

FAMILY MOTOR COACHING REPRINT

MOTORHOME REGULATIONS

COUNTRY STATE/ PROVINCE	LENGTH	HEIGHT	WIDTH	COMBINED LENGTH	LICENSE TYPE REQUIRED TO OPERATE A MOTORHOME ^{1,5}	WEBSITE
UNITED STATES						
Alabama	45'	13'6"	102"	57'	Class D	www.alea.gov
Alaska	45'	15'	102"	2-vehicle limit	Class D	www.doa.alaska.gov/dmv
Arizona	45'	13'6"	102"	65'	Class D	www.azdot.gov/mvd
Arkansas	45'	13'6"	102"	65'	Class D	www.arkansashighways.com
California	45' interstates, approved state routes; 40' other routes	14'	102"	65'	Class C up to 40 ft.; Class B non-commercial over 40 ft. w/ motorhome endorsement and medical card	www.dot.ca.gov/hq/traffops/trucks/bus-motorhome
Colorado ²	45'	13'	102"	70'	Class R	www.csp.state.co.us
Connecticut ³	45'	13'6"	102"	60'	Class D	www.ct.gov/dmv
Delaware	45'	13'6"	102"	65'	Class D	www.dmv.de.gov
Florida	45'	13'6"	102"	65'	Class E	www.flhsmv.gov/florida-highway-patrol/about-ftp/
Georgia	45'	13'6"	102"	60'	Class C	www.dds.ga.gov
Hawaii	45'	14'	108"	65'	Class 3 up to 18,000 lbs.; Class 4 18,001 - 26,000 lbs.; CDL over 26,000 lbs.	www.hawaii.gov/dot
Idaho	45'	14'	102"	75'	Class D	www.dmv.idaho.gov

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Indiana	45'	13'6"	102"	60'	Standard operator driver license	www.mybmv.com
Iowa	45'	13'6"	102"	65'	Class C	www.iowadot.gov/mvd
Kansas	45'	14'	102"	65'	Non-commercial; Class C GVWR 26,000 lbs. and under; Class B GVWR over 26,000 lbs.; Class A GCWR over 26,000 lbs. towing over 10,000 lbs.	www.kansashighwaypatrol.org
Kentucky	45'	13'6"	102" interstate, primary routes; 96" others	65'	Class D	www.transportation.ky.gov
Louisiana	45'	13'6" hways; 14' interstates	102"	65'	Class E	http://dmv.dps.state.la.us
Maine	45'	13'6"	102"	65'	Class C	www.maine.gov
Maryland	45'	13'6"	102" unless posted	65'	Class C non-commercial under 26,001 lbs.; Class B non-commercial 26,001 lbs. or more	www.mva.maryland.gov
Massachusetts	45'	13'6"	102"	75'	regular operator license	www.massdot.state.ma.us
Michigan	45'	13'6"	102"	75'	standard operator license	www.michigan.gov/sos
Minnesota	45'	13'6"	102"	70'	Class D	www.dps.mn.gov
Mississippi	45'	13'6"	102"	99'	Class R	www.dps.state.ms.us
Missouri	45'	14'	102"	65'	non-commercial Class F	www.dor.mo.gov/motorv
Montana	53'	14'	102"	75'	Class D	https://dojmt.gov
Nebraska	45'	14'6"	102"	65'	Class O	www.dmv.nebraska.gov



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Indiana	45'	13'6"	102"	60'	Standard operator driver license	www.mybm.com
Iowa	45'	13'6"	102"	65'	Class C	www.iowadot.gov/mvd
Kansas	45'	14'	102"	65'	Non-commercial: Class C GVWR 26,000 lbs. and under; Class B GVWR over 26,000 lbs.; Class A GCWR over 26,000 lbs. towing over 10,000 lbs.	www.kansashighwaypatrol.org
Kentucky	45'	13'6"	102" interstate, primary routes; 96" others	65'	Class D	www.transportation.ky.gov
Louisiana	45'	13'6" hways.; 14' interstates	102"	65'	Class E	http://omv.dps.state.la.us
Maine	45'	13'6"	102"	65'	Class C	www.maine.gov
Maryland	45'	13'6"	102" unless posted	65'	Class C non-commercial under 26,001 lbs.; Class B non-commercial 26,001 lbs. or more	www.mva.maryland.gov
Massachusetts	45'	13'6"	102"	75'	regular operator license	www.massdot.state.ma.us
Michigan	45'	13'6"	102"	75'	standard operator license	www.michigan.gov/sos
Minnesota	45'	13'6"	102"	70'	Class D	www.dps.mn.gov
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Nevada	N/A	14'	102"	70'	Class C under 26,000 lbs.; Class B non-commercial over 26,000 lbs.; Class A over 26,000 lbs. towing over 10,000 lbs.; "J" endorsement if towing over 10,000 lbs.	www.dmvnv.com
New Hampshire	45'	13'6"	102"	75'	Class D	www.nh.gov/safety/divisions/dmv
New Jersey	45'	13'6"	102"	65'	Class D	www.nj.gov/nj/trans
New Mexico	45'	14'	102"	65'	Class D or E non-commercial	www.mvd.newmexico.gov
New York	45'	13'6" on desig. hwys.	96"; 102" on desig. hwys.	65'	Class D; need recreational vehicle "R" endorsement if over 26,000 lbs. or over 40 ft.	http://dmv.ny.gov
North Carolina	45'	13'6"	102"	60'	Classified Class C under 26,000 lbs.; Classified Class B over 26,000 lbs. towing under 10,000 lbs.; Classified Class A over 26,000 lbs. towing over 10,000 lbs.	www.ncdps.gov
North Dakota	50'	14'	102"	75'	Class D non-CDL	www.dot.nd.gov/public/licensing.htm
Ohio	45'	13'6"	102"	65'	Class D	www.bmv.ohio.gov/index.stm
Oklahoma	45'	13'6"	102"	65'	Class D	www.dps.state.ok.us
Oregon	45'	14'	102"	65'	Class C	www.oregon.gov/odot/dmv
Pennsylvania	45'	13'6"	102" unless posted	65'	Class C non-commercial under 26,000 lbs.; Class A or Class B non-commercial over 26,000 lbs.	www.dmv.state.pa.us
Rhode Island	45'	13'6"	102"	N/A	regular operator license	www.dmv.ri.gov
South Carolina	45'	13'6"	102"	N/A	Class D under 26,000 lbs.; Classified Class E over 26,000 lbs.; Classified Class F over 26,000 lbs. and towing (knowledge/skills test required for E and F)	www.scdmvonline.com
South Dakota	45'	14'	102"	80'	non-commercial Class 1	www.dps.sd.gov
Tennessee	45'	13'6"	102"	65'	Class D	www.tn.gov

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Texas	45'	14'	102"	65'	Class C under 26,000 lbs.; Classified Class B over 26,000 lbs. towing under 10,000 lbs.; Classified Class A over 26,000 lbs. towing over 10,000 lbs.	www.dps.texas.gov
Utah	45'	14'	102"	65'	Class D	www.publicsafety.utah.gov
Vermont	46'	13'6"	102"	75'	Class D	www.dmv.vermont.gov
Virginia	45'	13'6"	102"	65'	regular operator license	www.dmvnow.com
Washington	46'	14'	102"; some 4" to 6" appurtenances permitted	75'	basic operator license	www.dol.wa.gov
West Virginia	45'	13'6"	96"	65'	Class E	www.dmv.wv.gov
Wisconsin	45'	13'6"	102"	70'	Class D	www.dot.wisconsin.gov
Wyoming	60'	14'	102"	85'	Class C under 26,001 lbs.; Class B over 26,000 lbs. towing under 10,000 lbs.; Class A over 26,000 lbs. towing over 10,000 lbs.	www.dot.state.wy.us

CANADA

Alberta	14 m	4 m	2.6 m	20 m	Class 5; air brake endorsement ⁴	www.transportation.alberta.ca/vehiclestandards.htm
British Columbia	12.5 m 1-2 axles; 14 m 3 axles	4.15 m	2.6 m	20 m	Class 5 or 7; heavy trailer endorsement if towing over 4,600 kg; air brake endorsement ⁴	www.icbc.com/driver-licensing
Manitoba	12.5 m	4.15 m	2.6 m	23 m	Class 5; Class 3 if towing over 4,540 kg; air brake endorsement ⁴	www.mpi.mb.ca
New Brunswick	14 m	4.15 m	2.6 m	23 m	Class 5; Class 3 if towing over 4,500 kg; air brake endorsement ⁴	www2.gnb.ca

FOOTNOTES

- 1 Reciprocity granted (license only) in all states and provinces.
- 2 In Colorado, use of snow tires, chains, 4WD, or other approved traction devices reinforced when weather dictates.
- 3 In Connecticut, motorhomes prohibited on Route 15, and Merritt and Wilbur Cross parkways.
- 4 A special endorsement may be necessary if towing a vehicle in excess of the maximum permitted weight.
- 5 Pounds, when noted in license category, refer to GVWR.

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CONTACTING STATES/PROVINCES

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Newfoundland and Labrador	12.5 m; 14 m with tandem axles	4.15 m	2.6 m	23 m	Class 5; air brake endorsement ⁴ ; towing endorsement if over max. permitted weight	www.servicenl.gov.nl.ca
Northwest Territories	12.5 m; 14 m with tandem axles	4.2m	2.6 m	20 m	Class 5; Class 3 for 3 axles if towing over 4,600 kg; air brake endorsement ⁴	www.dot.gov.nt.ca
Nova Scotia	14 m	4.15 m	2.6 m	23 m	Class 5; Class 3 over 14,000 kg towing up to 4,500 kg; air brake endorsement ⁴	www.novascotia.ca
Nunavut	12.5 m	4.2 m	2.6 m	21 m	Class 5; air brake endorsement ⁴ ; Class 3 if towing over 4,500 kg	www.gov.nu.ca/edt
Ontario	14 m	4.15 m	2.6 m	23 m	Class G 11,000 kg and under; Class D over 11,000 kg; Class A if towing over 4,600 kg; air brake endorsement ⁴	www.mto.gov.on.ca
Prince Edward Island	14 m	4.15 m	2.6 m	23 m	Class 5; air brake endorsement ⁴	www.gov.pe.ca/tir
Québec	14 m	4.15 m	2.6 m	19 m	Class 5; air brake endorsement ⁴	www.saaq.gouv.qc.ca
Saskatchewan	12.5 m 2 axles; 14 m 3 axles	4.15 m	2.6 m	23 m	Class 5; G endorsement or Class 1 if towing over 4,600 kg; air brake endorsement ⁴	www.sgi.sk.ca
Yukon Territory	14 m	4.2 m	2.6 m	25 m	Class 5; air brake endorsement ⁴	www.hpw.gov.yk.ca

For additional information about drivers licenses and motor vehicle laws in a specific U.S. state or Canadian province/territory, please refer to the "website" column that appears on the preceding chart pages, or call the appropriate governmental agency listed below.

UNITED STATES

Alabama Law Enforcement Agency	334-242-4395
Alaska Dept. of Transportation & Public Facilities	907-465-3900
Arizona Dept. of Public Safety	602-223-2000
Arkansas Highway Police	501-569-2421
Caltrans	916-654-5471
California Highway Patrol Commercial Vehicle Section	916-843-3400
Colorado State Patrol/Motor Carrier Safety	303-273-1875
Connecticut Dept. of Transportation	860-594-2880
Delaware Division of Motor Vehicles	302-744-2500
District of Columbia DMV	202-727-5000
Florida Dept. of Highway Safety	fhp@flhsmv.gov • 850-617-2279
Georgia Dept. of Public Safety	404-624-7000
Hawaii Dept. of Transportation	808-692-7655
Idaho Transportation Dept.	Registration – 208-334-8649 Size & Weight – 800-662-7133
Illinois State Police	217-785-0963
Indiana State Police	317-615-7373
Iowa Commercial Vehicle Information	800-925-6469
Kansas Highway Patrol	785-296-6800
Kentucky Customer Service Center	502-564-1257
Louisiana Office of Motor Vehicles	225-925-6146
Maine State Police	207-624-8939
Maryland MVA	301-768-7000
Massachusetts State Police	508-820-2300
Michigan Dept. of State Info Center	888-767-6424
Minnesota Dept. of Public Safety	651-297-2126
Mississippi Dept. of Public Safety	601-987-1212
Missouri State Highway Patrol	573-751-3313
Montana Dept. of Transportation	406-444-6200
Nebraska State Patrol	402-471-4545
Nevada Dept. of Motor Vehicles	775-684-4387
New Hampshire State Police	603-223-8778
New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission	609-292-6500

New Mexico Dept. of Public Safety	877-394-4258
New York Dept. of Motor Vehicles	212-645-5550
North Carolina Highway Patrol	919-715-8683
North Dakota Highway Patrol	701-328-5128
Ohio State Highway Patrol	614-466-3682, ext. 677
Oklahoma Dept. of Public Safety	405-425-2424
Oregon DMV	503-945-5243
Pennsylvania State Police	717-783-5599
Rhode Island State Police	401-444-1000
South Carolina Transport Police	www.scdps.gov/scstp • 803-896-5500
South Dakota Highway Patrol	605-773-4578
Tennessee Dept. of Safety	615-743-4971
Texas Dept. of Public Safety	512-424-2000
Utah Highway Patrol	801-965-4518
Vermont Dept. of Motor Vehicles	802-828-2066
Virginia Dept. of Motor Vehicles	804-497-7100
Washington Dept. of Licensing	360-902-3600
West Virginia Division of Motor Vehicles	304-926-3840
Wisconsin State Patrol	608-266-3212
Wyoming Highway Patrol	307-777-4301

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Alberta Transportation, Vehicle Safety Standards	780-427-8901
British Columbia Driver Licensing & Customer Contact	800-950-1498
Manitoba Public Insurance	800-665-2410
New Brunswick Dept. of Public Safety	506-453-2982
Service NL (Newfoundland & Labrador)	877-636-6867
Northwest Terr. DOT Trans. Compliance Sect.	867-767-9088, ext. 31181
Nova Scotia Registrar of Motor Vehicles	800-898-7668
Nunavut (EDT) Motor Vehicles Division	888-975-5999
Ontario Ministry of Transportation	416-246-7166, ext. 6302
PEI Dept. of Transportation, Infrastructure & Energy	902-368-5219
Societe de l'Assurance Automobile du Quebec	800-361-7620
Saskatchewan Licensing & Registration Services Dept.	306-775-6900

DISTRACTED-DRIVING LAWS

Talking on handheld cell phones while driving is prohibited in California, Connecticut, Delaware, Hawaii, Illinois, Maryland, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Oregon, Vermont, Washington, West Virginia, and District of Columbia. Text messaging while driving is prohibited in a majority of states. Certain localities may restrict distracted driving even if the states do not. Visit www.ghsa.org for more information about distracted driving laws.

