

IDENTIFICATION – STATE ISSUED PHOTO ID

The requirements for obtaining PA Photo ID depend on whether you have ever had a PA photo ID before:

- If you previously had a PA ID card and it is NOT expired yet, you can go in person to a PennDOT office with a Birth Certificate and a check or money order for \$13.50, and the new ID will be issued the same day.
- If you previously had a PA ID card and it HAS expired, you need to fill out an application for a renewal (called a DL-54B). You should mail that form and a check or money order for \$13.50 to:

PennDOT,
P.O. Box 68272
Harrisburg, PA 17106-8272

It will take 10 business days to process your application. After that, they will send you a camera card. You should take the camera card to PennDOT (at 801 Arch Street, or other location) and provide them with your Social Security Number. You should also bring your Birth Certificate and Social Security Card with you, just in case. They will take your picture and provide you with a new card that day.

- If you have never previously had a PA ID card, you will need to bring:
 - Proof of Identity: Birth Certificate (or Certificate of U.S. Citizenship, Certificate of Naturalization, or Passport)
 - Social Security Card
 - TWO Proofs of Residency: for example, a lease, mortgage, utility bill, or tax statement. If you don't have any of these documents, bring a letter from your shelter, mail from Social Security or Welfare, or other official mail that goes to that address.
- **Fees: Every Monday at 4:00 p.m. outside the Central Library at 19th and Vine, a non-profit called Restart will provide checks for homeless persons who need State ID. In order to get a check, you must have referral letter from your shelter or from Outreach. Restart is run by Adam Bruckner of Philadelphia Kixx soccer team.**