

Adult Renewal

Renew by mail using [Form DS-82](#). If you are applying on Form DS-82, acceptance facilities will not take your application. You must mail in your renewal application. We recommend using a trackable delivery method when mailing in your passport application.

Your most recent passport must comply with all five of these requirements in order to use Form DS-82:

1. Is submitted with your application
2. Is undamaged (other than normal "wear and tear")
3. Was issued when you were age 16 or older
4. Was issued within the last 15 years
5. Was issued in your current name (or you can document your name change with an original or certified copy of your marriage certificate, divorce decree, or court order)

If any of the above statements do not apply to you, use form [DS-11](#). Please refer to the homepage and download the documents for New Adult Passport for instructions.

Visit www.travel.state.gov to obtain information and forms referenced on this page.