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OVERVIEW

Marriage is a personal relation, arising out of a civil contract to which the consent of parties capable of making it is necessary. Consent alone does not constitute a marriage; it must be followed by a solemnization. Complete the following application to obtain a license to marry in the state of South Dakota.

Both parties must be present and show acceptable identification such as:

- a valid passport
- federal, state, military, or tribal photo identification
- certified birth certificate along with current school or employment photo ID or;
- a certified birth certificate along with a U.S. Department of Treasury Form 4029 that is completed. (SDCL 25-1-10.1)

Marriage License	\$40
Certified Copy of Marriage Certificate	\$15

The license to marry is valid only in the state of South Dakota and will become void and of no effect unless the marriage is solemnized within 90 days from the purchase of your license.

South Dakota law does not permit marriage of those under 16 years of age. Individuals the age of 16 and 17 must have parental consent prior to issuance of the license.

Once you are married, the individual who solemnizes the marriage must return the license to the Register of Deeds within 10 days. If not returned, there will be no record of your marriage.

Per **SDCL 25-1-30**, marriage may be solemnized by a justice of the Supreme Court, a judge of the circuit court, a magistrate, a mayor, either within or without the corporate limits of the municipality from which the mayor was elected, or any person authorized by a church to solemnize marriages. The South Dakota Department of Health does not maintain lists of individuals able to perform marriage ceremonies. Such information *may* be available from local Register of Deeds offices.

After solemnization and filing of your marriage license, a certified copy of the marriage certificate can be obtained from any South Dakota Register of Deeds Office or the Office of Vital Records.

For additional information on South Dakota marriage requirements, see **SDCL Chapter 25-1** or visit https://doh.sd.gov/records/marriage-requirements.

Information provided on this application is used to create a South Dakota marriage license. Once the Register of Deeds presents your marriage license, review the information listed to ensure accuracy.



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SPOUSE A INFORMATION							
First Name	Middle Name Last Name			Suffix			
Last Name After Solemniza	ation of Ma	arriage - Acceptable surr	names are S _l	pouse A's sui	rname, Spo	use B's su	rname or
Spouse A and Spouse B's hyph	henated surn	names. (SDCL 25-1-10.1)					
Residence Address - Physical	location of h	home NO PO BOXES	Apt #	Inside City	Limits?	Zip Code	•
				\square Yes			
				□No			
City	Co	ounty	State	Pł	hone Numb	er	
Birth State/Country			Date	e of Birth			Age
STATISTICAL INFORMATION -	– the inform	าation collected below is เ	used for stat	tistical purpo	ses only an	nd will not	be published
on a certified copy of the mar			,	' '	,		,
Sex Of Hispa	anic Origin?						
Male	NO- not Sp	Spanish/Hispanic/Latina					
Female		ican, Mexican American, (Chicano				
	YES- Puert						
	YES- Cubai		. / :	and Calmada	D	: C-l	
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	□ VIETNAMESE □ OTHER ASIAN □ JAPANESE □ OTHER PACIFIC ISLANDER						
JAPANESE							
# of Previous Marriages	Marital Sta	atus					
	□ Never M	Married Widowed	Divorced	☐ Annulm	nent		
☐ Never Married ☐ Widowed ☐ Divorced ☐ Annulment Disclosure of the social security number is mandatory pursuant to SDCL 25-7A-56.2 and the Social Security Act § 205(c)(2),							
42 U.S.C. § 405(c)(2) (1998). The social security number will be used by the Department of Social Services to facilitate							
collecting child support and locating child support obligors.							
Social Security Number:							
Social Security Number:							



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SPOUSE B INFORMATION					
First Name	Middle Name	Las	Last Name		
Last Name After Solemnizat	tion of Marriage - Acceptable surn	names are S	pouse A's surname. Sp	oouse B's surname or	
	enated surnames. (SDCL 25-1-10.1)		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		
Residence Address - Physical lo	ocation of home NO PO BOXES	Apt #	Inside City Limits?	Zip Code	
			□Yes		
	□No				
City	County	State	State Phone Number		
Birth State/Country		Dat	e of Birth	Age	
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	YES- Mexican, Mexican American,	Chicano			
	☐ YES- Puerto Rican				
	YES- Cuban				
	YES- other Spanish/Hispanic/Latina	a (e.g., Span	iard, Salvadoran, Dom	iinican, Columbian)	
Specify					
Race – select all that apply. Do	not use country of birth				
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MARRIAGE INFORMATION		
Marriage Location	Marriage City	Marriage County
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the marriage is solemnized within 90 da	ys from the purchase of your lice	ense.
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SIGNATURES		
violence and abuse. Neither of you is th	e property of the other. Physical r provisions of the criminal laws	same time to live within the marriage free from abuse, sexual abuse, battery and assault of a spouse of this state, are applicable to spouses and other
By initialing, I:		
that I am free to marry undeAgree that my electronic sig	er the laws of the state of South	nt, that the information provided above is correct and Dakota. resence of the Register of Deeds and signifies that I
Spou	se A Initials	Spouse B Initials