

Identification you can use to get health services

Ontario Disability Support Program (ODSP) and Ontario Works recipients must show identification to access health services from their:

- pharmacy
- optometrist
- publicly-funded physiotherapist
- allergist

Here are the approved types of identification you can use:

- Ontario Health Card (i.e., photo, non-photo or temporary card)
- Health card issued by another province or territory in Canada
- Other official document showing the health number (i.e., letter from the Ontario Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care or Citizenship and Immigration Canada (CIC))
- Valid Driver's Licence or Temporary Driver's Licence (issued by Ontario or other jurisdiction)
- Ontario Photo Identification Card
- Social Assistance (ODSP or Ontario Works) Statement of Assistance
- Birth Certificate from a Canadian province or territory
- Statement of Live Birth
- Confirmation from the Registrar General of Birth Registration
- Ontario Outdoors Card
- Age of Majority Card
- Secure Certificate of Indian Status (Status Card)
- Indian Band Records
- Valid Passport – Canadian or other country
- Canadian Citizenship Card
- Canadian Immigration Identification Card
- Permanent Resident Card
- Record of Landing
- Refugee Protection Claimant Document (CIC Form 1442)
- Determination of Eligibility for refugee status (CIC form IMM1442 or IMM5292)
- Temporary Resident Permit (CIC form IMM 1442 or IMM 1263)
- Firearms Possession and Acquisition Licence
- Military Record