



Iowa Department of Transportation

PURPLE HEART LICENSE PLATE APPLICATION

Dept. Use Only		
CK# _____	Amt: _____	GC# _____
Date: _____		Order # _____
Plate # Issued: _____		By _____

Issued to: The owner of a vehicle who was awarded the Purple Heart Medal by the United States Government as a result of wounds received in combat against an armed enemy.

Requirements:

- A copy of any official government or military document verifying the receipt of the Purple Heart Medal is required upon application.

Restrictions:

- Personalized plate choices must have at least 2 characters and may consist of up to 5 characters and numbers (1-9). No punctuation marks are allowed.
- Personalized plates shall not duplicate combinations of characters as listed:

000AA through 999ZZ	AA000 through ZZ999	A000 through Z999
0000A through 9999Z	A0000 through Z9999	Numbers Only
- Denote governmental agencies.
- The Department shall not issue any combination of characters it determines is: Sexual in connotation; a term of vulgarity, contempt, prejudice, hostility, insult, or racial or ethnic degradation; recognized as a swear word; a reference to an illegal substance or to a criminal act; offensive or a foreign word falling into any of these categories; or those that conflict with the regular license numbering system.

Vehicle Types Eligible:

- Passenger
- Truck
- Travel Trailer
- Motorcycle/Small Trailer
- Large Trailer

Personalized Plates:

- \$50 plate fee with an annual validation fee of \$5 plus annual vehicle registration fee. (\$25 of the personalized plate fee plus the \$5 annual validation fee to be credited to the Veterans License Fee Fund supporting the Iowa Commission of Veteran Affairs).

Numbered Plates:

- \$25 plate fee with an annual validation fee of \$5 plus annual registration renewal fee (The \$25 plate fee and the \$5 annual validation fee will be credited to the Veterans License Fee Fund supporting the Iowa Commission of Veteran Affairs).

How to apply: Mail this completed application with your check or money order to:

Iowa DOT, Office of Vehicle Services
P.O. Box 9278
Des Moines, IA 50306-9278

A. REASON FOR APPLYING:

- New Application
- Reinstatement, Plate Needed
- Reinstatement Only - No Plate Needed

APPLYING FOR:

- Numbered Plate
- Personalized Plate

B. APPLICANT INFORMATION:

Owner's Name _____ Current Plate # _____
 Mailing Address _____
 City, State, Zip Code _____
 County Residing In _____ Daytime Telephone # _____
 Lessee _____
 Lessee Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 (Attach a copy of the lease agreement, if leased.)

C. TYPE OF LICENSE PLATE TO BE ISSUED:

To order a plate you will need to determine the vehicle type. Passenger vehicles include automobiles, vans, multipurpose vehicles, and motor homes.

Check Vehicle Type: Passenger Truck Travel Trailer Motorcycle/Small Trailer Large Trailer

FIRST CHOICE	SECOND CHOICE	THIRD CHOICE	FOURTH CHOICE	FIFTH CHOICE
Meaning: _____ _____ _____	Meaning: _____ _____ _____	Meaning: _____ _____ _____	Meaning: _____ _____ _____	Meaning: _____ _____ _____

D. GIFT CERTIFICATE (Complete if ordering plate as a gift.)

- Gift certificate only
- Plate choice ordered (complete section C)

From _____
 Address _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Telephone # _____