

Your marriage record is vital.
Be sure the information you give is complete and accurate.

MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATION

TO BE FILLED OUT BY COUPLE MAKING APPLICATION

STATE OF HAWAII • DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
OFFICE OF HEALTH STATUS MONITORING

PLEASE PRINT – USE BLACK INK

(Please read instructions on reverse side of this form)

LICENSE NO. _____

GROOM (MALE) Zip Code _____ Home Ph.# _____ Office Ph.# _____	1a. FIRST NAME OF GROOM			b. MIDDLE NAME			c. LAST NAME			2. DATE OF BIRTH (Month, Day, Year)					
	3. USUAL RESIDENCE: a. STREET ADDRESS AND CITY OR TOWN						b. COUNTY			c. STATE OR FOREIGN COUNTRY			4. PLACE OF BIRTH: *City & State or Country		
	5. FATHER: a. FULL NAME - FIRST, MIDDLE, LAST									b. STATE OR FOREIGN COUNTRY OF BIRTH*			c. Living?* Yes or No		
	6. MOTHER: a. FULL NAME - FIRST, MIDDLE, MAIDEN NAME									b. STATE OR FOREIGN COUNTRY OF BIRTH*			c. Living?* Yes or No		

BRIDE (FEMALE) Zip Code _____ Home Ph.# _____ Office Ph.# _____	7a. FIRST NAME OF BRIDE			b. MIDDLE NAME			c. LAST NAME			8. DATE OF BIRTH (Month, Day, Year)					
	9. USUAL RESIDENCE: a. STREET ADDRESS AND CITY OR TOWN						b. COUNTY			c. STATE OR FOREIGN COUNTRY			10. PLACE OF BIRTH: *City & State or Country		
	11. FATHER: a. FULL NAME - FIRST, MIDDLE, LAST									b. STATE OR FOREIGN COUNTRY OF BIRTH*			c. Living?* Yes or No		
	12. MOTHER: a. FULL NAME - FIRST, MIDDLE, MAIDEN NAME									b. STATE OR FOREIGN COUNTRY OF BIRTH*			c. Living?* Yes or No		

Blood relationship of groom to bride:	On what island do you plan to be married? (Oahu, Hawai'i, Maui, Kaua'i, Lana'i or Moloka'i)	When do you plan to be married ?	Name of Marriage Performer (Commissioned by the State of Hawai'i) Rev. Kermit Rydell		
FORWARDING ADDRESS: (After Marriage)				DO YOU WANT YOUR NAMES PUBLISHED IN THE NEWSPAPER? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	

CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION – PLEASE COMPLETE

SUPPLEMENTARY DATA	NUMBER OF THIS MARRIAGE	IF PREVIOUSLY MARRIED, LAST MARRIAGE ENDED.			RACE*	OCCUPATION*	EDUCATION* - Specify Highest Grade Completed	
		BY DEATH, DIVORCE, DISSOLUTION OR ANNULMENT (specify)	DATE ENDED MONTH / YEAR	PLACE ENDED (COUNTY & STATE OR COUNTRY)			Elem. Or Secondary (0-12)	College (1 – 5+)
GROOM (MALE)	25.	26a.	26b.	26c.	27.	28.	29.	
BRIDE (FEMALE)	30.	31a.	31b.	31c.	32.	33.	34.	

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GROOM: SIGHTED: _____ #: _____ NAME ✓? Yes No DOB ✓? Yes No AGE: _____ Sex: M F Previous Marriage(s): _____ _____ _____	BRIDE: _____ _____ Yes No Yes No _____ M F _____ _____		

CERTIFICATION – SIGN BEFORE MARRIAGE AGENT	
We, the undersigned, certify that the information given in this application is true and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief. Written consent of court is attached, if under jurisdiction of court or under age 16.	
 _____ FULL SIGNATURE OF PROSPECTIVE GROOM (MALE)	
 _____ FULL SIGNATURE OF PROSPECTIVE BRIDE (FEMALE)	
Sworn and subscribed to before me this _____ day of _____, 20____	
_____ MARRIAGE LICENSE AGENT	_____ JUDICIAL DISTRICT, STATE OF HAWAII

TO BE FILLED OUT JOINTLY BY COUPLE MAKING APPLICATION

(Do not make separate applications for groom and bride.)

REQUIREMENTS FOR OBTAINING A MARRIAGE LICENSE

In applying for a marriage license, both the prospective groom (male) and bride (female) must appear in person before a marriage license agent.

A marriage license is issued immediately after the application is made. After being issued, the license expires *within 30 days* and it is *valid* statewide.

To marry, males as well as females must be at least 15 years of age. Males and females who are 16 or 17 years of age must have the written consent of both parents, or of the legal guardian, or other person in whose care and custody the minor has been placed, or of the family court judge who has jurisdiction over the minor child. Males and females may marry at age 15 years with the written consent of both parents or legal guardian and the written approval of the judge of the family court. No one under 15 years of age may marry.

Proof of age in the form of a certified copy of a birth certificate must be presented to the marriage license agent by any applicant who is under 19 years of age. Proof of age may be requested for those applicants over 18 in the form of an I.D. or driver's license.

A blood relationship between the prospective groom and the bride must not be closer than first cousins.

Blood tests are not required.

The fee for a license is payable, in cash, at the time of filing the application.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT APPLICATION FORM

Please use black ink. **Print** information so that it can be read easily. If you have a home or office telephone, give number in left margin. Do not sign the application until the marriage license agent asks you to do so. **It must be signed in his or her presence.**

Name of groom and bride. Enter the full first, middle, and last names. Do not use abbreviations or initials.

Date of Birth. Enter the exact month, day and year. Enter the full name of the month — January, February, March, etc.

Usual residence. Give street address, if any, and enter the name of the city or town in full and the county. Enter zip code number in space provided in left margin. If no street address, enter name of town or village. Mailing address may be used but must be enclosed in parenthesis before the name of the town or village. **DO NOT USE MAILING ADDRESS ALONE.**

Place of birth. For groom and bride, give city or town and state, or city or town and foreign country.

Father and mother. Enter full first, middle, and last names without abbreviations or initials. For mother, enter full maiden name. For place of birth, enter state or foreign country only. After "Living?" state "yes" or "no," or "unknown."

Blood relationship of groom to bride. Generally, the entry here will be "none."

On what island do you plan to be married? Oahu, Hawai'i, Maui, Kaua'i, Lana'i or Moloka'i.

When do you plan to be married? Date of ceremony must be within 30 days of application.

Name of marriage performer. Person who is to perform the marriage ceremony.

Note: Hawai'i state law requires that the person performing the marriage ceremony must be licensed by the State of Hawai'i, Department of Health; otherwise, the marriage may be declared invalid (Sec. 572-1-8, HRS).

Forwarding address (After marriage). Enter mailing address where you would like the certified copy of your marriage certificate to be sent.

Do you want your names published in the newspaper? Names printed on a space available basis as a public service; no charge. (May not be available on all islands).

Number of this marriage. First, second, third, etc.

If previously married. State how your last marriage ended, i.e., by death, divorce or annulment. Then enter the date and place of death, divorce or annulment.

Race. Use such terms as Japanese, Caucasian, Black, Hawaiian, etc. Using the term Hawaiian may be advantageous, if appropriate.

Occupation. Give your usual occupation, such as: carpenter; bookkeeper; student; sales clerk; auto mechanic; soldier—U.S. Army; sailor—U.S. Navy; or officer—U.S. Army; officer—U.S. Navy; etc. (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired).

Education. Enter the number of the highest grade completed in "regular" schooling in the space for elementary/secondary or college.

Note: Do not enter any other kind of schooling or training. Although beauty and barber schools, business or trade schools and the like, are important, they are not considered "regular" schools for the purpose of this item.

Confidential Information. Information on previous marriage, race, occupation and education is confidential and will not be reproduced on certified copies of your marriage certificate but used for statistical purposes only.

* Do not leave these items blank. Enter "refused."

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