

Due to the lapse in federal funding, this website will not be actively managed. More info (</lapse-in-federal-funding-impact-on-dhs-website-operations-notice>).

E-Verify and E-Verify services are unavailable. More info (</e-verify-and-e-verify-services-are-unavailable>).

E-Verify AND E-Verify SERVICES ARE UNAVAILABLE

E-Verify and E-Verify services are currently unavailable due to a lapse in government appropriations.

E-Verify Accounts Inaccessible

While E-Verify is unavailable, employers will not be able to access their E-Verify accounts to:

- Enroll in E-Verify;
- Create an E-Verify case;
- View or take action on any case;
- Add, delete or edit any user account;
- Reset passwords;
- Edit company information;
- Terminate accounts; and
- Run reports.

Also, employees will be unable to resolve E-Verify Tentative Nonconfirmations (TNCs).

E-Verify Policies Implemented to Minimize Impact

We understand that E-Verify's unavailability may have a significant impact on employer operations. To minimize the burden on both employers and employees, the following policies have been implemented:

- The "three-day rule" for creating E-Verify cases is suspended for cases affected by the unavailability of E-Verify.
- The time period during which employees may resolve TNCs will be extended. The number of days E-Verify is not available will not count toward the days the employee has to begin the process of resolving their TNCs.
- We will provide additional guidance regarding "three-day rule" and time period to resolve TNCs deadlines once operations resume.
- **Employers may not take adverse action against an employee because the E-Verify case is in an interim case status, including while the employee's case is in an extended interim case status due to the unavailability of E-Verify.**
- Federal contractors with the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) E-Verify clause should contact their contracting officer to inquire about extending federal contractor deadlines (</employers/federal-contractors/timeframes-for-enrollment-and-use>).

Available E-Verify Resources

For your convenience, several free E-Verify resources are still available:

- For information on interim cases statuses and E-Verify resources see E-Verify publications (</employers/employer-resources>) and Questions and Answers (</about-e-verify/questions-and-answers>).
- We recommend all employers and employees refer to the E-Verify User Manuals or Guides (<https://www.e-verify.gov/employers/employer-resources?resource=27>) and the E-Verify website (</node/5>) for questions and answers.
- We encourage E-Verify Employer Agents to see the Supplement Guide for E-Verify Employer Agents (</supplemental-guide-for-e-verify-employer-agents>).

Form I-9 Requirements

The lapse in government appropriations does not affect Form I-9, Employment Eligibility Verification requirements. Employers must still complete Form I-9 no later than the third business day after an employee starts work for pay, and comply with all other Form I-9 requirements outlined in the Handbook for Employers (M-274) (<https://www.uscis.gov/i-9-central/handbook-employers-m-274>) and on I-9 Central (<https://www.uscis.gov/i-9-central>).

myE-Verify Accounts Inaccessible

myE-Verify is unavailable and employees will not be able to access their myE-Verify accounts to use:

- Self Check
- Self Lock
- Case History
- Case Tracker

However, employees may visit the Resource Center (</mye-verify/resource-center>) and Employee Rights Toolkit (</employees/employee-rights-toolkit>) for information on their rights and roles in the Form I-9 and E-Verify processes.

Webinars are Cancelled

The following webinars are cancelled:

- Form I-9
- E-Verify Overview
- E-Verify in 30
- E-Verify for Web Services Users
- Federal Contractor E-Verify
- E-Verify for Existing Users
- myE-Verify, and Employee Rights

However, employers and employees may view our Form I-9 On-Demand Webinar (<https://www.uscis.gov/node/50007>).

Telephone and Email Support Unavailable

Form I-9, E-Verify and myE-Verify support representatives are not available to respond to inquiries.

We apologize for any inconvenience and look forward to serving you once we resume operations.

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