


REAL ID



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Verification Requirements:

- 1. Identity**
- 2. Lawful Status**
- 3. Date of Birth**
- 4. Social Security Information**
- 5. Proof of Residence (two documents)**

Refer to **OMV Policy**, Requirements for Issuance of a Real ID Driver' License or Identification Card, for more information.

A Real ID driver's license or identification card will display a **gold circle with a star cutout**.

A Real ID driver's license or identification card **does not contain any additional electronic technology**.

Starting **May 7, 2025**, every air traveler will need a **Real ID-compliant license**, or another acceptable form of identification, for domestic air travel.

Visitors seeking access to military bases and almost all Federal facilities using their state-issued driver's licenses or identification cards must present proper identification issued by Real ID compliant states or a state that has received an extension. When planning a visit to a Federal facility or military base, visitors should contact the facility to determine what identification will be accepted.

Note: Applicants applying for a Real ID or Non-Real ID driver's license may be required to submit additional information based on their age and the class of license.

NON-REAL ID



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If you currently have a Louisiana driver's license or identification card, then you will only be required to present **one** document verifying your home address

Your driver's license or identification card **can be utilized** as your **proof of residency document** unless you are changing to a different address.

You will **not** be required to present a primary document such as a **birth certificate**.

A Non-Real ID driver's license or identification card will display **"NOT FOR FEDERAL IDENTIFICATION"**.

If you are applying for a first time driver's license or identification card, refer to **OMV Section 1, Policy 6.00**, Identification Requirements for required documentation for issuance.

Both a Real ID and Non-Real ID driver's license or identification card will allow you to enter federal facilities that do not require you to present identification (such as a post office), vote or register to vote, apply for or receive Federal or State benefits, to drive (valid driver's licenses only; not identification cards), access health or life preserving services (including hospitals and health clinics), law enforcement, or constitutionally protected activities (including a defendant's access to court proceedings), and participate in law enforcement proceedings or investigations.

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