

REQUIREMENTS FOR A MARRIAGE LICENSE

El Paso County Clerk's Office
500 E. San Antonio
Suite 105
El Paso, Texas 79901

Phone (915) 546-2071
Hours: 0800-1730

To Obtain a Marriage License:

- Both applicants must be present and appear before the County Clerk.
- The cost of the license is \$72.00. Forms of Payment accepted are cash or credit. No debit cards or personal checks accepted. There is no provision to waive the \$72.00 license fee.
- Submit proof of identity and age as follows: A certified copy of a birth certificate or State, U.S. or a foreign government Drivers license, military ID, passport. The forms of identification presented will not be accepted if mutilated or altered.
- Both parties must provide all information as required on the application and as requested by the clerk.
- Both parties must take the oath printed on the application and sign the application in the presence of the clerk.
- If either applicant has been divorced by a decree of a Court of the State of Texas, the applicant must wait 30 days from the date of the final decree to apply for a marriage license unless waived by the court.
- The marriage ceremony may not take place during a 72-hour period after the issuance of the license. If an applicant is a member of the Armed Forces of the United States and on active duty may obtain a written waiver from a District Judge.
- The marriage ceremony must be performed before the 31st day after the license is issued, otherwise the Marriage License Will Expire.

If you have questions, contact the Fort Bliss Legal Assistance Office at (915) 568-7141/7150 for an appointment to speak with an attorney.