

Ages 21 to 25 Child and/or Step-Child– ID Issuance/Renewal

PLEASE NOTE: IF A DEPENDENT'S ID CARD IS LOST OR STOLEN, SPONSOR MUST INDICATE THIS IN BLOCK 21 OF DD FORM 1172-2.

College Student (Age 21 Through Day Before 23rd Birthday)

1. **Every ID issuance** requires that the sponsor is present OR a Power of Attorney signed by the sponsor must be presented OR sponsor may complete the DD Form 1172-2 with an official notary signature (for full-time students: the sponsor cannot sign the form online (<https://idco.dmdc.osd.mil/idco/>) unless they have already updated their dependents eligibility in DEERS with a school letter). **THE SPONSOR MUST INCLUDE A STATEMENT THAT "OVER 50% SUPPORT IS PROVIDED" in block 21 of the DD Form 1172-2, or we will not be able to issue a card.** The DD Form 1172-2 can be used for ID card issuance within 90 days from the date of the sponsor's signature. The ID Card can be renewed within 90 DAYS prior to the expiration date.
2. Child/step-child – Two (2) valid, unexpired, forms of identification listed in the Federal Information Processing Standards 201-2, and one form **MUST** be a photo ID.
3. A letter with semester dates, and anticipated graduation date, from the school registrar's office certifying full-time enrollment OR Certification from The National Student Clearing House proving full-time enrollment. (MUST be enrolled full-time at one college).
 - College MUST be an accredited school leading towards a degree of higher education and the sponsor MUST provide over 50% support.
 - If the student is enrolled in the FINAL semester prior to graduation AND the classes are required for graduation, than the student may carry less than a full-time load.
 - ID card will be issued to graduation date, if stated on the school letter. If anticipated graduation date is not stated, ID Card will be issued to the day before 23rd birthday.
 - National Student Clearing House website – (<http://www.studentclearinghouse.org>).

****If extending eligibility during Summer/Winter breaks Semesters the following applies in addition:**

1. A letter from registrar or certification from the clearing house verifying full-time enrollment for the **previous & upcoming** semesters must be provided (The combination of 2 letters is acceptable)
2. Letters for the upcoming semester indicating **tentative enrollment/pre-enrollment/advanced registration/acceptance but not verified as a full-time student/etc., will only allow extension through the 30th day of the month that the semester begins**; 30 August for Summer break or 30 January for Winter break.

Tricare Young Adult (TYA) (Age 21 Through Day Before 26th Birthday)

1. Tricare Young Adult (TYA) MUST be purchased through Tricare prior to visiting the DEERS office.
2. DD Form 1172-2 required as stated above, however it may be signed online at <https://idco.dmdc.osd.mil/idco/> as well.
3. Child/step-child – Two (2) valid, unexpired, forms of identification listed in the Federal Information Processing Standards 201-2, and one form MUST be a photo ID.
 - Tricare Young Adult (TYA) MUST reflect in DEERS and be effective at the time of the ID issuance.
 - *Note* If DEERS does not reflect that Tricare Young adult is effective, our system will physically not allow us to generate/create the dependent ID card.
 - Tricare Young Adult (TYA) can be purchased at:
 - (877) 874-2213
 - <http://www.tricare.mil/tya>

Note For Active Duty and Reserve Marines, please ensure you visit the IPAC to enroll dependent(s)