Eligible US first responders

You are eligible to verify as a first responder if you live in the US and your occupation is any of the following:

Emergency medical technicians

- Emergency medical technician (EMT) Basic, medium, or advanced
- Flight nurse (Transport nurse)
- Medical helicopter pilot
- Mobile intensive care nurse
- National Ski Patrol Member
- Paramedic
- Pre-Hospital Registered Nurse

Firefighters

- Airport fire operations
- Commissioner (Fire Dept.)
- Engineer
- Fire medical officer
- Firefighter career, volunteer, and retired (federal included)
- Fire marshal
- Helitack
- Lieutenant
- Past Chief
- Probationary
- Supervisory forestry technician
- Wildland firefighter/ prescribed fire burn manager

Law Enforcement Officers

- Animal control officers who are credentialed as a LEO
- Assistant chief officer
- Auxiliary & reserve sheriff deputy or police officers
- Bridge and tunnel officers
- Chief officer
- Conservation officers
- Correctional supply officers

- Corrections officers (at either government-run or private / for-profit institutions)
- Emergency response team (ERT)
- Inmate recovery team (IRT)
- Quick response strike team (QRST)
- Special emergency response team (SERT)
- Courthouse security
- Detention officers (at either government-run or private / for-profit institutions)
- Family court officers
- Fire marshals who are certified law enforcement officers
- Fleet reserve
- Game warden
- Investigator (state or local)
- Jailer (at either government-run or private / for-profit institutions)
- Jail Administrator / Assistant Jail Administrator
- Juvenile institutional officers (peace officer)
- Metro transit police
- Park rangers (state)
- Parole officers
- Patrol officer
- Patrol deputy
- Police officers (federal, state, and local; campus police) active & retired
- Pretrial services officers (and officer assistants)
- Probation officers (and officer assistants)
- Railroad police officers
- School resource officers
- Sheriff's deputy
- State troopers
- State police inspector
- Tribal police
- Wildlife officer

Federal law enforcement officers and agents

- Alcohol Tobacco & Firearms (ATF) (All Employees)
- Amtrak Police Department
- Bureau of Prisons (BOP) (All Employees)
- Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) (All Employees)
- Customs & Border Patrol (CBP)
- Department of Corrections
- Department of Defense (for example: Air Force Office of Special Investigations, Defense Criminal Investigative Service (DCIS), Naval Criminal Investigative Service (NCIS), etc.)
- Department of Fish and Gam
- Department of Homeland Security (DHS)
- Air Marshals

- Federal Flight Deck Officer (FFDO)
- Federal Protective Service
- Transportation Security Administration Agent (with a red shield on their badge ONLY)
- Department of Interior
- US Park Police
- US Park Rangers
- Department of Agriculture, Office of Inspector General (Special Agents)
- Department of Justice (DOJ)
- Department of Public Safety
- Department of State
- Department of the Treasury
- District Attorney
- Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA) (All Employees)
- Federal Bureau of Investigations (FBI) (All Employees)
- Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE)
- SSA Assistant Special Agent
- US Marshals Service
- US Postal Inspectors (Postal Inspectors & Criminal Investigators)
- US Secret Service

911 Dispatchers Fire communications officer

- Police or EMS dispatcher
- Police compliant officer (911 dispatcher)
- Police service representative (LAPD only)
- Public safety telecommunicator (PST)

Eligible Canadian first responders

Only the following groups are eligible to verify their First Responder status in Canada:

- Certified EMT / Paramedic, including Emergency Medical Attendant (EMA)
- State-certified firefighter
- Law enforcement officers:
- Federal, provincial, and municipal police officers
- Royal Canadian mounted police officers
- Correctional service Canada (CSC) officers
- First nations reserve police officers
- Canadian forces military police (CFMP) officers

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