

Social Security Card

1. Fill out this form: <http://www.socialsecurity.gov/forms/ss-5.pdf>

- Leave #2 blank
- For #5 you are a Legal Alien Allowed to Work
- Leave #12 blank
- #18 is “self”

2. Go to the Social Security Office at

2 PENN CTR STE 2000B
1500 JFK BLVD
PHILADELPHIA, PA 19102

They're open Monday-Friday 9am-3:30pm. You usually have to wait in line for about 5-10 minutes and then you will be called to go to a window where you will tell the clerk that you are there to apply for a Social Security Card. After that you will be giving a number then you may have a seat you have to wait until your number is called to talk to them in more details and give them your completed Application. The entire process usually takes at least 2 hours so plan to be there for a while.

3. Bring:

- Work Authorization Card
- Passport
- I-797C receipts of the I-130 and I-485 applications (green sheets that you got from immigration)
- ID
- Copy of birth certificate

4. They will mail him his card about 2 weeks after you complete this process.

The Social Security Administration's FAQ's are really helpful: <https://faq.ssa.gov/link/portal/34011/34019/Article/3755/How-do-I-apply-for-a-new-or-replacement-Social-Security-number-card?>

Driver's License

After (NAME/You) gets his/her Social Security card, he/she/you can apply for a PA driver's license. Even though he/she/you has an international driver's license he/she/you should still do this at some point because not all police officers understand international licenses and it'll make his/her/your life easier.

1. Get a doctor to fill out this form: http://www.dmv.state.pa.us/pdotforms/dl_forms/dl-180.pdf

You can go to the same place where you got the medical exam for immigration, on the first floor of our building at 1420 Walnut.

2. Study the Driver's Manual: http://www.dmv.state.pa.us/drivers_manual/pa_driversman.shtml you will need to take the test in order to get his license.

3. Once your ready to take the test, go to a driver's license center and bring:

- Social Security Card
- Work Authorization Card
- Passport
- I-797C receipts of the I-130 and I-485 applications (green sheets that you got from immigration)
- At least 2 bills or other proof of residency listed on the 2nd page of the DL-180 form.
- Check for \$34.50

4. Once they say that you have all the right documentation they will give you an eye screening and then you will take the Learner's Permit test. If you passes the test then you will be issued a Learner's Permit. The Learner's Permit is good for one year. If you are under 18 years old you will have to wait 6 weeks to take the road test but if you are over the age of 18 years old then you don't have to wait to take the driving portion of the test.

5. Schedule a road test. You can either do that here: https://www.dot33.state.pa.us/exam_scheduling/eslogin.jsp#top?20141002121550437=20141002121550437 or by calling [1-800-423-5542](tel:1-800-423-5542)

6. When you go to take the road test you should bring:

- Learner's Permit

- Work Authorization Card
- Proof of Vehicle Registration for the car he's driving that day
- Proof of Insurance for the car he's driving that day

7. Once you pass the road test they will give you, your driver's license.

8. In the future, when you go to renew your driver's license, you will still need to bring either your current Work Authorization or your Green Card, whichever one is current and your Passport.

A lot of the steps that I have listed above can be found here: <http://www.dmv.state.pa.us/teenDriversCenter/obtainingLearnersPermit.shtml>