

REAL ID

What do I need?



Step 1	Step 2	Step 3		
<p>Name, Date of Birth & Authorized Presence Provide ONE:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • U.S. Birth Certificate, original or certified • Valid U.S. Passport or Passport Card • U.S. Consular Report of Birth Abroad, original or certified copy • Certificate of Naturalization or Citizenship <u>Above also Eligible for Enhanced*</u> • Unexpired Foreign Passport with valid Visa and I-94 arrival/departure record or valid I-551 stamp • Permanent Resident Card I-551 • Employment Authorization Document with documentation approved by Department of Homeland Security that specifically states valid U.S. lawful status as defined by 6 C.F.R. 37.3 <p><i>Documents must be original or certified by the issuing agency.</i></p>	<p>Social Security Number Provide ONE:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • U.S. Social Security Card • Federal or New York State Income Tax W-2 • Annual Social Security Statement • Federal or New York State Income Tax or Earning Statement <u>Above also Eligible for Enhanced*</u> • Social Security Number Ineligibility Letter from the Social Security Administration dated within 30 days of office visit (REAL ID only) <p><i>Must have full SSN & name. Documents must be original or certified by the issuing agency.</i></p>	<p>New York State Residency Provide TWO:</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Annual Social Security Statement • Current Homeowners/Renters Insurance • DMV Certificate of Residence • Federal or NYS Income Tax or Earning Statement (1099 or 1098) • Federal or NYS Income Tax W-2 • NYS Certificate of Title • NYS driver license, permit or non-driver ID • Postmarked mail dated within 90 days of visit </td> <td> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Property Deed • Current Property or School Tax Bill • Residential Lease • Credit Card Statement • U.S. Bank Statement • U.S. Pay Stub • U.S. Utility Bill • Voter Registration Notification Card • DMV Statement of Identity days of visit </td> </tr> </table> <p><i>Please see DMV form ID-44 for additional proofs of residency, requirements and date restrictions. DMV will not accept more than one document of the same type. Documents must be original or certified by the issuing agency.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Annual Social Security Statement • Current Homeowners/Renters Insurance • DMV Certificate of Residence • Federal or NYS Income Tax or Earning Statement (1099 or 1098) • Federal or NYS Income Tax W-2 • NYS Certificate of Title • NYS driver license, permit or non-driver ID • Postmarked mail dated within 90 days of visit 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Property Deed • Current Property or School Tax Bill • Residential Lease • Credit Card Statement • U.S. Bank Statement • U.S. Pay Stub • U.S. Utility Bill • Voter Registration Notification Card • DMV Statement of Identity days of visit
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Step 4	Important Information		
<p>Name Change Documents Provide ONE per name change:</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Original or Certified Marriage License (Government Issued) • Original or Certified Divorce Decree </td> <td> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Certificate of Naturalization • Certificate of Citizenship • Court Order </td> </tr> </table> <p><i>If your current name doesn't match the documents you submit, you must provide documentation linking all legal name changes. Documents must be original or certified by the issuing agency.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Original or Certified Marriage License (Government Issued) • Original or Certified Divorce Decree 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Certificate of Naturalization • Certificate of Citizenship • Court Order 	<p>Condition of Documents</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All documents must be in good, readable condition. DMV cannot accept any damaged or altered documents. Documents must be original or certified by the issuing agency. <p>Full Legal Name</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Your full legal name will appear on your card. <p>*Enhanced ID</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Available to U.S. Citizens only. It is a REAL ID compliant card that also allows you to cross U.S. borders by land or sea. It costs an additional \$30; Fees are subject to change. To apply for an Enhanced ID, follow the steps detailed within this document. Fees are subject to change.
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