

VOTING IN THE NOVEMBER 3 PRESIDENTIAL AND GENERAL ELECTION

I am an eligible Illinois voter and want to vote in Illinois

PLAN AHEAD

Please note: eligible voters can only vote once in the General Election. For example, if you chose to vote in Illinois absentee, you cannot vote in-person in Wisconsin on Nov. 3, 2020 as it is against the law.

Due to COVID-19, Absentee Voting is encouraged. Absentee voting is available and no excuse is required in Illinois. Voters must already be registered to vote in Illinois before requesting an absentee ballot. Please note the deadlines below.

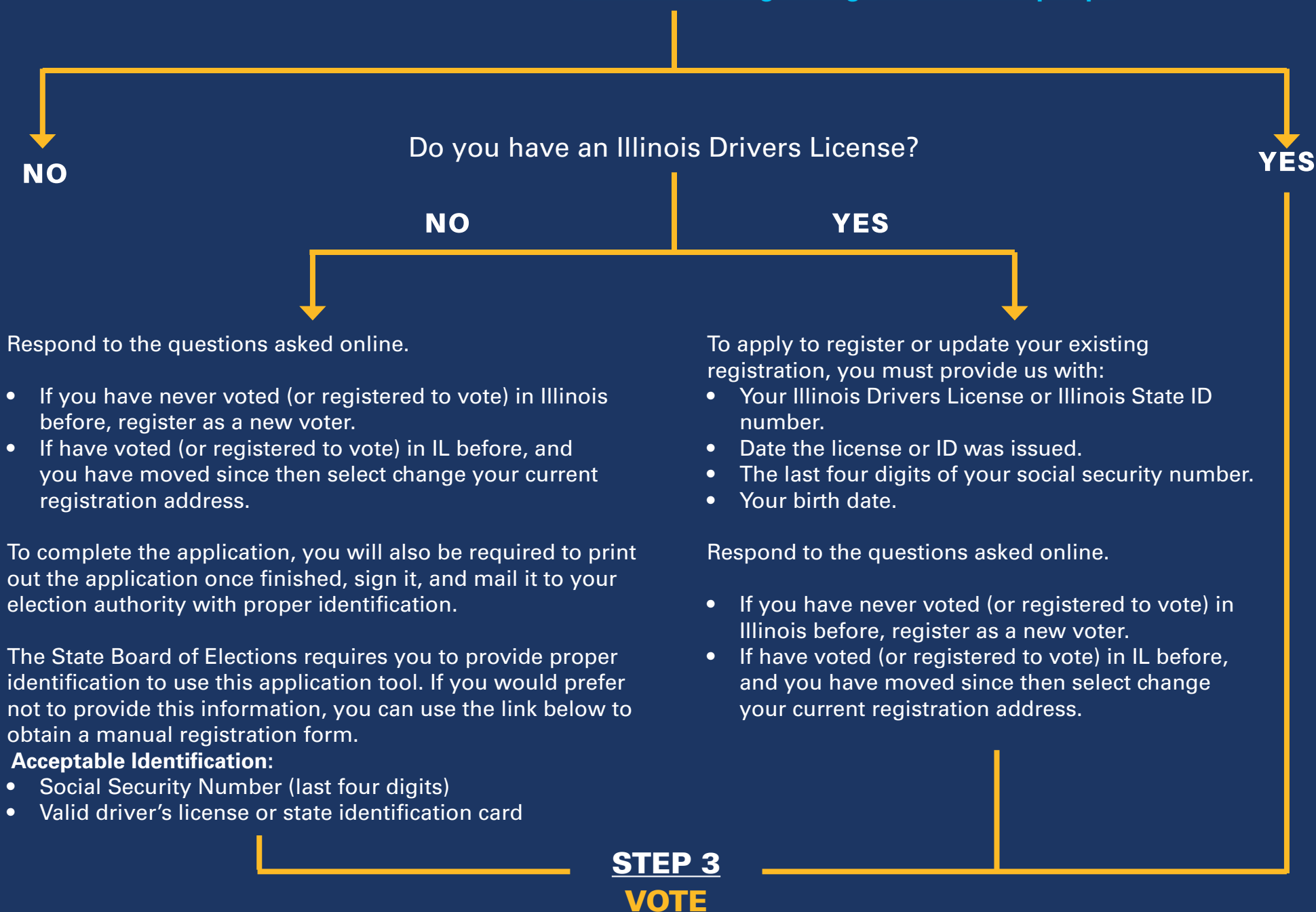
To vote in Illinois:

- You must be a United States citizen.
- You must be 17 years old on or before the date of the Primary Election and turn 18 on or before the date of the General or Consolidated Election.
- You must live in your election precinct at least 30 days prior to Election Day.
- You must not be serving a sentence of confinement in any penal institution as a result of a conviction.
- You may not claim the right to vote anywhere else.

In Illinois, the **deadline for registering by mail to vote is (postmarked by) Tuesday, Oct. 6, 2020.**

In Illinois, the **deadline for registering online to vote is Sunday, Oct. 18, 2020.** In Illinois, you can also register to vote in person at your polling location on Election Day, Nov. 3, 2020. Again, during this global pandemic, absentee voting is encouraged.

ARE YOU REGISTERED TO VOTE? Check ova.elections.il.gov/RegistrationLookup.aspx to find out.



VOTING EARLY Any qualified voter may vote prior to Election Day at any site established for early voting by the election authority. To find out how visit elections.il.gov/#News and select "Election Authority Contact Information." Nov. 2, 2020 is the last day for early voting.

VOTING BY MAIL Voters can request a vote by mail ballot through the mail or in person. The first day to file an application for a vote by mail ballot with the Election Authority is June 16, 2020. **All requests by mail must be received by the Election Authority by Oct. 29, 2020.** Go to elections.il.gov/#News and select "Voting by Mail" for more info. Please note if you request a mail ballot and receive it but decide to vote in person early or on Election Day this may result in casting a provisional ballot.

VOTING IN PERSON You can vote in person on Nov. 3, 2020 at your polling site. Visit elections.il.gov/#News and select "Voting on Election Day" for more info. Again, due to COVID-19, voters are encouraged to vote absentee and no excuse is required to do so in Illinois.