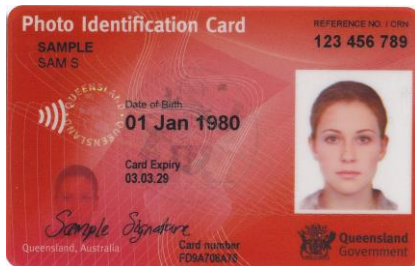


# New Photo Identification Card

## Overview

From 1 April 2019, a new form of photographic identification will be available to all Queenslanders aged 15 years and over. The Photo Identification Card (Photo ID Card) will replace the Adult Proof of Age Card which was only available to people aged 18 years or over.



## Why is the Adult Proof of Age Card changing to Photo ID Card?

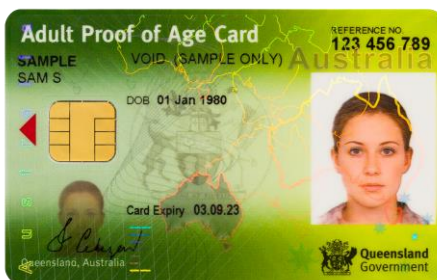
An Adult Proof of Age Card was only issued to people who were 18 years or older. There are instances where young people need to prove their age or produce photographic identification (for example to open a bank account, attend an MA15+ movie or for air travel) but they are either too young for, or do not wish to get, a drivers licence. Lowering the eligibility age of the Photo ID Card to 15 years makes it easier for young people to access a wider range of services in the community.

## How long will a Photo ID Card be valid for?

Like the Adult Proof of Age Card, the Photo ID Card will be valid for 10 years from the date of issue.

## Will Adult Proof of Age Cards that were issued before 1 April 2019 remain valid?

Adult Proof of Age Cards issued prior to 1 April 2019 remain valid until the expiry date shown on the card.



## Will the evidence of identity requirements to obtain a Photo ID Card change?

There is no change to the evidence of identity requirements. All applicants will need to meet full evidence of identity requirements. For further information please visit [www.qld.gov.au/evidenceofidentity](http://www.qld.gov.au/evidenceofidentity)