

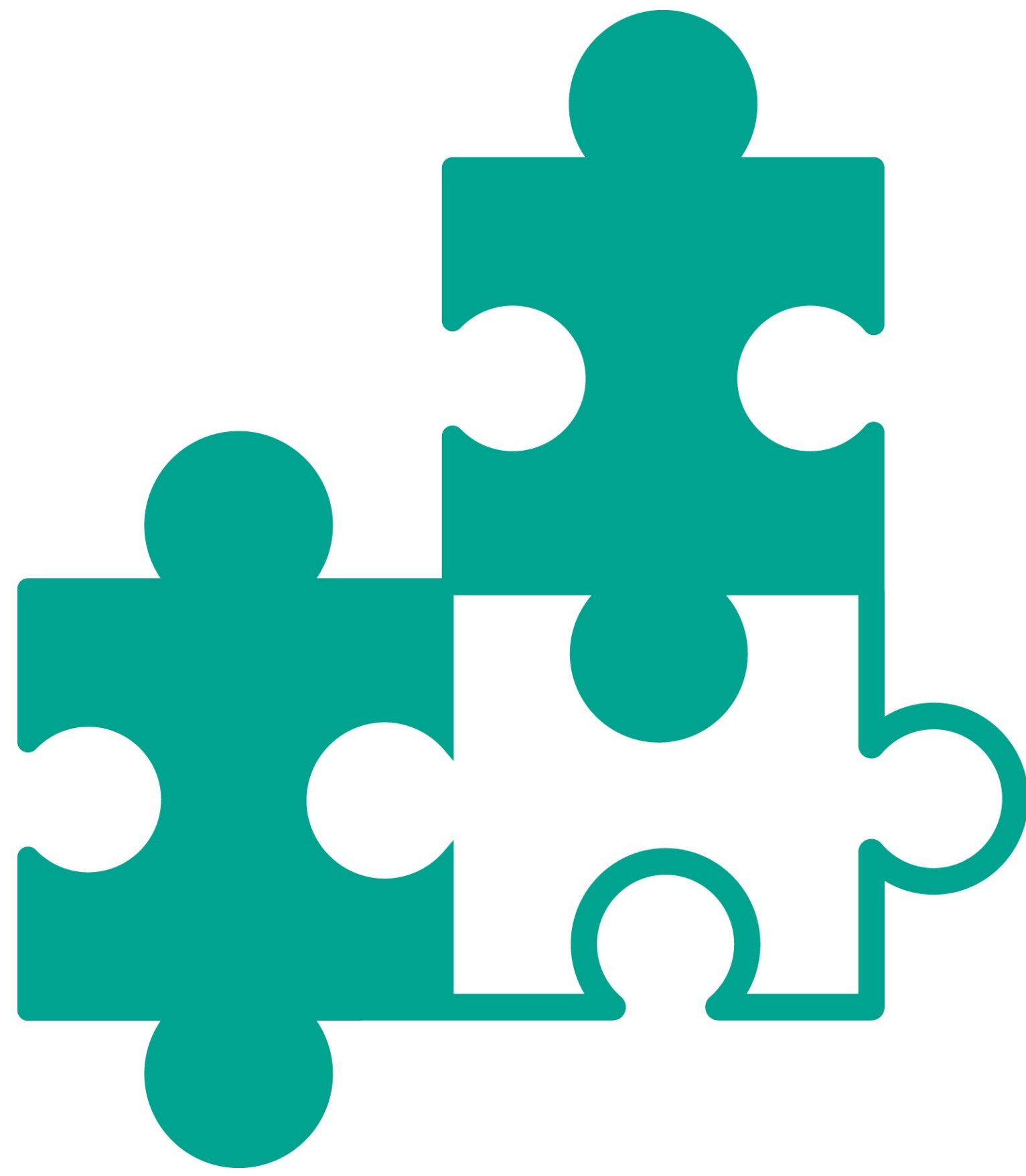


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Legal Orientation Program

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Overview & Introduction

- » We do NOT work for the government or the detention facility
- » EOIR funded program
- » We are attorneys, but NOT your attorney
- » Legal Orientation Program Services
- » Privacy and Confidentiality
- » Fraudulent Representation



About our talk

- » Legal Rights
- » Credible Fear Interview
- » Asylum Process
- » Getting Out of Detention
- » Appeal



Your Rights

- » **Fight your case**
- » **Counsel at your own expense**
- » **Interpretation services in your language**
- » **Present and examine evidence and witnesses**
- » **Appeal**



Asylum & Withholding of Removal

Fear to return to your country

- » **Not able to live in peace in any part of your country**

Fear of persecution based on:

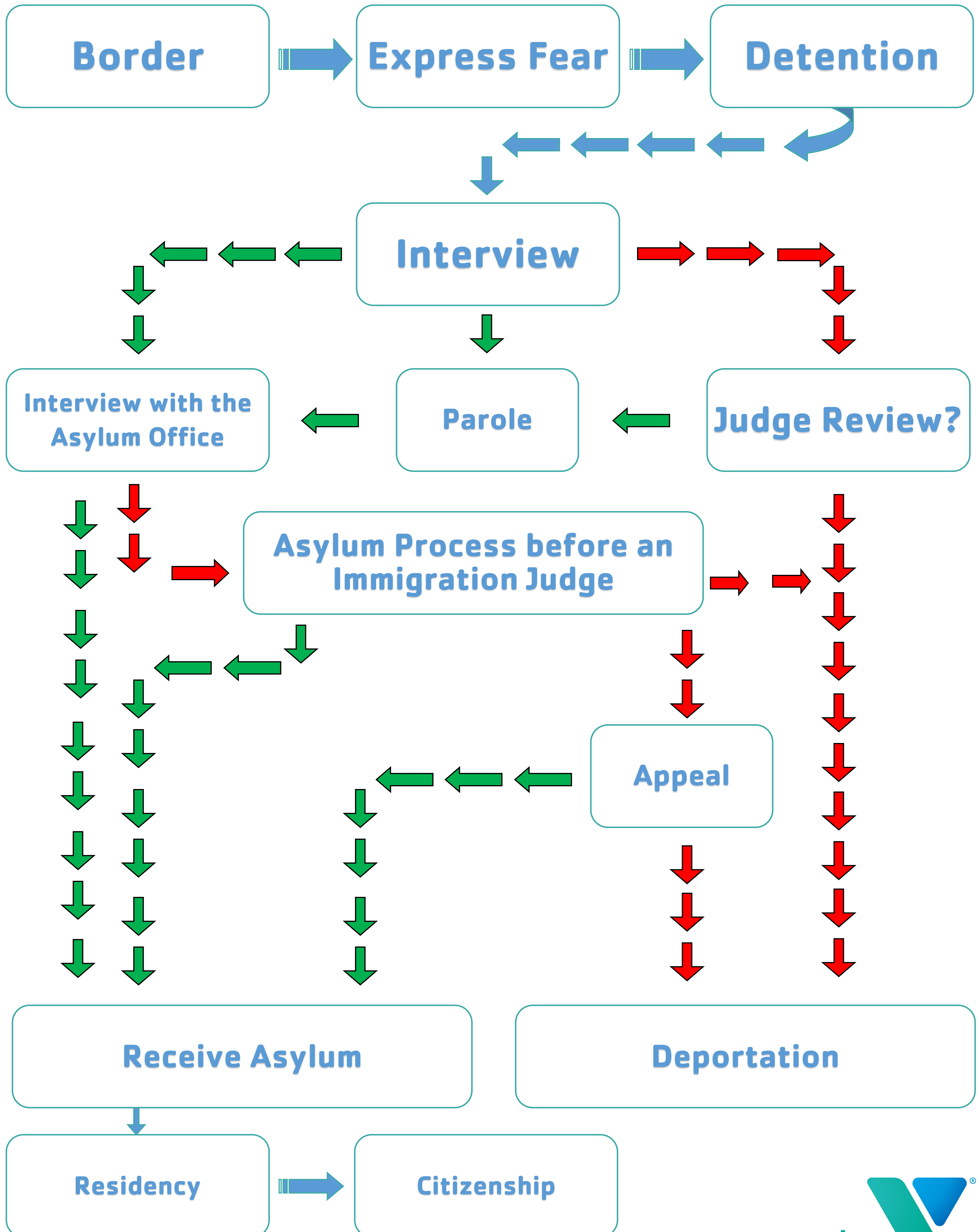
- » **Race**
- » **Nationality**
- » **Religion**
- » **Political Opinion**
- » **Membership in a Particular Social Group**

Convention against Torture (CAT)

The role played by your country's government in the persecution and/or torture

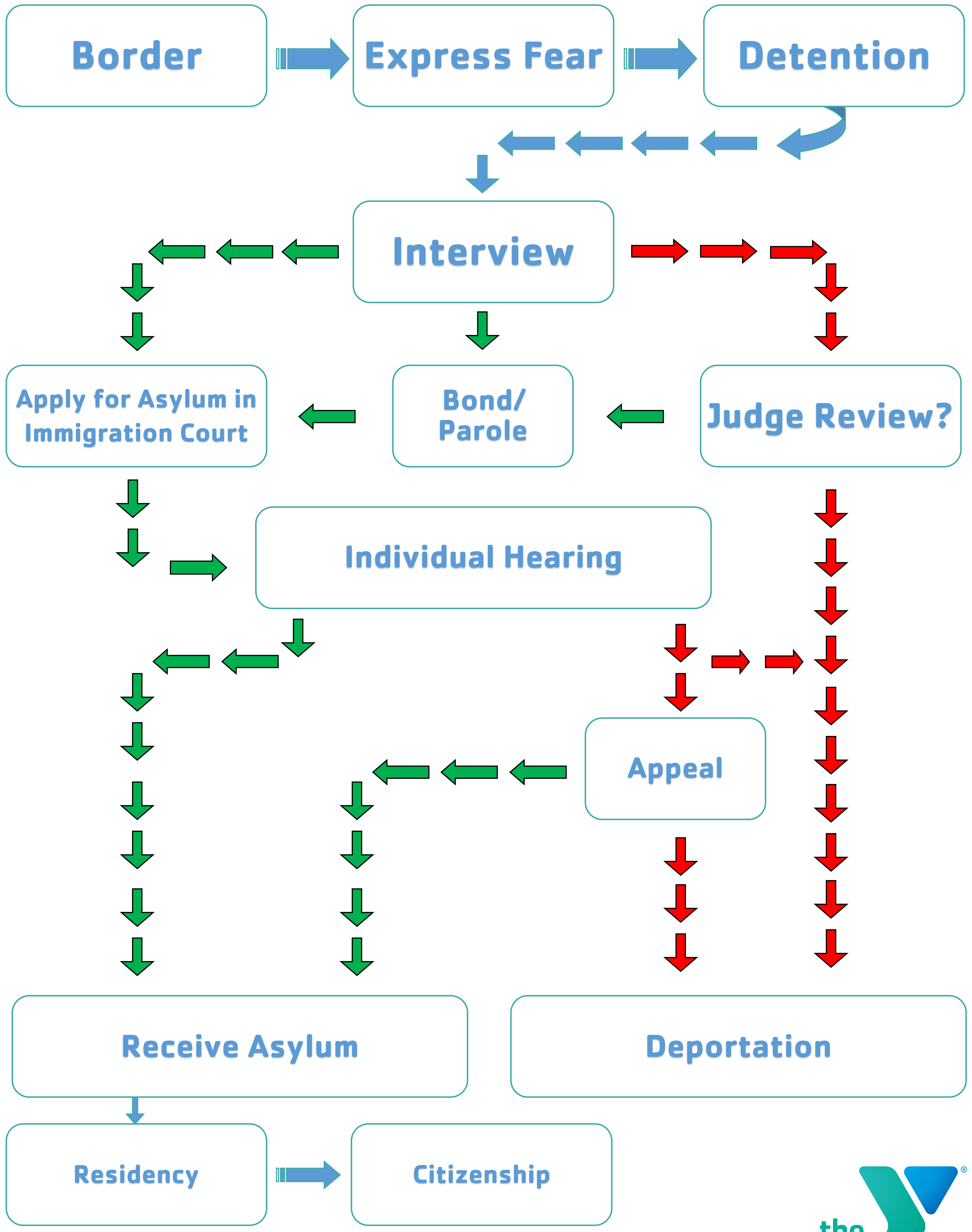
Asylum Process (AO Rule)

[If you go to one of the 7 cities in the program]



Asylum Process

[If you go to another city]





CREDIBLE FEAR INTERVIEW (CFI)

The interview will happen by telephone

You will have a translator during the interview

If you do not understand a question, you can ask for clarification

During the interview:

- » Speak slowly and clearly**
- » Respond with a lot of details**
- » Do not assume that the immigration officer knows what is happening in your city or country**



Legal Orientation Program (LOP)

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