

Do I Need To Have A

REAL ID

NO

REAL ID is optional for Pennsylvania residents.

**If you decide to not get a REAL ID,
you must have another form of
federally-acceptable identification
(such as a valid passport or military ID).**

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You DO NOT Need A

REAL ID

to:

➤ **Apply For/Receive
Federal Benefits**

(Social Security Benefits,
Veterans' Benefits, etc.)

➤ **Drive**

➤ **Vote**

➤ **Access Hospitals**

➤ **Visit the Post Office**

➤ **Access Federal
Courts**

You Can Still Access
Federal Courts **WITHOUT A**

REAL ID

**In fact, you
WILL NOT NEED
A REAL ID
wherever identification
is not currently required to
access a federal facility.**

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Why Would I Need A

REAL ID

Beginning October 1, 2020, REAL IDs will be Required to:

- ▶ Board Domestic Commercial Flights
- ▶ Enter a Federal Building
- ▶ Enter a Military Base that Requires ID

What Do I Need To Get My

REAL ID

To Obtain Your REAL ID You Will Need to Provide:

- ▶ **Proof of ID** (Original or certified copy of a birth certificate or a valid U.S. Passport)
- ▶ **Social Security Card**
- ▶ **2 Proofs of Current Address** (Utility bill, a recent bank statement or unexpired PA license or ID)
- ▶ **Proof of All Legal Name Changes**

Do I Need A REAL ID?



Do you travel by airplane or visit federal facilities?

YES

NO



Do you have a valid passport, military ID or other federally approved document?

YES

You **DO NOT** need a REAL ID

However, you will need to use your federally approved document to board a domestic flight or enter secure facilities.

NO

You **WILL NEED** A REAL ID

You need to visit a PennDOT Driver License Center with the required documents.

SAVE TIME: Fill out your driver license application online before you visit!

Federal Requirements go into effect 10/1/2020



You Will Receive A Federal "Non-Compliant" Card:

- is **NOT** allowed for boarding a plane starting October 1, 2020
- is **NOT** allowed to enter a secure federal facility starting October 1, 2020
- May require showing further evidence of legal presence to purchase a firearm



How Much
Does A

REAL ID

Cost?

\$30.00 **One-Time Fee**

and a

\$30.50 **Renewal Fee**

Total Cost: \$60.50

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REAL ID

vs Passport

New REAL ID

\$60.50

REAL ID Renewal

\$30.50 (current rate)

Valid for 4 Years*

*The expiration date of the initial REAL ID product will include any time remaining on your current license or ID card, plus an additional four years, unless you are over 65 and have a two-year license.

New Passport

\$110 (application fee)

\$35 (execution fee)

\$145 (Total)

Passport Renewal

\$110

Valid for 10 Years