

Department of Motor Vehicle General Information

The only item from DMV that an inmate can receive while incarcerated, is a “Renewal of a Valid Drivers License.”

Everything else including duplicate licenses and non-driver photo identification must be done in person.

Instructions for renewing a valid driver's license by mail:

- **DMV must have your photo on file** (because you obtained or renewed a license in Connecticut since 1994). If there is no photo on file, you may not renew your license by mail.
- If you have a **Connecticut license that is about to expire**, the license may be renewed by mail.
- **Your current Connecticut license must contain your photo.**
- The photo you have on file from your previous license will be on the license you receive through the mail.

To obtain an application, please provide the following information:

- Name
- Date of birth
- Connecticut address (Connecticut Home of Record)
- Driver license number
- Out of state/country address
- Social Security Number (optional)
- Daytime phone number (optional)
- Inmate number
- Name of Facility where incarcerated
- Address of facility where incarcerated

Mail or fax it to:

**Department of Motor Vehicles
License Processing Unit
60 State Street
Wethersfield, CT 06161
Phone: 860-263-5148
Fax: 860-263-5593**

When the application arrives by mail:

- sign the application
- return it with the fee indicated
- your license will be mailed to you