the job?

Say, "Let's talk about who is right under the law." Ask students to open their workbooks to page 14 and complete the Yes/No activity about the video with a partner. Students who work faster can continue to the exercises on page 15.

Step 3: Understanding Examples of Discrimination

Review students' answers on pages 14-15 and clarify the problem the job applicant had with the employer. Read page 16 to students and clarify the terms in sentence 9 with students. You can refer them to page 17 for definitions of these terms. For example, say, "Look at page 17. What is another way to say 'place of birth'?" Elicit the definition on page

17: "where you were born." Review the other terms with them in this way.

Say, "Some jobs are different. Let's look at page 18 and 19 and talk more about the law." Ask students to complete the exercises on pages 18-19 with a partner. Circulate to make sure they understand the instructions. Refer students to the vocabulary on page 20 if they have trouble with the sentences on page 19.

As students are completing page 19, hang the 'Yes' sign on one side of the room and the 'No' sign on the other side of the room. This will help students to play the "Barometer Game" using their answers on page 19. The "Barometer Game" is a kinesthetic activity in which students stand and move to the side of the room that reflects their answer (to the 'Yes' sign if they answered 'Yes" and to the 'No" sign if they answered 'No').

Ask students to stand and bring their workbooks with them. Explain that one side of the room is 'Yes' and the other side is 'No.' In the middle is 'Not sure/I don't know.'

Give students an example to make sure they understand how to participate in the activity. Say, for example, "I live in Queens." Have students move to one side of the room, 'Yes' or 'No.' Clarify students' answers; for example, ask a few to name where they live. Try a few other examples from students' lives, such as: "I speak Spanish," "I like New York City," or "I work in New York City."

Say, "Now we are going to review your answers on page 19." Make sure students have their workbooks with them. Read the first sentence aloud to them. Have students move to the side of the room that represents their answer.

Note: It's best if you don't participate in this activity, otherwise students will follow you knowing that you have the right answer.

Clarify the best answer for students. Make sure that before you move on to the next sentence, all students have moved to the correct location.

Ask, "What can you do if you have a problem with discrimination?" Remind students what they learned about the OSC and the NYCCHR on page 21.

Ask students to work with a partner to complete a dialogue about discrimination (either page 22 or page 23). Page 22 is openended for students with more fluency. Page 23 are two sample dialogues for them to complete and then practice with a partner. Ask a couple of students to share their dialogues out loud.

Step 4: Problems on the Job and Possible Solutions

Ask student to look at the chart on page 24. Say, "Here is some information about other possible problems on the job." Check with students to see if there are problems not on this list that they want help with and discuss their questions.

Remind students that there are federal, state, and local agencies that can help immigrants and employees. Time permitting, make a three-column chart on the board and complete it with students (see if they can add more examples at each level):

Federal	State	Local
OSC	NYS Dept of Labor	NYC Commission on Human Rights
OSHA	NY Immigration Coalition	CUNY Citizenship Now!
	NY State Immigration Hotline	

Say to students, "The rest of the pages of this book are resources for you to use in case you have problems with discrimination or want to talk more about discrimination with your teacher." Choose from the activities based on time and interest.

Refer to pages 25-27 for more information about reporting a problem to the OSC.

Ask students to look at page 25. Model this conversation with the teacher. Ask the teacher to read the operator's lines. Time permitting, have students write sample answers and practice the dialogue with a partner.

Ask students to look at page 26. Explain to students that this is the information they need if they have a problem on the job. Remind students that they can report a problem and this information in any language.

Ask students to look at page 27. Say, "This is some information about reporting a problem to the OSC. Here you can see an address where you can find information in different languages online. What languages?" Ask students to read this page at home.

Refer to page 28 for more discussion about problems with wages.

Ask students to read page 28 and define "wages." Ask if they can explain understand "promised wages" and "unpaid wages." Ask if they have any other questions about wages. Move the "wages" vocabulary card on the board to the group of words learned.

Time permitting, ask students to practice saying the phone numbers of the agencies that can help them. For example, ask, "What is the phone number for The New York State Department of Labor?"



Step 5: Watch Video 4

Ask, "Is anyone familiar with E-Verify?"
Read page 29 with students. Explain that employees can have a problem with E-Verify if their personal information is not accurate. Watch Video 4 with students, first without sound. Play the video up to when María's employer receives the TNC. Review what students understood. Watch the video again with sound. Have students answer the questions on p. 30. See if students can identify that one of María's documents uses her maiden name. If needed, clarify the term "maiden name."

Ask, "What do you think María will do? Who will María call?" Review p. 31 with students. Explain that tentative=temporary and nonconfirmation=not confirmed or not sure. Say, "María's status is not confirmed for now, and she has some questions." Review p. 32 with students. See if students can guess the correct answers then provide the answers to clarify the law. Watch the E-Verify video to the end when María talks about how she found the solution to her problem. Confirm that student understand who they can call if they have problem with "E-Verify." Move the "E-Verify" vocabulary card on the board to the group of words learned.

Refer to pages 29-32 for more discussion about problems with E-Verify.

Refer to the Activities section on pages 33-37 if students want more practice with new words. This section is included in case the instructor wants to use these activities as follow-up to the video presentations.

Page 33 (Know Your Acronyms)

Read the instructions to students. Ask students to read the acronyms in the box for practice pronouncing letters of the alphabet. Have students find the answers with a

partner and review their answers on the board.

Page 34 (What's My Web Address? Computer Lab)

Say, "You can use acronyms to find information on the computer. For example, notice the web address for DHS. What is DHS? What is the web address?" Review the remaining acronyms with students. Clarify with the teacher beforehand whether the class has access to computer lab. If so, say, "Next time you go to computer lab, see if you can find the web address for these agencies. See if you can find information in your language online." If not, say, "If you have a computer at home, try this exercise at home."

Page 35 (What's Your Job?)

Students can use this optional graphic organizer to record information about their job.

Page 36 (What's Your Job? Ask a classmate.)

Make sure all students know how to say and spell their job title. Students should stand and practice asking "What's your job?" to their classmates until they have the names and job titles of seven classmates.

Page 37 (Pronunciation Practice)

Students can use this page to practice saying new words. They can listen and repeat after the teacher then practice with a partner. Bold indicates the stressed syllable.

Step 6: Follow-Up and Next Steps

Ask students to complete a workshop evaluation. Remind them to share what they learned with people in their communities.

VIDEO 3 | A deli needs a dishwasher.







Applicant

1. Watch Video 3.

- Who do you see?
- What is the problem?

2. Talk about the Video.

Circle YES or NO.

A man needs a job.	YES	NO
The man goes to a deli.	YES	NO
The man talks to the boss.	YES	NO
The boss needs a painter.	YES	NO
The boss asks the man for his documents.	YES	NO
The man shows the boss his documents.	YES	NO
The man gets the job.	YES	NO

3. What is the problem?

Read the dialogue.





Deli Boss

Applicant

Deli Boss:

Are you legal? Green card?

Applicant:

Sí. Yes.

Deli Boss:

Listen, I'm sorry. I just can't hire you. You have to speak better English to work here.

Complete the sentences.

A man wants a job as a	dishwasher	painter
Heexperience as a dishwasher.	has	does not have
The man his green card.	has	does not have
The man a little English.	speaks	does not speak
The deli boss a little Spanish.	speaks	does not speak
English necessary to do the job.	is	is not
The man the job.	gets	does not get

Discrimination

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* KNOW THE LAW | National Origin and Citizenship Status Discrimination

- 1. A man wants a job as a dishwasher.
- 2. He has valid documents to work in the U.S.
- 3. The employer does not like his accent.
- 4. The employer says he needs better English.
- 5. English is not necessary to do the job.
- 6. But, the employer does not want to hire him.
- 7. This is an example of **national origin discrimination**.
- 8. **Discrimination** is different and unfair treatment of people.
- 9. An employer cannot treat you differently because of:
 - a. your place of birth
 - b. native language
 - c. accent
 - d. appearance
 - e. citizenship status

VOCABULARY | Finding a Job



PLACE OF BIRTH

where you were born



NATIVE LANGUAGE

- your first language
- the language of your home country



ACCENT

how you speak



APPEARANCE

- how you dress
- how you look



CITIZENSHIP STATUS

if you are a citizen or not

NEW WORD PRACTICE

Write the correct word under the picture. Use the words below.

911 operator	air traffic cont	roller cont	ract nurse	waiter

The laws says some jobs can require English. For example:

- *air traffic controller*
- 911 operator

The laws says some jobs can require uniforms or dress codes. For example:

- waiter
- nurse

The laws says some jobs can require citizenship status. For example:

• when required by government contract

DISCRIMINATION

Can you find examples of discrimination? Read the sentences and choose YES or NO.

- YES = that's OK
- NO = that's against the law

An employer can write a job advertisement that says, "Women only."	YES	NO
2. An employer can say, "We don't interview people from your country."	YES	NO
3. An employer can ask employees to wear a uniform.	YES	NO
4. An employer can pay some employees more because they are not immigrants.	YES	NO
5. A manager at a department store can say, "Only citizens get promotions."	YES	NO
6. An employer can ask employees to speak only English all the time at work.	YES	NO
7. An employer can fire employees who complain about discrimination.	YES	NO
8. An employee can wear a turban or scarf at work for religious reasons.	YES	NO

VOCABULARY | On the Job



Talk with a partner:

- Do you work?
- When did you get hired?
- How do you get paid? Do you get paid in cash or by check?
- How often do you get paid?



Immigrant Employment Rights Part II

FOR MORE INFORMATION | National Origin Discrimination

The Immigration and Nationality Act and the New York City Human Rights Law protect employees against discrimination based on national origin or citizenship status.

If you have questions about discrimination, you can contact:



THE OFFICE OF SPECIAL COUNSEL FOR IMMIGRATION RELATED UNFAIR **EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES (OSC)**

The OSC is a part of the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ).

Call 1-800-255-7688. The call is free.

TDD: 1-800-237-2515

The Office of Special Counsel for Immigration Related Unfair Employment Practices (OSC) helps employees and employers anywhere in the United States.

You can find information about discrimination online in these languages: Arabic, Cambodian, Chinese, Farsi, French, Haitian Creole, Hindi, Hmong, Korean, Laotian, Punjabi, Russian, Spanish, Tagalog, Urdu, and Vietnamese.

Visit: www.justice.gov/crt/osc/htm/CRTNatorigin.htm.



THE NEW YORK CITY COMMISSION **ON HUMAN RIGHTS (CCHR)**

There is an office in every borough. Call 311.

Or, call the Central Office at 1-212-306-7450.

The New York City Commission on Human Rights helps residents of the five boroughs of New York City.

Visit: www.nyc.gov/cchr

DISCUSS Do you have experience with discrimination?

The Office of Special Counsel (OSC) and The New York City Commission on Human Rights want to stop national origin discrimination. The Office of Special Counsel (OSC) and The New York City Commission on Human Rights teach employers and employees about how to stop discrimination.

- Do you have experience with discrimination?
- What happened?
- What did you do?
- Find a partner and create a dialogue about discrimination for the class.
- What is the problem?

•	Who can help you?
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DIALOGUES

Complete these dialogues. Find solutions to the problems. Practice the dialogues with a partner.

Employee: I have a problem.
Friend: What's the matter?
Employee: My employer says I cannot speak Spanish at work. But I only speak Spanish during breaks.
Friend: Call the OSC/311 . They can help you, for free!
Employee: But my English is not very good.
Friend: You can ask for an interpreter .

Husband: How was your day?

Wife: Not good. My manager says I can't get a promotion because I wasn't

born in the U.S.

Husband: I don't think that's legal. Let's call _____ the OSC/311

Wife: I don't want any problems.

Husband: Don't worry. The law protects you against <u>discrimination/retaliation</u>.

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PROBLEM	WHO CAN HELP?
BENEFITS	New York State Department of Labor (DOL) Call 1-800-447-3992.
BREAKS	New York State Department of Labor (DOL) Call 1-800-447-3992.
DISCRIMINATION	Office of Special Counsel for Immigration Related Unfair Employment Practices (OSC). Call 1-800-255-7688. The call is free. TDD: 1-800-237-2515.
	NYC Commission on Human Rights (CCHR) Call 1-212-306-7450.
DOCUMENT ABUSE	Office of Special Counsel for Immigration Related Unfair Employment Practices (OSC). Call 1-800-255-7688. The call is free. TDD: 1-800-237-2515.
E-VERIFY GENERAL QUESTIONS	U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services E-Verify Worker Hotline. Call 1-888-897-7781.
E-VERIFY DISCRIMINATION	Office of Special Counsel for Immigration Related Unfair Employment Practices (OSC). Call 1-800-255-7688. The call is free. TDD: 1-800-237-2515.
IMMIGRATION	New York Immigration Coalition (NYIC) Call 1-212-627-2227.
STATUS OR CITIZENSHIP	New York State Immigration Hotline Call 1-212-419-3737 or 1-800-566-7636.
QUESTIONS	CUNY Citizenship Now! Immigration Centers Call 1-646-344-7245.
MINIMUM WAGE	New York State Department of Labor (DOL) Call 1-800-447-3992.
OVERTIME	New York State Department of Labor (DOL) Call 1-800-447-3992.
SAFETY PROBLEMS ON THE JOB	U.S. Office of Occupational Safety and Health Administration Call 1-800-321-OSHA.
UNPAID WAGES	New York State Department of Labor (DOL) Call 1-800-447-3992.



Immigrant Employment Rights Part III

REPORTING A PROBLEM | Listen and Practice.

Tomás calls the Office of Special Counsel for advice. Listen and practice.

Tomás:	Hello. Is this the OSC?
Operator:	Yes. How can I help you?
Tomás:	I have a problem with an employer.
Operator:	What is your problem?
Tomás:	·
Operator:	Do you have the employer's name and address?
Tomás:	·
Operator:	When did this happen?
Tomás:	·
Operator:	Where did this happen?
Tomás:	·
Operator:	Do you want help in your language?
Tomás:	·
Operator:	What is your native language?
Tomás:	·
Operator:	One minute, please.

KEEP A RECORD

If you have a problem on the job, you need to keep a record of the problem.

Employee Name	
Employee Contact Information	
Employer Name and Names of People Involved	
Employer Address or Location	
Date of Problem	
Time	
What happened?	

Immigrant Employment Rights Part III

THE OFFICE OF SPECIAL COUNSEL (OSC)

What happens if I report a problem to the OSC?

If there is a problem, the OSC will ask you to complete a **charge form**.



On the charge form you provide:

- your name, address, and telephone
- the name, address and telephone of the employer where you had the problem
- a description of what happened, when and where

You must make a complaint within 180 days.

Find a charge form online in English, Spanish, Chinese or Vietnamese at:

http://www.justice.gov/crt/osc/htm/charge.php

What happens next? Here are some possibilities:

- The OSC contacts the employer.
- The OSC informs the employer about the law.
- The employee gets the job or gets hired back.
- The employee gets back pay.
- The employer pays fines or damages.
- The employer attends training.

Investigations typically take no longer than 7 months.

Vocabulary

What is...?

CHARGE FORM	the document you complete when you have a problem with discrimination and want to report it to the OSC	
BACK PAY	money you were not paid when you worked	
FINES OR DAMAGES	money an employer pays the government as a penalty	

WAGES



- 1. When you work, you must get paid.
- 2. Another word for the money you get paid is wages.
- 3. The law says all workers must get promised wages.
- 4. Undocumented workers must get promised wages.
- 5. If you work, an employer must pay you for your work.
- 6. If an employer doesn't pay you after you have done the work, you can call the New York State Department of Labor at 1-800-447-3992.
- 7. The New York State Department of Labor can help workers who have problems with promised wages.
- 8. If you have questions about your immigration status, you can call:
 - The New York Immigration Coalition at 1-212-627-2227.
 - The New York Immigration Hotline at 1-212-419-3737 or 1-800-566-7636.
 - The City University of New York Citizenship Now! Immigration Centers at 1-646-344-7245.



Immigrant Employment Rights Part III

E-VERIFY



- 1. Some employers use a computer system to check an employee's information on the I-9 form.
- 2. This system is called **E-Verify**.
- 3. E-Verify checks an employee's information on the I-9 form:
 - with the Social Security Administration
 - with the **Department of Homeland Security** (non-citizens)
- 4. You can have problems with E-Verify if there are changes in your personal information. For example:
 - your name changes because you get married or divorced
 - your citizenship status changes
- 5. Always report changes in your personal information to the Social Security Administration or the Department of Homeland Security.

Social Security Administration	www.socialsecurity.gov 1-800-772-1213	
Department of Homeland Security	www.dhs.gov/E-Verify 1-888-897-7781	

VIDEO 4 | María's employer uses E-Verify.



1. Watch Video 4.

- Who do you see?
- What **documents** do you see?

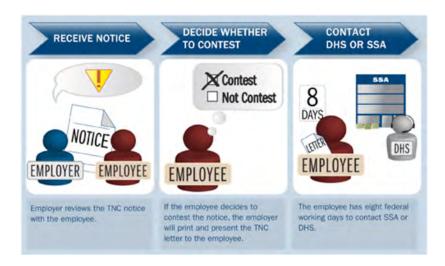
2. Talk about the Video.

Circle YES or NO.

Does María have a new job?	YES	NO
Does her employer check her I-9 form?	YES	NO
Does María have the right documents?	YES	NO
Does María have a new name?	YES	NO
Does María have a problem when her employer uses E-Verify?	YES	NO

KNOW THE LAW | Tentative Nonconfirmation (TNC)

- 1. Problems with E-Verify are called **Tentative Nonconfirmation (TNC)**.
- 2. María's employer receives a TNC from E-Verify.
- 3. What can María do?
- 4. María can *not* contest the TNC and lose her job.
- 5. Or, María can contest the TNC and try to fix the problem.
- 6. She has 8 or fewer work days to begin to fix the problem.*
 - *Note: The 8 days start from the moment the employer presses a "refer case" button, which triggers the time period. If the employer then tells the worker about the TNC 6 days later, the worker only has one or two days left. The date on the TNC notice is the critical date.



If you have problems with E-Verify, you can contact:

- The Department of Homeland Security E-Verify employee hotline at 1-888-897-7781 or www.dhs.gov/E-Verify.
- The Office of Special Counsel for Immigration Related Unfair Employment Practices
 (OSC) at 1-800-225-7688 or www.usdoj.gov/crt/osc if your employer discriminates
 against you because of a problem with E-Verify.

E-Verify Questions

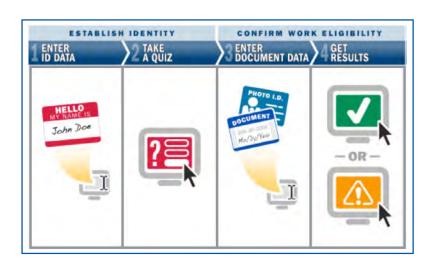
Maria receives a tentative nonconfirmation (TNC) from her employer. What can she do? Read Maria's questions and choose YES or NO.



1. Will I get fired?	YES	NO
2. Will I get paid?	YES	NO
3. Can I go to training?	YES	NO
4. Will my schedule change?	YES	NO
5. Will you tell my supervisor?	YES	NO
6. Can I have time to fix the problem?	YES	NO
7. Can you tell me what to do to fix the problem?	YES	NO

KNOW THE LAW | E-Verify Self Check

- 1. If you want to review your personal information before a job interview, you can use **E-Verify Self Check**.
- 2. E-Verify Self Check is optional. No employer can require you to use E-Verify Self Check.
- 3. It is available in English and Spanish
- 4. It is only online, not on paper.
- 5. It is **free**. There is **no fee**.
- 6. Personal information on E-Verify Self Check is confidential.
- 7. There are four steps to use E-Verify Self Check:



To learn more about E-Verify Self-Check, go to: www.uscis.gov/EVerifySelfCheck.

If an employer requires you to use E-Verify Self Check, contact The Office of Special Counsel for Immigration Related Unfair Employment Practices (OSC) at 1-800-225-7688 or www.usdoj.gov/crt/osc. No one can require you to use E-Verify Self Check.

KNOW YOUR ACRONYMS

Acronyms are words made from the first letters in a name. Find the correct acronym for each name. Choose from the box below:

DHS	DOJ	DOL	OSHA	ICE	INA	
CCHR	NYIC	OSC	SSN	USCIS	SSA	

NAME	ACRONYM
1. Department of Homeland Security	DHS
2. US Citizenship and Immigration Services	USCIS
3. Immigration and Customs Enforcement	ICE
4. Department of Justice	DOJ
5. Office of Special Counsel for Immigration-Related Unfair Employment Practices	OSC
6. Department of Labor	DOL
7. Social Security Administration	SSA
8. Social Security Number	SSN
9. Immigration and Nationality Act	INA
10. Occupational Safety and Health Administration	OSHA
11. New York City Commission on Human Rights	CCHR
12. New York Immigration Coalition	NYIC

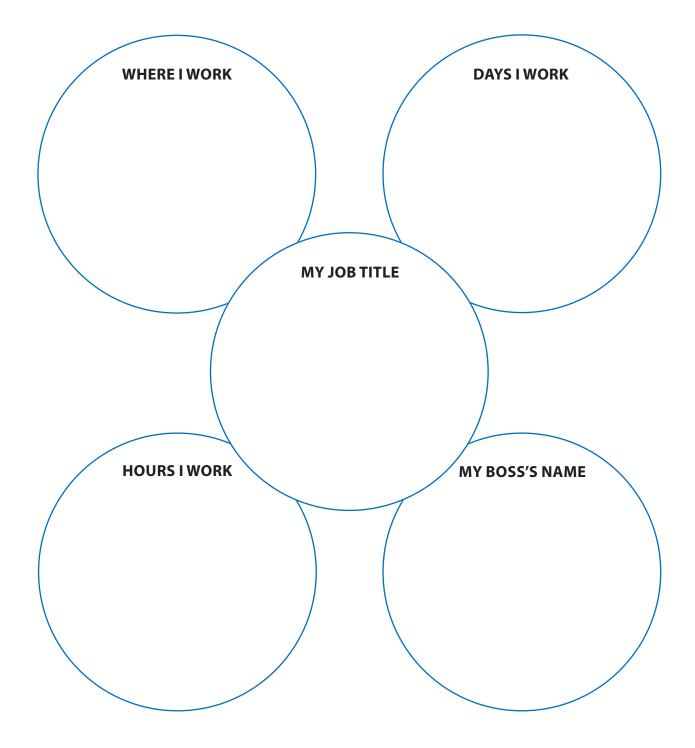
WHAT'S MY WEB ADDRESS?



- 1. Go to www.google.com
- 2. Enter the acronym in the search box.
- 3. Write down the web address.
- 4. Check your answers with your teacher or a classmate.

	AGENCY	WEB ADDRESS	
1.	DHS	<u>www.dhs.gov</u>	
2.	USCIS	<u>www.uscis.gov</u>	
3.	DOJ	<u>www.justice.gov</u>	
4.	DOL	<u>www.dol.gov</u>	
5.	OSHA	<u>www.osha.gov</u>	
6.	New York State DOL	<u>www.labor.ny.gov</u>	
7.	CCHR	www.nyc.gov/cchr	
8.	NYIC	<u>www.thenyic.org</u>	

WHAT'S YOUR JOB? | Tell me about yourself.



Activities

Immigrant Employment Rights Part IV

WHAT'S YOUR JOB? | Ask a classmate.

Here is a list of jobs in the workbook:

painter	air traffic controller	nurse
dishwasher	911 operator	manager
deli owner	waiter	interpreter

What are the jobs in your class? Ask your classmates.

Write the names and jobs below:

NAME	JOB

PRONUNCIATION PRACTICE

Practice saying these new words. How many syllables? Where is the stress?

- 1. job
- 2. law
- 3. val • id
- 4. ac • cent
- 5. lan • guage
- 6. pay • check
- 7. **doc** • u ment
- 8. im mi grant
- 9. ар pli cant
- 10. in ter view
- 11. cit · i zen
- 12. em • ploy • er
- 13. ploy • em • ee
- 14. ар • **pear** • ance
- 15. cit • i • zen • ship
- 16. ad ver • tise • ment
- 17. pli ap ca tion
- 18. dis • crim • i • na tion

APPENDIX



OMB No. 1615-0047; Expires 08/31/12

Department of Homeland Security U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services Form I-9, Employment **Eligibility Verification**

Read instructions carefully before completing this form. The instructions must be available during completion of this form.

ANTI-DISCRIMINATION NOTICE: It is illegal to discriminate against work-authorized individuals. Employers CANNOT specify which document(s) they will accept from an employee. The refusal to hire an individual because the documents have a future expiration date may also constitute illegal discrimination.

Section 1 Employee Information of				
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Frint Name: Last	First		Middle initial	Maiden Name
Address (Street Name and Number)			Apt. #	Date of Birth (month/day/year)
City	State		Zip Code	Social Security #
I am aware that federal law provid imprisonment and/or fines for false use of false documents in connection completion of this form.	e statements or	A citizen of A noncitizer A lawful per An alien aut	the United States n national of the Un rmanent resident (A thorized to work (Al	ited States (see instructions) lien #) lien # or Admission #) ble - month/day/year)
Employee's Signature		Date (month/day	y/year)	
Preparer and/or Translator Certification penalty of perjury, that I have assisted in the control Preparer's/Translator's Signature	cation (To be complete completion of this form and	d and signed if Section 1 is p d that to the best of my know. Print Name	repared by a person ledge the information	n other than the employee.) I attest, under on is true and correct.
Address (Street Name and Number,	City, State, Zip Code)	l	I	Date (month/day/year)
Section 2. Employer Review and V examine one document from List B an expiration date, if any, of the docume	nd one from List C, a	ompleted and signed by as listed on the reverse	employer. Exam of this form, and	nine one document from List A OR d record the title, number, and
List A	OR	List B	AND	List C
Document title:				
Issuing authority:				
Document #:				
Expiration Date (if any): Document #:				
Expiration Date (if any):				
CERTIFICATION: I attest, under pen the above-listed document(s) appear to	be genuine and to re that to the best of my e the employee began	late to the employee nan knowledge the employe employment.)	ned, that the emp	
Business or Organization Name and Address (Street Name and Number,	City, State, Zip Code)		Date (month/day/year)
Section 3. Updating and Reverifica	tion (To be complete	ed and signed by emplo	oyer.)	
A. New Name (if applicable)			B. Date of Re	chire (month/day/year) (if applicable)
C. If employee's previous grant of work autho	rization has expired, prov	ide the information below for	r the document that	establishes current employment authorization.
Document Title:		Document #:		Expiration Date (if any):
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Signature of Employer or Authorized Represen	**			Date (month/day/year)

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LISTS OF ACCEPTABLE DOCUMENTS

All documents must be unexpired

Documents that Establish Both

LIST A

LIST B **Documents that Establish**

Documents that Establish

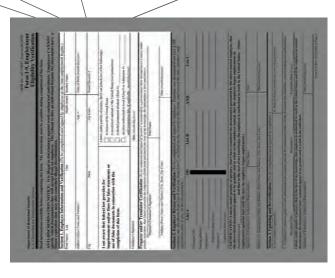
LIST C

	Identity and Employment	Identity	Employment Authorization
	Authorization O	PR A	ND
	U.S. Passport or U.S. Passport Card Permanent Resident Card or Alien Registration Receipt Card (Form I-551)	1. Driver's license or ID card issued by a State or outlying possession of the United States provided it contains a photograph or information such as name, date of birth, gender, height, eye color, and address	Social Security Account Number card other than one that specifies on the face that the issuance of the card does not authorize employment in the United States
	1-331)		2. Certification of Birth Abroad
3.	Foreign passport that contains a temporary I-551 stamp or temporary I-551 printed notation on a machine-	2. ID card issued by federal, state or local government agencies or entities, provided it contains a photograph or information such as	issued by the Department of State (Form FS-545)
	readable immigrant visa	name, date of birth, gender, height, eye color, and address	3. Certification of Report of Birth issued by the Department of State
4.	Employment Authorization Document that contains a photograph (Form	3. School ID card with a photograph	(Form DS-1350)
	I-766)	4. Voter's registration card	4. Original or certified copy of birth certificate issued by a State,
5. In the case of a nonimmigrant alien authorized to work for a specific employer incident to status, a foreign passport with Form I-94 or Form	5. U.S. Military card or draft record	county, municipal authority, or territory of the United States	
	6. Military dependent's ID card	bearing an official seal	
	I-94A bearing the same name as the passport and containing an endorsement of the alien's	7. U.S. Coast Guard Merchant Mariner Card	5. Native American tribal document
	nonimmigrant status, as long as the period of endorsement has not yet	8. Native American tribal document	
expired and the proposed employment is not in conflict with any restrictions or limitations	Driver's license issued by a Canadian government authority	6. U.S. Citizen ID Card (Form I-197	
6.	Passport from the Federated States of	For persons under age 18 who are unable to present a document listed above:	7. Identification Card for Use of Resident Citizen in the United States (Form I-179)
Micronesia (FSM) or the Republic of the Marshall Islands (RMI) with Form I-94 or Form I-94A indicating	10. School record or report card	Employment authorization document issued by the	
	nonimmigrant admission under the Compact of Free Association	11. Clinic, doctor, or hospital record	Department of Homeland Security
	Between the United States and the FSM or RMI	12. Day-care or nursery school record	

Illustrations of many of these documents appear in Part 8 of the Handbook for Employers (M-274)

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Form 1–9 Employment Eligibility Verification



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	(4)	An alien authorized to work (Alien # or Admission #)	on # or Admission #)
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	Employee's Signature (5)	Date (monthiday);ear)	
	Preparer and/or Translator Certification (to be completed and signed if Section 1 is prepared by a person other than the employee.) I attest, under possible de information is the completen of this form and that to the best of my broughder the information is the and correct.	signed if Section 1 is prepared by a person o to the best of my knowledge the information	other than the employee;) Lattext, under is true and correct

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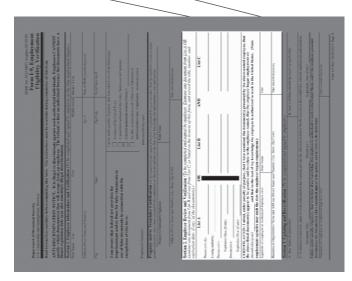
and Number, City, State, Zip Code)

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- (1) Employee enters full name and maiden name, if applicable.
- 2 Employee enters current address and date of birth.
- Employee enters his or her city, state, ZIP Code, and Social Security number. Entering the Social Security number is optional unless the employer verifies employment authorization through the USCIS E-Verify Program.
- 4 Employee reads warning and attests to his or her citizenship or immigration status.
- **(5)** Employee signs and dates the form.
- If the employee uses a preparer or translator to fill out the form, that person must certify that he or she assisted the employee by completing this signature block.



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1 List A 0	OR List B	AND	List C
Document title:			
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Document #:			
Expiration Date (if any):			
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CERTIFICATION: I attest, under penalty of perjury, that I have examined the document(s) presented by the above-named employee, that the above-listed document(s) appear to be genuine and to relate to the employee named, that the employee began employment on	jury, that I have examined the docur	ment(s) presented	by the above-named employee, that yee began employment on
(month/day/year) (2) and that to the best of my knowledge the employment agencies may omit the date the employee began employment.)	and that to the best of my knowledge the employee is authorized to work in the United States. (State date the employee began employment.)	is authorized to	work in the United States. (State
Signature of Employer or Authorized Representative	Print Name		Title
Business or Organization Name and Address (Street Name and Number, Cipy, State, Zip Code)	and Number, City, State, Zip Code)		Date (month/day/year)

Your employer will fill out this section. This is where you must show your employer your documents to prove your identity and work authorization. You only need to show your employer one document from List A, OR, one document from List B and one from List C. The lists of documents are listed on the back of the I-9 Form.

- (1) Employer records document title(s), issuing authority, document number, and the expiration date from original documents supplied by employee. See Part Eight for the Lists of Acceptable Documents.
- **NOTE**: You may use abbreviations for commonly used documents, e.g., DL for driver's license and SS for Social Security.
- (2) Employer enters date employment began.
- (3) Employer attests to examining the documents provided by filling out the signature block.

Documents that Establish Both Identity and Employment Eligibility

The following illustrations in this Handbook do not necessarily reflect the actual size of the documents.

The U.S. Department of State issues the U.S. passport to U.S. citizens and noncitizen nationals. There are a small number of versions still in circulation that may differ from the main versions shown here.









Older U.S. Passport cover and open

Current U.S. Passport cover and open

US Passport Card

The U.S. Department of State began producing the passport card in July 2008. The passport card is a walletsize card that can only be used for land and sea travel between the United States and Canada, Mexico, the Caribbean, and Bermuda.





Passport Card front and back

Permanent Resident Card (Form I-551)

On May 11, 2010, USCIS began issuing the newly redesigned Permanent Resident Card, also known as the Green Card, which is now green in keeping with its long-standing nickname. The card is personalized with the bearer's photo, name, USCIS number, alien registration number, date of birth, and laser-engraved fingerprint, as well as the card expiration date.

Note that on the new card, shown below, the lawful permanent resident's alien registration number, commonly known as the A number, is found under the USCIS # heading. The A number is also located on the back of the card.





Current Permanent Resident Card (Form I-551) front and back

This most recent older version of the Permanent Resident Card shows the DHS seal and contains a detailed hologram on the front of the card. Each card is personalized with an etching showing the bearer's photo, name, fingerprint, date of birth, alien registration number, card expiration date, and card number.

Also in circulation are older Resident Alien cards, issued by the U.S. Department of Justice, Immigration and Naturalization Service, which do not have expiration dates and are valid indefinitely. These cards are peach in color and contain the bearer's fingerprint and photograph.





Older version Permanent Resident Card (Form I-551) front and back



Unexpired Foreign Passport with I-551 Stamp

PROCESSED FOR I-551.
TEMPORARY EVIDENCE OF
LAWFUL ADMISSION FOR
PERMANENT RESIDENCE
VALID UNTIL
EMPLOYMENT AUTHORIZED

I-551 Stamp

Unexpired Foreign Passport with I-551 Stamp or MRIV

USCIS uses either an I-551 stamp or a temporary I-551 printed notation on a machine-readable immigrant visa (MRIV) to denote temporary evidence of lawful permanent residence. Sometimes, if no foreign passport is available, USCIS will place the I-551 stamp on a Form I-94 and affix a photograph of the bearer to the form. This document is considered a receipt.

Reverify the employee in Section 3 of Form I-9 when the stamp in the passport expires, or one year after the issuance date if the stamp does not include an expiration date. For temporary I-551 receipts, at the end of the receipt validity period, the individual must present the Permanent Resident Card (Form I-551) for Section 2 of Form I-9.

The MRIV demonstrates permanent resident status for one year from the date of admission found in the foreign passport that contains the MRIV.





The temporary Form I-551 MRIV is evidence of permanent resident status for one year from the date of admission.

Temporary I-551 printed notation on a machine-readable immigrant visa (MRIV)

Employment Authorization Document (I-766)

USCIS issues the Employment Authorization Document to aliens granted temporary employment authorization in the United States. The card contains the bearer's photograph, fingerprint, card number, Alien number, birth date, and signature, along with a holographic film and the DHS seal. The expiration date is located at the bottom of the card.





Employment Authorization Document (Form I-766) front and back



Previous back of EAD card

Form I-20 Accompanied by Form I-94 or Form I-94A

Form I-94 or Form I-94A for F-1 nonimmigrant students must be accompanied by a Form I-20, Certificate of Eligibility for Nonimmigrant Students, endorsed with employment authorization by the designated school official for off-campus employment or curricular practical training. USCIS will issue an Employment Authorization Document (Form I-766) to all students (F-1 and M-1) authorized for a post-completion OPT period.

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Form I-20 Accompanied by Form I-94 or I-94A

Form DS-2019 Accompanied by Form I-94 or Form I-94A

Nonimmigrant exchange visitors (J-1) must have a Form I-94 or Form I-94A accompanied by an unexpired Form DS-2019, Certificate of Eligibility for Exchange Visitor (J-1) Status, issued by the U.S. Department of State, that specifies the sponsor. J-1 exchange visitors working outside the program indicated on the Form DS-2019 also need a letter from their responsible officer.



Form DS-2019 Accompanied by Form I-94 or Form I-94A



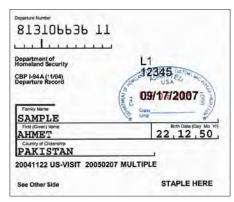
Form I-94 or Form I-94A Arrival/Departure Record

CBP and sometimes USCIS issue arrival-departure records to nonimmigrants. This document indicates the bearer's immigration status, the date that the status was granted, and when the status expires. The immigration status notation within the stamp on the card varies according to the status granted, e.g., L-1, F-1, J-1. The Form I-94 has a handwritten date and status, and the Form I-94A has a computer-generated date and status. Both may be presented with documents that Form I-9 specifies are valid only when Form I-94 or Form I-94A also is presented, such as the foreign passport, Form DS-2019, or Form I-20.

Form I-9 provides space for you to record the document number and expiration date for both the passport and Form I-94 or Form I-94A.



Form I-94 Arrival/ Departure Record



Form I-94A Arrival/ Departure Record



Passport from the Federated States of Micronesia.

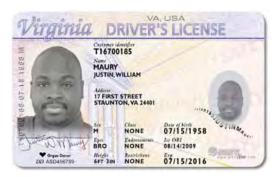
Passports of the Federated States of Micronesia and the Republic of the Marshall Islands

In 2003, Compacts of Free Association (CFA) between the United States and the Federated States of Micronesia (FSM) and Republic of the Marshall Islands (RMI) were amended to allow citizens of these countries to work in the United States without obtaining an Employment Authorization Document (Form I-766).

For Form I-9 purposes, citizens of these countries may present FSM or RMI passports accompanied by a Form I-94 or Form I-94A indicating nonimmigrant admission under the CFA, which are acceptable documents under List A. The exact notation on Form I-94 or Form I-94A may vary and is subject to change. As of early 2009, the notation on Form I-94 or Form I-94A typically states "CFA/FSM" for an FSM citizen and "CFA/MIS" for an RMI citizen.

Documents that Establish Identity Only

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Driver's License from the Commonwealth of Virginia front

State-issued Driver's License

A driver's license can be issued by any state or territory of the United States (including the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa, and the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands) or by a Canadian government authority, and is acceptable if it contains a photograph or other identifying information such as name, date of birth, gender, height, eye color, and address.

Some states may place notations on their drivers' licenses that state the card does not confirm employment authorization. For Form I-9 purposes, these drivers' licenses, along with every other state's, establish the identity of an employee. When presenting any driver's license, the employee must also present a List C document that establishes employment authorization.



Identification Card from the Commonwealth of Virginia front

Sample State Identification Card

An ID card can be issued by any state (including the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa, and the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands) or by a local government, and is acceptable if it contains a photograph or other identifying information such as name, date of birth, gender, height, eye color, and address.

Some states may place notations on their ID cards that state the card does not confirm employment authorization. For Form I-9 purposes, these cards, along with every other state's, establish the identity of an employee. When presenting any state-issued ID card, the employee must also present a List C document that establishes employment authorization.



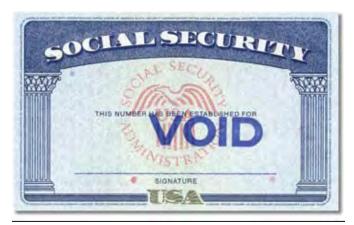
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Documents That Establish Employment Eligibility Only

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U.S. Social Security Account Number Card

The U.S. Social Security account number card is issued by the Social Security Administration (older versions were issued by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services), and can be presented as a List C document unless the card specifies that it does not authorize employment in the United States. Metal or plastic reproductions are not acceptable.



U.S. Social Security Card

Certifications of Birth Issued by the U.S. Department of State

These documents may vary in color and paper used. All will include a raised seal of the office that issued the document, and may contain a watermark and raised printing.



Certification of Birth Abroad Issued by the U.S. Department of State (FS-545)



Certification of Report of Birth Issued by the U.S. Department of State (DS-1350)

Birth Certificate

Only an original or certified copy of a birth certificate issued by a state, county, municipal authority, or outlying possession of the United States that bears an official seal is acceptable. Versions will vary by state and year of birth. Beginning October 31, 2010, only Puerto Rico birth certificates issued on or after July 1, 2010 are valid. Please check www.uscis.gov for guidance on the validity of Puerto Rico birth certificates for Form I-9 purposes.



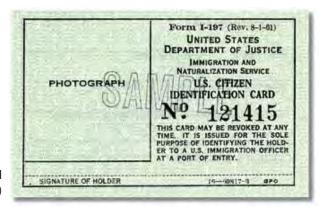
Birth Certificate



U.S. Citizen Identification Card (Form I-197)

Form I-197 was issued by the former Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) to naturalized U.S. citizens. Although this card is no longer issued, it is valid indefinitely.

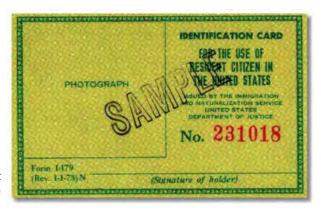
U.S. Citizen Identification Card (Form I-197)

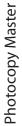


Identification Card for Use of Resident Citizen in the United States (Form I-179)

Form I-179 was issued by INS to U.S. citizens who are residents of the United States. Although this card is no longer issued, it is valid indefinitely.

Identification Card for Use of Resident Citizen in the United States (Form I-179)









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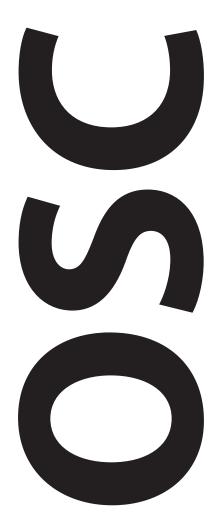
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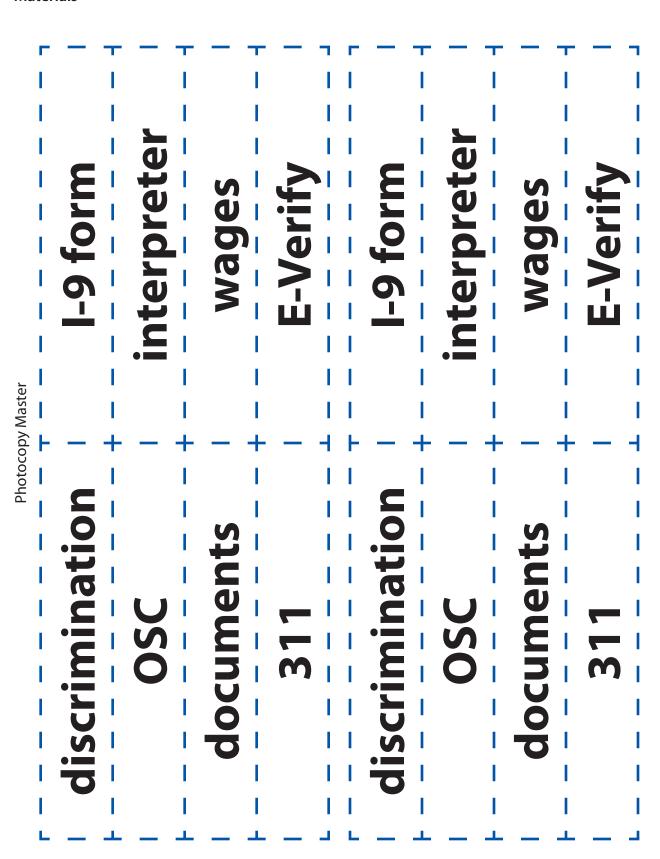
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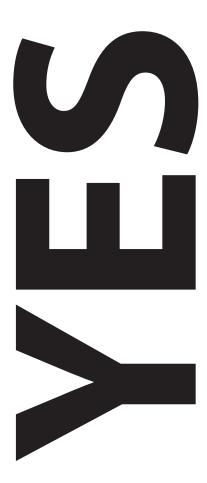


THE RIGHT TO WORK

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discrimination		
documents		
E-verify		
I-9 form		
interpreter		
OSC		
wages		
Notes:		









THE RIGHT TO WORK

UNDERSTANDING IMMIGRANT EMPLOYMENT RIGHTS Evaluation

1. Discrimination is a problem in my community.	YES	NO
The Office of Special Counsel for Immigration-Related Unfair Employment Practices will help me with discrimination.	YES	NO
The New York City Commission on Human Rights will help me with discrimination.	YES	NO
4. I can get help in my native language.	YES	NO
5. It is important to learn about laws against discrimination.	YES	NO
6. I understand the I-9 form.	YES	NO

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Questions I have:			

