While about five percent of immigrants from Haiti in Greater Boston* are Temporary Protected Status (TPS) holders, more than 56 percent are naturalized citizens. They are the fourth-largest immigrant population ahead of, in order, China, Dominican Republic and India and ahead of Brazil, El Salvador, Vietnam, Canada, Guatemala and Cape Verde. Data from 2017.

VOTER ELIGIBILITY
Immigrants from Haiti in Greater Boston have the third-highest level of voter eligibility out of the 10 largest immigrant groups, after Vietnam and Cape Verde. (Eligible voters are adult U.S. citizens.)

ENGLISH PROFICIENCY
Nearly half of Immigrants from Haiti in Greater Boston speak English well or very well. They have the third-highest rates of English proficiency out of the 10 largest immigrant populations after Canada and India.

HOME OWNERSHIP
Immigrants from Haiti in Greater Boston are less likely to own a home compared to all immigrant groups and the U.S.-born population. However, this figure is lower compared to immigrants from Haiti across the U.S. at 43.9 percent.

HEALTH INSURANCE
Immigrants from Haiti in Greater Boston are less likely to be insured than all immigrant groups and the U.S.-born population. They rank fifth among the 10 largest immigrant groups.
**TOP 3 OCCUPATIONS**

Immigrants from Haiti in Greater Boston play outsized roles in Healthcare Support, Transportation and Healthcare Practitioner occupations.

- **Healthcare Support**: 9.5% Haitians, 5.6% All Immigrants, 6.7% U.S.-Born
- **Transportation & Material Moving**: 13.1% Haitians, 5.6% All Immigrants, 3.9% U.S.-Born
- **Healthcare Practitioners & Technical**: 22.0% Haitians, 4.2% All Immigrants, 1.9% U.S.-Born

**MEDIAN INCOME**

Immigrants from Haiti in Greater Boston make less than all immigrant groups and the U.S.-born population. These figures are higher compared to immigrants from Haiti across the U.S.

- **Personal Income**: $38,400 Haitians, $48,662 All Immigrants, $63,796 U.S.-Born
- **Total Family Income**: $43,278 Haitians, $55,000 All Immigrants, $73,217 U.S.-Born

**EMPLOYMENT**

Immigrants from Haiti in Greater Boston have high labor force participation. They rank fourth among the 10 largest immigrant groups.

- **Labor Force Participation**: 74.3% Haitians, 69.8% All Immigrants, 68.8% U.S.-Born
- **Unemployment**: 8.9% Haitians, 6.8% All Immigrants, 6.1% U.S.-Born

**EDUCATION**

Immigrants from Haiti in Greater Boston are overrepresented in two-year degree programs.

- **BA/BS College Degree**: 2.3% Haitians, 17.8% All Immigrants, 27.3% U.S.-Born
- **Some College/Associate Degree**: 23.9% Haitians, 23.6% All Immigrants, 17.3% U.S.-Born
- **High School Diploma**: 23.3% Haitians, 20.7% All Immigrants, 20.5% U.S.-Born
- **No High School Diploma**: 5.4% Haitians, 5.1% All Immigrants, 3.8% U.S.-Born

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