



What Else is the Delaware DMV Doing to Secure Your ID?

New driver license and identification card rules are just one of many things your DMV is doing to ensure your identity is secure. We are also:

- Updating the look and security of our driver licenses and identification cards to make them extremely difficult to replicate.
- Taking driver license or identification card photos at the beginning of the issuance process.
- Comparing all driver license and identification card photos to our facial recognition database to ensure the person standing in front of us is not trying to steal someone else's identity.
- Electronically verifying all source documentation for authenticity using our state of the art document verification system.
- Producing and issuing our driver licenses and identification cards from a highly secure card production room.
- Providing fraudulent document recognition training for all DMV frontline staff.

Go Straight to the Source

To find out more about the issues discussed in this brochure, we recommend the following resources.

Delaware's new federally compliant driver licenses and identification cards:

SecureID.dmv.de.gov or call toll free 877.477.7117

Driver Licensing and Security:

American Association of Motor Vehicle Administrators
aamva.org

Identity Theft:

US Postal Inspection Service
postalinspectors.uspis.gov

Highway Safety:

AAA Foundation for Traffic Safety: Unlicensed to Kill
aaafoundation.org/pdf/UnlicensedToKill2.pdf

DMV Locations

Delaware City Division of Motor Vehicles

2101 Mid County Drive
New Castle, DE 19720
302.326.5000

Greater Wilmington Division of Motor Vehicles

2230 Hessler Boulevard
New Castle, DE 19720
302.434.3200

Dover Division of Motor Vehicles

303 Transportation Circle
P.O. Box 698
Dover, DE 19903
302.744.2500

Georgetown Division of Motor Vehicles

23737 DuPont Blvd.
Georgetown, DE 19947
302.853.1000



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SECURE ID CARD

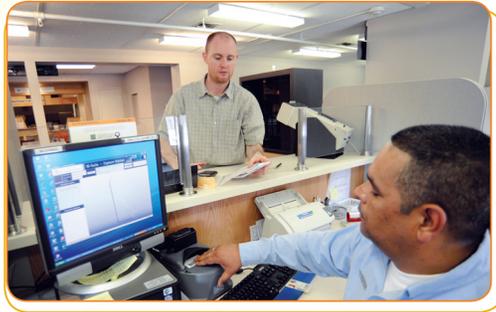
- ✓ Collect it!
- ✓ Bring it!
- ✓ Secure it!

The Delaware Division of Motor Vehicles is now issuing more secure, federally compliant driver licenses and identification cards.

SecureID.dmv.de.gov

New Rules for Applying for or Renewing Your License or ID

Delaware has new rules that affect what you will need to bring to your local motor vehicle office when applying for or renewing your driver license or identification card. These rules were effective July 1, 2010. So now's the time to find out what documents you will need to COLLECT and BRING with you so you can SECURE your driver license or identification card.



First time Delaware applicants and existing driver license or identification card holders should expect to provide source documents as proof of identity, legal presence in the United States, and current residence in the state of Delaware.

For existing driver license and identification card holders, this is a one-time revalidation of the source documents everyone is asked to present when first applying for a driver license or identification card. This reevaluation will enable the Division of Motor Vehicles (DMV) to ensure your identity.

Why the Changes?

The answer is simple—for your security and convenience. The new card meets the requirements of the 9-11 Commission, which was formed following terrorist attacks on the United States in 2001. These requirements were aimed at improving our nation's security. One powerful and challenging requirement was to develop federal identification standards for states to follow when issuing driver licenses and identification cards. By complying with these standards, in addition to driving authority and identification, you will be able to use

your driver license or identification card for domestic flights, entering federal facilities, and other official federal purposes. Without a compliant driver license or identification card, you will be required to obtain a U.S. passport to do these things, and obtaining a passport is going to be more time consuming and expensive for you.

The Link Between National Security and the DMV

Since September 11, 2001, the importance of valid driver licenses and identification cards has taken on a new dimension – national security.

Lawbreakers who cannot, or will not, provide valid identification or other required documentation often try to beat the system. People have successfully used fake names and counterfeit documents to get driver licenses and identification cards.

The DMV has the responsibility to ensure that the person presenting a driver license or identification card is who they claim to be.

What About Identity Theft?

Identity theft happens when someone commits a crime using personal information such as your name, driver license, social security number, credit card number or other ID without your permission. Last year alone, almost 10 million Americans were victims of identity theft (US Federal Trade Commission). Identity theft victims spend an average of 600 hours and \$1,400 recovering from the crime (Identity Theft Resource Center). Improving the standards for accurate identification will make it more difficult for someone to obtain a driver license or identification card using another person's name.



What Documents Will You Need to Bring?

Come to the DMV prepared. Review the DMV's source documentation lists to find out what you need to COLLECT and BRING with you when applying for a SECURE driver license or identification card. Doing this in advance will allow the DMV to process your application more efficiently.

All source documentation must be valid and unexpired and must be the original or a certified copy.

In order to obtain your new driver license or ID card, you will need to collect and bring a few important source documents to provide proof of:

- Identity (Name and Date of Birth)
- U.S. citizenship/Legal presence
- Social Security Number
- 2 proofs of Delaware residency

Please note: If your current name differs from your birth name, such as in the case of marriage, additional documentation may be required (e.g. marriage license, divorce decree or court order)

For a complete list of acceptable source documents as well as an automated document selection guide to assist you in determining which source documents you need to collect and bring with you, visit our website at www.secureid.dmv.de.gov and click on "Get Started" or "Document Guide".