

# Oregon Psilocybin Services

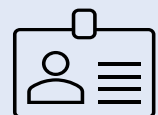
## How to Become a Permitted Worker in Oregon

In November 2020, Oregonians passed The Oregon Psilocybin Services Act (M109) which is now codified into Oregon law in [ORS 475A](#). This statute establishes a licensing and regulatory framework for psilocybin services in Oregon. Before taking steps to become a permitted worker, please go to: “[Training Video on ORS 475A: What is the Oregon Psilocybin Services Act?](#)” and “[What are Psilocybin Services?](#)” to learn more.

The Oregon Psilocybin Services Act (ORS 475A) requires that certain licensees and individuals who perform work for, or on behalf of, a licensee must have a valid Worker Permit issued by Oregon Psilocybin Services. This includes any individual/employee who participates in:

- The provision of psilocybin services at the premises for which the license has been issued;
- The possession, manufacturing, securing, or sales of psilocybin products at the premises for which the license has been issued;
- The recording of the possession, manufacturing, securing, or sales of psilocybin products at the premises for which the license has been issued; or
- The verification of any document described in ORS 475A.445, such as a person’s drivers license or other identification.

### Summary of Worker Permit Requirements:



- 1) **Must be 21 years of age or older.**
- 2) **Must understand requirements of administrative rules, OAR 333-333**
- 3) **Must pass a criminal background check.**
- 4) **Must pay a \$25 permit application fee.**

## Steps to Becoming a Permitted Worker

- 1) Prepare materials for the application process.** You will need to provide a copy of the front and back of a valid, unexpired government-issued photo identification.
- 2) Begin your permit application process with OPS.** Follow the [OPS Worker Permit Application Guide for ONLINE APPLICATIONS](#). If you are unable to complete the application online, you may print and follow the [OPS Worker Permit Application Guide for MAILED APPLICATIONS](#) and submit it by mail.
- 3) Prepare for the background check process.** Once you have submitted an OPS Worker Permit application, you will be sent more information about how to complete the required background check. To prepare, please see this handout on the [OPS Background Check Process](#). It is important that the email address in TLC is accurate and accessible as this is the means for contacting you about your background check.
- 4) Pay the \$25 application fee.** OPS will review your application as quickly as possible. If you are approved, the permit will last for five years from the date issued.
- 5) Read and understand requirements for permitted workers.** This includes [ORS 475A](#) and [OAR 333-333](#).

The Oregon Psilocybin Services Team is committed to providing education and technical assistance to our regulated community. If you have any questions about the application process, please contact: [Licensing.Psilocybin@oha.oregon.gov](mailto:Licensing.Psilocybin@oha.oregon.gov)

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