KNOW BEFORE YOU GO
Prior to visiting a DC DMV Service Center, visit the agency’s website and use the Document Verification Guide to know what documents you need to complete your transaction successfully. It will prevent you from making unnecessary trips to DC DMV. The Document Verification Guide is online at https://dmv.dc.gov/page/dc-dmv-document-verification-guide. The new credential will be phased in over the next eight years as you renew.

SERVICE CENTER LOCATIONS

BENNING RIDGE SERVICE CENTER
4525 Benning Road, SE
Washington, DC 20019

RHODE ISLAND SERVICE CENTER
2350 Washington Place, NE (Located in Rhode Island Row) Suite 112N
Washington, DC 20018

SOUTHWEST SERVICE CENTER
95 M Street, SW
Washington, DC 20024

ROAD TEST and CDL OFFICE ONLY
1205 Brentwood Road, NE
Washington, DC 20018

GEORGETOWN SERVICE CENTER
(Located in Georgetown Park Mall next to DSW)
3270 M Street, NW
Canal Level
Washington, DC 20007

UPDATE ADDRESS
When you move, you are required to notify DC DMV of your current address within five days. Use DC DMV's online services to update your address at http://dmv.dc.gov/node/1118998. You may also update your address through the mail. Use the Document Verification Guide to confirm the requirements for proof of residency and mail it along with the required fees to:

DC DMV
Attn: Change of Address
PO Box 90120
Washington, DC 20090

ORGAN DONOR
If you have chosen to be an organ donor, your credential will have a double heart symbol.

VETERAN INDICATOR
Starting November 26, 2013, veterans who provide DC DMV with the required documentation can have VETERAN embedded on their credential.
NEW CENTRAL ISSUANCE PROCESS

Effective November 26, 2013, the District of Columbia Department of Motor Vehicles (DC DMV) is moving to a new driver license and identification card design, as well as a central issuance process. DC DMV licenses and identification cards will no longer be issued over the counter. You will receive a temporary license or identification card valid for 45 days, and the new credential will be mailed to you. DC DMV will not mail to PO Boxes. The new DC DMV driver license or identification card should arrive in approximately two weeks. The new card design and central issuance process, a motor vehicle industry best practice, will decrease fraud.

TEMPORARY DRIVER LICENSE

This Temporary License is valid for 45 days. The Temporary License, including your photo, is accepted as identification and serves as your driver license and your card arrives in the mail. Carry the paper Temporary License with you while driving and show it to the police officer if requested. If you have not received your driver license within 15 days, please call 311, the Citywide Call Center, or (202) 737-4404.

NEW DRIVER LICENSE and IDENTIFICATION CARD FEATURES

DRIVER LICENSE FRONT

IDENTIFICATION CARD FRONT

UNDER 21 VERTICAL FORMAT

Vertical format denotes cardholder is under 21 years old.

UNDER 21 DRIVER LICENSE

UNDER 21 IDENTIFICATION CARD

FEATURES

Type of credential noted at the top as DRIVER LICENSE or IDENTIFICATION CARD.

1a Purple and DL in oval indicate driver license
1b Green and ID in oval indicate identification card
2 Signature
3 Endorsements
4 Restrictions
5 District of Columbia Seal
6 Ghost photo
7 Primary photo
8 Veteran identifier
9 Organ donor symbol
10 Expiration date