### NOTICE OF PROPOSED GUIDANCE DOCUMENT

Occupational License

Pursuant to Wis. Stat. s. 227.112, the Wisconsin Department of Transportation is hereby seeking comment on Occupational License s.343, a proposed guidance document.

### PUBLIC COMMENTS AND DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION

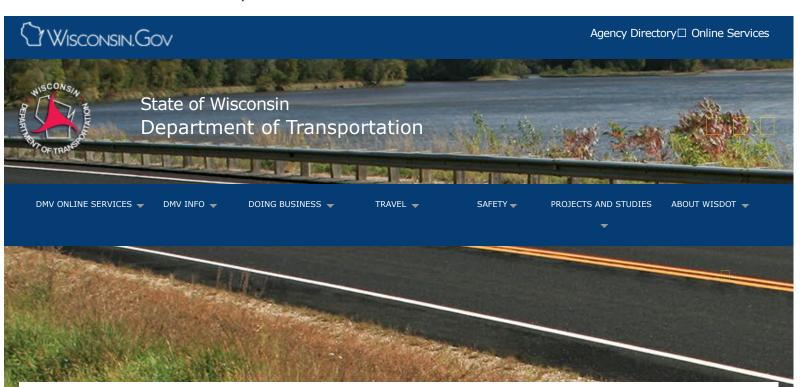
Comments may be submitted to the Wisconsin Department of Transportation for 21 days by: 1. Department's website: https://appengine.egov.com/apps/wi/dot/guidance-docs?guidDocId=DMV58

 Mailing written comments to: Division of Motor Vehicles Wisconsin Department of Transportation 4822 Madison Yards Way PO Box 7336 Madison, WI 53707-7336

## WEBSITE LOCATION OF FINAL GUIDANCE DOCUMENT

The final version of this guidance document will be posted at <u>wisconsindot.gov</u> to allow for ongoing comment.

AGENCY CONTACT DOTDMVGuidanceDocs@DOT.WI.GOV Wisconsin DMV Official Government Site - Occupational license



## Occupational license

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### (en español)

An occupational license is a restricted driver license that may be available to you if your privilege to operate a motor vehicle is suspended or revoked. An occupational license enables you to maintain your employment and household. Unlike a regular license, an occupational license limits when, where and what type of vehicle you may drive (stat. chapter 343.10(1)(a)).

**Important:** You must have an SR22 Insurance Certificate on file with the DMV to qualify for an occupational license.

## With an occupational license, you may drive:

- to and from work
- to and from school, college or university
- to and from places that you need to visit to maintain your household such as:
  - grocery store or market
  - pharmacy
  - laundromat
  - gas station
- to and from your church or place of worship
- to attend to necessary family needs such as medical appointments and Driver Safety Plan

### You may not use an occupational license for:

- recreational purposes such as
  - visiting family or friends
  - attending a social or sporting event
- operation of a commercial motor vehicle in accordance with the Motor Carrier Safety Improvement Act of 1999

A partial list of driving events and their Occupational license use types is available at:

### Occupational License Requested Use Types

## Your occupational license will specifically state the hours you will be permitted to operate a motor vehicle. Your total driving time is limited to:

- 12 hours driving per day (need not be consecutive hours)
- 60 hours total driving for the week

# Your occupational license will limit where you may drive. On your application, you will list:

- Wisconsin counties in which you need to drive
- other states in which you need to drive
  - If you need to drive in another state, you must check with that state to see if they allow you to drive in that state with a Wisconsin occupational license

### If you operate a motor vehicle outside the specified hours or for a purpose not specified on the occupational license, you can be cited for operating after suspension or revocation.

#### How to apply for an occupational license

You can use our online application to check your eligibility for an occupational license

#### **Driver Information Section**

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