

PIV Credential Identity Verification Matrix

All identity source documents shall be bound to the applicant and shall be neither expired nor cancelled. **PIV and PIV-I credentials require two forms of identification, one primary and one secondary. The secondary identity source document may be from the primary or secondary list, but if from the primary list it cannot be of the same type as the primary identity source document. For more information see the [USAccess Acceptable Forms of ID Guide](#). (FIPS 201-3)**

Primary Identity Source Document (All documents must be valid, unexpired)	Secondary Identity Source Document (All documents must be valid, unexpired)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A U.S. Passport or U.S. Passport Card • A Permanent Resident Card or Alien Registration Receipt Card (Form I-551) • A foreign passport • An Employment Authorization Document that contains a photograph (Form I-766) • A Driver's license or ID card issued by a State or possession of the United States provided it contains a photograph • A U.S. Military card • A U.S. Military dependent's ID card <p><i>Updated 7/17/24</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A U.S. Social Security Card issued by the Social Security Administration. • An original or certified copy of a birth certificate issued by a state, county, municipality authority, possession or outlying possession of the U.S. bearing an official seal • An ID card issued by a federal, state, or local government agency or entity, provided it contains a photograph. • A voter's registration card • A U.S. Coast Guard Merchant Mariner Card • A Certificate of U.S. Citizenship (Form N-560 or N-561) • A Certificate of Naturalization (Form N-550 or N-570) • A U.S. Citizen ID Card (Form I-197) • An Identification Card for Use of Resident Citizen in the United States (Form I-179) • A Congressional Identification (ID) that meets FIPS 201-3 requirements • A Certification of Birth Abroad or Certification of Report of Birth issued by the Department of State (Form FS-545 or Form DS-1350) • A Temporary Resident Card (Form I-688) • An Employment Authorization Card (Form I-688A) • A Reentry Permit (Form I-327) • A Refugee Travel Document (Form I-571) • An Employment authorization document issued by Department of Homeland Security (DHS) • An Employment Authorization Document issued by DHS with photograph (Form I-688B) • A Driver's license issued by a Canadian government entity • A Native American tribal document • VA Health Benefit Card