"Quirks in How States Honor Each Other" Updated: 4/10/2025

Colorado, Florida, Maine, Michigan, New Hampshire, North Dakota, Pennsylvania and South Carolina Only honor Permit/Licenses from "Residents" of the states they honor. They will not honor any States Non-Resident Permit/Licenses.

Also See the Lic. My State Honors, <u>St. Honoring My Licenses</u>, <u>Permitless Carry States</u> or <u>Age to Carry</u> <u>With a Permit the State Honors or Under Permitless Carry</u> for more information and State Age Restrictions.

Alabama, Alaska, Arizona, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, New Hampshire, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Vermont, West Virginia, and Wyoming have Permitless Carry. Anyone who can legally possess a firearm under State and Federal Law can carry concealed without any type of permit. Check each states page for age or other restrictions that may apply.

<u>North Dakota</u> - Permitless Carry as of 8/1/2023 includes anyone who can legally possess a firearm. Previously they only had Permitless Carry for Residents of North Dakota.

Idaho has Standard and "Enhanced" Permits." Alaska, Arizona, Delaware, Minnesota, Nebraska, Nevada, Pennsylvania, and Washington only honor the Idaho "Enhanced Permit." Pennsylvania only honors an Idaho Resident Enhanced Permit.

Mississippi-Nevada – Nevada only honors the Mississippi Enhanced Permit.

Nebraska/Iowa – Nebraska will only honor the Iowa Non-Professional Permit. Not their Professional Permit.

<u>North Dakota</u> – North Dakota Issues two classes of Licenses. If you hold a Class 2 License from North Dakota check carefully the states you wish to visit as there are a number of states that honor the North Dakota Class 1 License but not their Class 2 License.

South Dakota - South Dakota issues "Regular/Gold/Enhanced Permits." Delaware, Minnesota, Nebraska, Nevada Washington and Wisconsin only honor the South Dakota Enhanced permit. Wisconsin also honors the South Dakota Gold Permit.

<u>Tennessee</u> – Tennessee now issues two permits, Enhanced and Concealed. Nebraska only honors the Tennessee Enhanced Permit.

<u>Texas/Rhode Island</u> - Texas will only honor the Rhode Island Permit/License issued by the Rhode Island Attorney General's Office. Local issued Rhode Island Permit/Licenses are not honored by Texas.

<u>Utah</u> – Utah issues two types of permits, Regular & Provisional. The Utah page only shows the states that honor Utah's Regular Permit. To see who honors their Provisional go <u>Here</u>.

Wisconsin/Florida – Wisconsin only Honors Florida Permits Issued to Non-Residents of Florida.

Wisconsin/Louisiana – Wisconsin only honors Louisiana Permits issued/renewed on or after 3/9/2015.

Wisconsin/Oklahoma - Wisconsin only honors Oklahoma license issued or renewed on or after 10/01/2018.

Wisconsin/Virginia - Wisconsin will only honor the Virginia Non Resident and "Not" their Resident Permits.

West Virginia and Kansas – West Virginia and Kansas both offers Regular (21 Y/O) and Provisional (18-20 Y/O) See each states page for those states that honors the West Virginia and Kansas Permit/Licenses.

<u>New Mexico/Oklahoma/Puerto Rico/Hawaii</u> - Hawaii, New Mexico and Puerto Rico law only allow the carry of one (1) concealed firearm. Oklahoma does not allow the carrying of a firearm larger than .45 caliber.

<u>New Jersey</u> – Only allows for the carrying of two (2) Concealed Firearms. No Open Carry by Law.

Note: Be aware that do to the high rate of firearms stolen from vehicles state and local authorities are passing ordinances that Firearms must be out of sight and vehicle secured or you could be fined or arrested. Some Locals are even banning leaving a firearm in a vehicle overnight.

Note: Some states that honor other states Permit/Licenses will not honor that states Permit/license unless the holder of the Permit/license is 21 years of age.

If you carry and are under 21 check that states page carefully or Age to Carry With a Permit the State Honors or Under Permitless Carry.

Remember - You are responsible for validating your own information.

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12/23/2022 – New Jersey only allowing the carrying of two concealed firearms at any time added. 1/1/2023 - Alabama Now a Permitless Carry State.

7/1 2023 – Florida Now a Permitless Carry State. Hawaii Only Allows for the Carrying of 1 Firearm.

8/1/2023 – North Dakota Now a Permitless Carry State for Anyone Who Can Legally Own a Firearm.

9/2/2023 – Nebraska Now a Permitless Carry State For Anyone Who Can Legally Own a Firearm.

1/10/2024 – Misspelling Corrected and All Links Checked.

3/8/2024 – South Carolina Added as Permitless Carry State.

4/10/2024 – South Carolina Removed From Some Entries as They Now Honor 18 to 20 Year Old Permit Holders.

7/4/2024 – Louisiana Added as Permitless Carry State.

1/14/2025 – Links Checked and Spelling Error Corrected.

4/10/2025 – New Mexico Removed from Idaho Listing. They No Longer Honor Idaho.

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