

Driver's License and I.D. Card Basic Document Requirements

These documents will work for most, but not all people. For a complete list go to mvd.newmexico.gov.

*Your name on identification documents **MUST CLOSELYMATCH** all other documents. If the names do not match, you must bring documentation of name change such as Marriage License or Divorce Decree.*

For a Real ID Driver's License you will need:

1. Your Identification Number:
 - a. Social Security Card **OR**
 - b. Form W2 Wage & Tax Statement
2. **One Proof of your identity** (*your identity document will determine the name on your license or ID*) unless you also bring in documentation your name change as noted above:
 - a. Birth Certificate **OR**
 - b. A valid unexpired Passport
3. **Two of the following documents establishing your physical address (Not a P.O. Box):**
 - a. Utility Bill dated within 60 days.
 - b. Bank or Credit Card Statement dated within 60 days
 - c. Home owner's or renter's Insurance statement dated within 60 days
 - d. Rental Agreement or Residential Lease dated within 60 days
 - e. A current, local property tax statement or mortgage document
 - f. Document from an educational institution dated within 60 days

For a Driving Authorization Card (DAC) or I.D. Card (Can't be used for federal purposes.) you will need:

1. Your identification number:
 - a. Valid Driver's License (It cannot be expired even for one day) **OR**
 - b. Social Security Card **OR**
 - c. Form W2 Wage & Tax Statement
2. **One Proof of your identity for a four year DAC:**
 - a. Domestic or Foreign Birth Certificate **OR**
 - b. A valid unexpired Domestic or Foreign Passport
3. **Two documents establishing your physical address (Not a P.O. Box):**
 - a. Utility Bill dated within 60 days.
 - b. Bank or Credit Card Statement dated within 60 days
 - c. Home owner's or renter's Insurance statement dated within 60 days
 - d. Rental Agreement or Residential Lease dated within 60 days
 - e. A current, local property tax statement or mortgage document
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Residency documents such as utility bills should be changed to match your identity documents. Fingerprinting will be required if the applicant does not have a current valid driver's license and does not provide documentation of lawful status (birth certificate or valid passport).

These documents are needed if the name on your identity document doesn't match your current legal name. Other required documents may have variations of name as long as they are common variations (i.e. Robert = Bob, William = Bill, etc.)