

ADULT PASSPORT RENEWALS

(Expired passports may be renewed by mail up to 5 years after expiration)

For information or questions, visit travel.state.gov or contact the National Passport Information Center (NPIC) at 1-877-487-2778 (TDD/TTY: 1-888-874-7793) or NPIC@state.gov.

Confirm you meet the requirements:

- I can submit my most recent U.S. passport book and/or card with this application.
- I was at least 16 years old when my most recent U.S. passport book and/or card was issued.
- I was issued my most recent U.S. passport book and/or card less than 15 years ago.
- The U.S. passport book and/or card that I am renewing has not been mutilated, damaged, or reported lost or stolen.
- My U.S. passport was not limited to less than the normal ten-year validity period due to passport damage/mutilation, multiple passport thefts/losses, or non-compliance with 22 C.F.R. 51.41. (Refer to the last page of your U.S. passport book for endorsement information.)
- My name has not changed since my most recent U.S. passport book and/or card was issued.

--OR--

- My name has changed by marriage or court order, and I can submit proper certified documentation to reflect my name change (such as a certified copy of a marriage certificate, or court order). Visit travel.state.gov/namechange for a complete description of accepted documents.

If you respond "Yes" to the all the requirements about your most recent passport, you can mail-in the following documents to the U.S. Department of State:

- A renewal application [DS-82 – click here](#)
- Your most recent U.S. passport book and/or card
- Include name change documentation, if applicable
- Passport photo taken within the last 6 months
- Check or money order payable to the "US Department of State"
- Current passport fees [Click here](#)
- Instructions and mailing addresses are on page 3 of the DS-82 renewal application

If you do not meet these requirements to renew, please click here: [Adult Applying](#)

[U.S. Department of State Renewal Video](#)