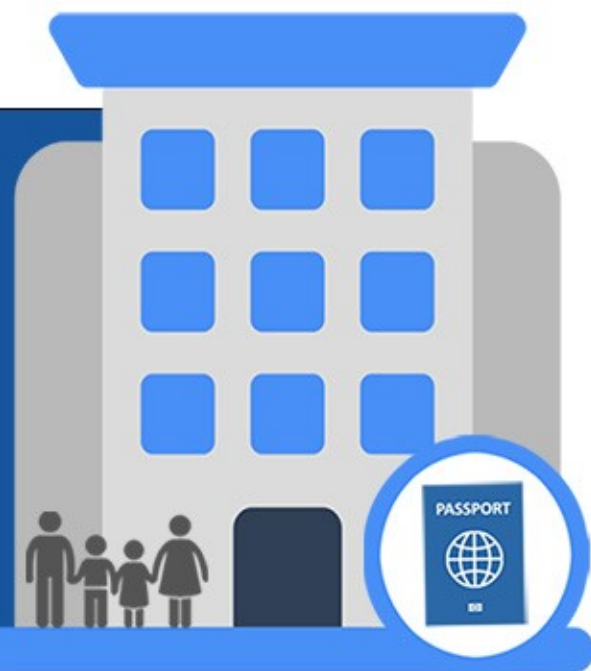




# After You Apply for a Passport



## Check your application status online

Enroll in e-mail updates to check the status of your passport request at [passportstatus.state.gov](https://passportstatus.state.gov). Your application may not be "In Process" until two weeks after you apply.



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## Scan this code

to enroll and check the status of your application



## If your travel plans change or you need your passport faster, contact:

National Passport  
Information Center  
1-877-487-2778  
TDD/TTY: 1-888-874-7793

## Stay safe while traveling abroad

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