

Arkansas Proof of Legal Presence and Proof of Identification for Voluntary Enhanced Security Noncommercial (NCL)/Commercial Driver's License (CDL)/ Identification Card (ID)

All new applicants for an Arkansas **Driver's license** or **Identification card** are required to provide proof of legal presence in the United States as well as proof of identity. One (1) **Primary Document** and one (1) **Secondary Document** or two (2) **Primary Documents** will be required.

To prove legal presence in the United States one of the following documents must be shown:

Primary Documents

- **U.S. Passport/U.S. Passport Card (MUST BE VALID/NON-EXPIRED)**
- **U.S. Birth Certificate of Birth/Birth Abroad (US only)(NO BIRTHCARDS ACCEPTED)** Must be original or certified copy, have a raised seal and be issued by the Bureau of Vital Statistics or State Board of Health.
- **Photo Document from DHS** -(Department of Homeland Security, US Citizenship and Immigration Services) (No Border Crossing Cards)- **Must Verify through Systematic Alien Verification for Entitlements (S.A.V.E)**
- **U.S. Visa with Valid Foreign Passport**- appropriate INS document is also required-**Must verify through S.A.V.E**
- **Employment Authorization Card -Must verify through S.A.V.E**
- **Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) Documents, as follows:-**
Certificate of Naturalization (N-550, N-570, or N-578).
Certificate of Citizenship (N-560, N-561, or N-645).
Resident Alien Card/Permanent Resident Card (I-151, I-551, AR-3, AR-3A, or AR-103). **Must verify through S.A.V.E**

If your name is different from what is on the Birth Certificate, you will need to bring a document which changes name, Marriage License, Divorce Decree, specifically stating that you may change your name, or a court order for name change. **(Name change affidavits may be accepted for missing linking documents.**

For proof-of-identity to obtain **Duplicate** driver's license or ID card, each applicant must show either:

- Two (2) Secondary documents, or
- One (1) primary document.

Secondary Documents (Proof of Identity)

- **Out of State Driver's License (If NCL are expired more than 31 days must see Arkansas State Police for testing, CDL up to 1 year)**
- **Out of State ID (If ID is expired more than 31 days customer must bring in One (1) Primary Document and one (1) Secondary Document or two (2) Primary Documents.**
- Photo Work/School ID
- Concealed Handgun License
- Pilot's License
- Vehicle Registration/Title
- Certified School Record/Transcript/ Home School Notice of Intent Form
- Prison Release Document/Sentencing Order
- Bureau of Indian Affairs Card/Indian Treaty Card (Tribal ID Card is NOT acceptable)
- Military ID/ Military Dependent w /photo.
- Court Order (must be sealed)
- Armed Forces Discharge Papers (DD214).
- Health Insurance Card (**Issued by Insurance Company**) Medicare/Medicaid are accepted & AR Kids up to age 19.
- Tax Document received from IRS
- Marriage Certificate/License
- Parent Affidavit (**Parent/guardian must appear in person, prove his/her identity regarding the child's identity**).