International Student And Scholar Services (ISSS)



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F-2 OR J-2 DEPENDENT REQUEST FORM

This form is to be used by international students and scholars at UNC-CH (in either F-1 or J-1 status) to request a Certificate of Eligibility so that a spouse and/or child may apply for a dependent visa (F-2 or J-2) to enter the United States. Each dependent must have his or her own Certificate of Eligibility (Form I-20 or DS-2019) for visa application and travel. Only children under 21 years of age and legal spouses may enter the U.S. in F-2 or J-2 status. Other family members must instead apply for a B-2 tourist visa (generally valid no more than 6 months at a time). J-1 students and scholars are required to purchase medical insurance for their dependents while in the U.S.

To request a Certificate of Eligibility (Form I-20 or DS-2019) for your dependent(s), you must submit this completed form to ISSS together with the following support documentation:

- 1. **Proof of funding**: You must resubmit financial documents if those currently on file with ISSS are more than six months old. Financial support documents must meet the criteria listed on the ISSS website. In addition to the standard estimates for tuition and fees, living expenses, and other costs for yourself, you will be expected to show funds to cover living expenses for your dependent(s):
 - **F-1/J-1 Students**: \$9600 per year for first dependent (spouse or child), \$4,800 per year for each additional dependent
 - **J-1 Scholars**: \$800 per month for first dependent (spouse or child), \$400 per month for each additional dependent
- 2. **Photocopy of marriage certificate** (*required to issue documents for a dependent <u>spouse</u>): If not in English, the marriage certificate and any supporting documents must be submitted together with certified translations.*
- 3. Photocopy of each dependent's passport

STUDENT/SCHOLAR INFORMATION		
Name:	PID:	
Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy):	Email: Phone:	
Immigration Status: F-1 J-1	Major/Program or Host Department:	
Program End Date on I-20 or DS-2019: Expected Date of Dependent's Arrival in the U.S.:		
DEPENDENT INFORMATION		
DEPENDENT 1		
Last Name/Family Name:	First/Given Names:	
Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy):	Gender: M F Relationship to You:	
City of Birth:	Country of Birth:	
Country of Citizenship:	Country of Permanent Residence:	
Dependent's Email Address (if applicable):		

DEPENDENT 2	
Last Name/Family Name:	First/Given Names:
Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy):	Gender: M F Relationship to You:
City of Birth:	Country of Birth:
Country of Citizenship:	Country of Permanent Residence:
Dependent's Email Address (if applicable):	
DEPENDENT 3	
Last Name/Family Name:	First/Given Names:
Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy):	Gender: M F Relationship to You:
City of Birth:	Country of Birth:
Country of Citizenship:	Country of Permanent Residence:
Dependent's Email Address (if applicable):	
DEPENDENT 4	
Last Name/Family Name:	First/Given Names:
Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy):	Gender: M F Relationship to You:
City of Birth:	Country of Birth:
Country of Citizenship:	Country of Permanent Residence:
Dependent's Email Address (if applicable):	
DEPENDENT 5	
Last Name/Family Name:	First/Given Names:
Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy):	Gender: M F Relationship to You:
City of Birth:	Country of Birth:
Country of Citizenship:	Country of Permanent Residence:
Dependent's Email Address (if applicable):	
DEPENDENT 6	
Last Name/Family Name:	First/Given Names:
Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy):	Gender: M F Relationship to You:
City of Birth:	Country of Birth:
Country of Citizenship:	Country of Permanent Residence:
Dependent's Fmail Address (if applicable):	