

Active Duty Military Personnel

Effective July 1, 2009, active duty military personnel residing in Kansas are no longer required to have a Kansas driver's license or Kansas ID card to be eligible for a concealed carry handgun license (CCHL). **However, they must have resided in Kansas for a minimum of six (6) months before application.** Applications submitted prior to meeting the 6-month residency requirement will be denied.

The CCHL application has been revised to allow active duty military with non-resident driver's licenses or ID cards to provide that information on the form, along with their military ID number. It is helpful to write "active duty military" in the occupation field on the application form.

Except for the Kansas driver's license/ID exemption, active duty military applicants must comply with all requirements; including the 8-hour training class, fees and submission of the application through the Sheriff in the county where they reside.

Please call the Concealed Carry Licensing Unit at 785-291-3765 if you have any questions concerning eligibility.