



## Yay, I am married! How do I change my name?

To change your name you need a copy of your official marriage certificate. To apply for a certificate go to:

<https://www.bdm.vic.gov.au/marriages-and-relationships/get-a-marriage-certificate>

You can **apply online**. You will need to get your identification, as per the website, certified at a relevant place or a Justice Service Centre, to send in.

You can **apply in person**, go to **Ground floor, 595 Collins Street Melbourne** (near Southern Cross Station) but make sure your marriage is registered first.

It will be available, generally, **in 4-6 weeks**.

The cost of online and in person is **\$32.40** plus postage.

Once you've got your certificate, go to **VICROADS** first to change your licence (free of charge), and it will be easier at other places.

**Passport:** Change your passport within 12 months, and it's free of charge.

### Where might I have to change my name?

Passport	Reward Programs
Driver's License	Home bills
Car Registration	Phone bills
Bank Accounts	Credit cards
Australian Taxation Office	Personal/Home loan
Electoral Enrolment	Store accounts (Myer Card)
Medicare	Share holdings
Insurance Policies	Doctor/dentist
Superannuation	Specialists
Your Will	Employer
Subscriptions	Accountant
Memberships	Educational institutions
Rates	Internet Service Provider
Centrelink	Australian Organ Donor Register
Utilities	Ambulance
Social Media	Frequent Flyer
Childcare	Investments