

OSAGE NATION  
CERTIFICATE OF DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD DEPARTMENT  
627 GRANDVIEW  
PAWHUSKA, OK 74056  
(918) 287-5390

**READ CAREFULLY – NOT PROVIDING THE REQUIRED DOCUMENTS  
ONLY DELAYS THE PROCESS OF REVIEWING  
THE APPLICATION AND PROCESSING IT**

Dear Applicant:

1. The attached Osage Certificate of Degree of Indian Blood Application for obtaining a card should be completed back to an Ancestor enrolled on the 1906 Final Roll of the Osage Tribe. (June 28, 1906 34 Stat. L. 539) or as completely as possible.
2. Documents needed for completion of the Application:
  - A. Original State (full or book) Image Birth Certificate for each individual enrolling – Copies will NOT be accepted. Document will be returned by Certified Mail after processing.
  - B. Please Note: Hospital, City, County Computer Generated or Abstracted Birth Certificates are NOT acceptable documents and will not be accepted.
  - C. Birth Certificates may be obtained from the State Bureau of Vital States Department of the state where person was born. You must request/ask for the long or book form for enrollment purposes.
  - D. Marriage licenses and divorce decree (if applicable) for self and spouse, when enrolling Osage children (Copies can be sent). If first time married, then just the marriage license is required.
  - E. Social Security cards are optional (Copies may be sent)
  - F. Affidavits signed by Maternal and/or Paternal Osage parents will be required: (1) if the parents are not married, (2) Child/Children born out of wedlock if the father is the Osage Parent or Osage Father is not listed on the child's birth certificate and you don't have a marriage license.
3. If a child/children are under Legal Guardianship other than the parents, this document must accompany the application either from DHS, Court document notarized and must be the ORIGINAL.
4. DEATH Certificates and Delayed Birth Certificates require further supporting documentation to prove parent(s) (official school records, social security abstract information)
5. In cases of adoptions, Degree of Osage Indian Blood must be proven on the Natural Parent(s) – Required documentation: (1) Birth Certificate showing name of child before adoption, (2) Petition for Adoption, (3) Final Adoption Decree, (4) Birth Certificate showing new name and adoptive parent(s).
6. Applicants 18 years or older must sign as the applicant.

(Use only the forms that pertain to your application)

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APPLICATION FOR CDIB

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NAME:

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|------|-------|--------|----------|
| Last | First | Middle | (Maiden) |
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A/K/A: \_\_\_\_\_ A/K/A: \_\_\_\_\_

Sex: Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_ Copy of Social Security Card (Optional)

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone (       ) \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Applicant or Guardian  
(Must sign application if over 18 Years of Age)

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Whoever, in any matter within the jurisdiction of any department or agency of the United States knowingly and willing falsifies, conceals or covers up by any trick, scheme or device a material fact, or makes any false, fictitious statements or representations, or makes or uses any false writing or document knowing the same contain an false, fictitious statement or entry, shall be fined not more than \$10,000 or imprisoned not more than five years, or both.

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