

YOUR WORKING CHECKLIST

TN professionals: USMCA occupations, credentials and entry procedures

Does Canadian or Mexican permanent residence qualify for TN?

TN concerns Canadian or Mexican citizens performing prearranged professional activities in an occupation listed by the USMCA framework. Citizenship, the listed profession, its specific credentials and the actual U.S. assignment must fit together. Canadian and Mexican initial visa/admission procedures differ.

Check the boxes on screen or by hand. Use the notes area for records to find and questions to ask.

Your preparation checklist

- ☐ Confirm Canadian or Mexican citizenship.
- ☐ Read the exact listed profession and credentials.
- ☐ Describe prearranged work and any ownership.
- ☐ Check the nationality-specific entry procedure.

Notes and questions to follow up

Source links and current instructions

Sources checked October 25, 2026. Follow current instructions at the linked institution.

Office of the Federal Register / eCFR: 8 CFR 214.6: USMCA professionals

<https://www.ecfr.gov/current/title-8/section-214.6>

U.S. Department of State: USMCA professional-worker visas

<https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/us-visas/employment/visas-canadian-mexican-usmca-professional-workers.html>

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