

GOTV in Pennsylvania

First things first

Register to vote:

- Go to: vote411.org/pflag
 - Check your registration status
 - If you are not registered – REGISTER NOW.
 - Find information about who is eligible to vote in Pennsylvania
- When you register you will be asked for your current address and ID Number (driver's license, state ID, or social security number).
- The voter registration deadline in Pennsylvania is October 19.



Voter Identification

In Pennsylvania, identification is not required to cast a ballot **UNLESS** it is your first time voting at a new polling place.

- If you do not have photo ID, you can use other ID that include your name and address, including a current utility bill or bank statement.
- For more information visit: vote411.org/pflag
- There are resources available to help:
 - League of Women Voters Pennsylvania: palwv.org
 - Vote Riders: voteriders.org/freehelp/

Acceptable Photo ID

PA driver's license

PennDOT ID card

US Passport

Student ID

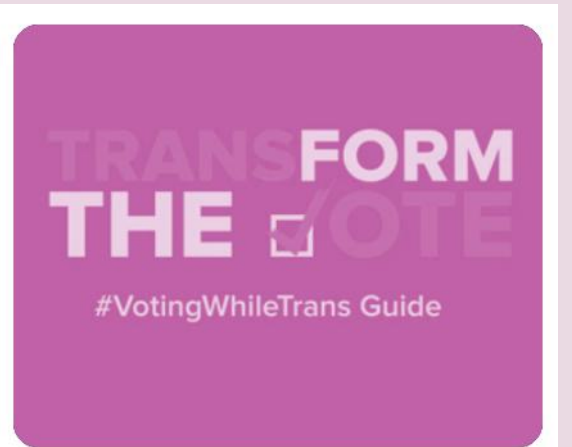
Employee ID

And more!

Voting While Trans/Nonbinary

The state of Pennsylvania does not provide any specific guidance for trans and nonbinary voters. Here are a few recommendations from Advocates for Trans Equality:

- Bring valid ID and backups (voter registration card, utility bill)
- Share the #VotingWhileTrans guide with poll workers
- If needed, connect with a volunteer attorney on-site or call the National Election Protection Hotline (866-OUR-VOTE)
- Worst case, request and cast a provisional ballot and be sure to ask for follow-up instructions



TRANSform the Vote

Voting While Living With a Disability

- Every polling place in Pennsylvania has at least one accessible voting machine. You can find what kind of machine your county uses here: pa.gov/agencies/vote/voter-support/voting-system-demos
- Curbside voting is not available
- If you are over 65 years old or have a disability, and your polling place is not accessible, you may be able to vote an alternative ballot by mail.
- If you have a permanent disability you can apply to be added to the permanent absentee voter list. If your application is accepted, you will receive absentee ballots for all elections that take place during that year as well as an application to reapply each year.
- Voters with disabilities can learn more here: pa.gov/agencies/vote/voter-support/accessible-voting

Voting as a New Citizen

Naturalized citizens have the same right to vote as citizens born in the United States. VoteRiders, a nonpartisan organization focused on voter-ID, recommends that new citizens:

- Update ID documents to be sure your citizen status is reflected accurately.
- Check your voter registration to ensure that you are registered (and then check again before your state's voter registration deadline).
- Familiarize yourself with the laws in your state that have to do with voting. Verify if language assistance is readily available.
- You can find additional information here: voteriders.org/voter/citizen



Absentee voting or voting by mail

Vote by mail.

- Pennsylvania does not require an excuse to vote by mail.
- Voters who are unable to go to their polling place may still request an absentee ballot, which requires you provide a reason for why you want to vote by mail.
- The deadline to request a mail-in or absentee ballot is 5pm on October 27.
- You can request an absentee ballot here:
pavoterservices.pa.gov/OnlineAbsenteeApplication/#/OnlineMailInBegin



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- In Pennsylvania, an absentee ballot must be received by 8 pm on November 3.
- Voters must return their own ballot. (Voters with disabilities may have someone return their ballot, if they designated that person in writing on the ballot.)
- Your absentee ballot cannot be hand delivered to your polling place on election day. You must return it via mail, at a drop box, or at your county election office.
- More information on where to return your ballot can be found here: pa.gov/agencies/vote/voter-support/mail-in-and-absentee-ballot/return-ballot



**PFLAG recommends that voters
request their absentee ballots as soon
as possible and get them in the
mailbox no later than Tuesday,
October 20.**

Getting Out The Vote

Early Voting

Vote early.

- All registered voters in Pennsylvania can vote early for any reason. This is known as on-demand mail ballot voting.
- You can find information about early voting locations in Pennsylvania here: vote411.org/pflag
- The date that early voting begins in Pennsylvania varies by county and is largely dependent on when ballots are finalized and available. Voters are encouraged to check their county's website for additional information.
- The deadline to apply for a on-demand mail ballot in-person is 5pm on Tuesday, October 27.



Voting on Election Day:

Vote on election day.

- Polls open in Pennsylvania at 7am and close at 8pm on Tuesday, November 3.
- You can find information about the location of your polling place here:
vote411.org/pflag
- If you arrive and are told you won't be allowed to vote:
 - Don't panic. Ask why, fix any problems, ask about same day registration, request a provisional ballot, etc.
 - Call 866-OUR-VOTE or 888-VE-Y-VOTA.



**If you are in line to vote
when the polls close,
STAY IN LINE.**