

Congratulations on your decision to apply for a marriage license in Wyoming.

Licenses are a requirement for all parties who are planning to be wed in Wyoming and the license covers a period of one year from the date of issuance.

The State of Wyoming's Department of Health Vital Statistics Services is directed by law to provide a standardized form to be used by every Clerk issuing a license in the state (W.S. 35-1- 401 (iii)) and to oversee the filing and registration of this form, which will become a part of the Wyoming Vital Records System (W.S. 35-1-401 (iv)).

To ensure uniformity, Vital Statistics Services has created the APPLICATION QUESTIONNAIRE for every party seeking a marriage license to review and complete. The questionnaire will assist the Clerk in entering the required data for the application. Each party requesting a license will complete this document. The data on this form is confidential and is necessary to ensure each party seeking a license has no legal impediment(s) that may prevent the Clerk from issuing a license.

It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure the data on this APPLICATION QUESTIONNAIRE is complete and accurate. Many of the questions on the APPLICATION QUESTIONNAIRE are used for statistical purposes and no personal data is released to any party outside the Department of Health. The marriage license is a legal document used to change names and is used by the U.S. Department of State for validating names for Passports and by the Wyoming Department of Transportation to verify legal names when issuing driver's licenses. Having the most up-to-date and accurate information on this document will ensure future legal actions and filings; such as, applying for driver's license or a Passport are less time consuming and burdensome to the party.

Questions regarding completing this form may be addressed on the Department of Health's website at:
<https://health.wyo.gov/admin/vitalstatistics/> or by calling Vital Statistics Services at 307-777-7264.