## 5. Submission of NLPNP Application

NLPNP applications are submitted electronically via OIM's online application portal. This portal is used to create new applications and log in to existing applications. Applicants must submit information, supporting documents and Government of Canada forms for themselves and all dependent family members.

The family members that can be included in the NLPNP application and subsequent permanent residence application include:

- Principal applicant;
- Spouse or common-law partner;
- Dependent child;
- Spouse or common-law partner's dependent child; and/or,
- A dependent child of a dependent child.

Applicants will have access to a document checklist on the OIM's website to be able to prepare the documents prior to initiating the application. This checklist is subject to revision over time and applicants are encouraged to ensure that the documents submitted are accurate at the time of application.

Applications not submitted within 90 days of the initiated date will expire and will no longer be available on the online application portal.

After submission of a complete application, a file number will be generated and applicants will receive regular dashboard updates as the application moves through the assessment process.

There is no application fee when applying to the NLPNP.