

Transportation Worker Identification Credentials (TWIC) Renewal Procedures



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Beginning August 30, 2012, TSA will offer eligible TWIC holders the opportunity to replace their expiring TWICs with a three-year extended expiration date (EED) TWIC for a reduced fee of \$60.

TSA is offering the TWIC option to make the re-enrollment process more cost-effective for those individuals who are U.S. citizens or U.S. nationals and whose TWICs will expire on or before December 31, 2014

NO BACKGROUND CHECK REQUIRED !

The EED TWIC is being offered to those workers who already have a TWIC card (U.S. citizens and U.S. Nationals only) .

The fee for an EED TWIC is \$60, rather than \$129.75 for a standard TWIC.

The EED TWIC allows current holders the convenience to order the replacement card over the phone and make only one trip to the enrollment center to pick up and activate their card.

Am I eligible for an EED TWIC?

To be eligible for an EED TWIC, an individual must meet all three of the following conditions:

- ♦ Be a current holder of a TWIC. Individuals enrolling for a TWIC for the first time are not eligible for an EED TWIC;***
- ♦ Have a valid TWIC that expires on or before December 31, 2014. Individuals whose TWICs expire after December 31, 2014 or whose TWICs have been revoked are not eligible for an EED TWIC;***
- ♦ Be a U.S. citizen or U.S. national. Individuals who are not currently U.S. citizens or U.S. nationals are not eligible for an EED TWIC.***



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What is meant by U.S. national?

The term “U.S. national” encompasses both U.S. citizens and non-citizen nationals of the United States (primarily American Samoan).

What do I need to do to renew my TWIC?

- ♦ *U.S. citizens and U.S. nationals whose TWICs will expire on or before December 31, 2014 will have two options to renew their TWIC:*
- ♦ *A three-year EED TWIC – \$60 replacement card fee for the three-year EED TWIC. Current TWIC card holders who are U.S. citizens/nationals may apply for the TWIC over the phone at 1-866-347-8942 and make a single trip to a TWIC enrollment center to pick up and activate their cards (No Background Check Required),*
or
- ♦ *A five-year Standard TWIC – fee of \$129.75. This option requires the standard TWIC enrollment process (This Option Requires a Background Check) and two visits to an enrollment center.*

TWIC holders who are not eligible for an EED TWIC (including Lawful Permanent Residents of the United States) must re-enroll for the standard five-year TWIC.

*Apply/call the TWIC enrollment center
(1-866-347-8942) at least
6 weeks before your existing TWIC expires !*



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