

NOTICE:

CONCEALED HANDGUN CARRY APPLICANTS

Effective **December 19, 2017**, by Order of the Ohio Attorney General (Opinion 2017- 045), the Erie County Sheriff shall **not** issue a concealed handgun license pursuant to RC 2923.125 to a person who is **not** eligible under **Federal** law to receive or possess a firearm. **All** applicable **Ohio** laws, as stated on the Application Form, remain in full force and effect.

If you have been **convicted of the following misdemeanor crimes, you may not be issued a concealed handgun license per Federal law:**

Assault

Negligent Assault

Corrupting Another with Drugs

Disorderly Conduct* - (RC 2917.11A1 and/or A4) Disorderly Conduct Persistent* (RC

2917.11E) Domestic Violence (2919.25 A and/or B) Endangering Children (2919.22 B)

Negligent Homicide

Riot

Sexual Imposition Unlawful Restraint

Unlawful Sexual Conduct with a Minor

A **minor** misdemeanor drug conviction per RC 2925.11{C} {3} as set forth in 18 U.S.C.A. 922 (g) (3). Prohibition exists for **1year from the date of conviction.**

* Under Federal law, a conviction for Disorderly Conduct disqualifies an individual from owning a firearm only if the victim of the offense is an "intimate partner" as defined by 18 USC § 921(a){32}

Note: This Notice does **not** prevent you from completing an Application Form for the license and paying your non-refundable fee. The purpose of the Notice is to inform you of the applicable law.

- Ohio Concealed Carry - Erie County Sheriff's Office -

Qualifying/Disqualifying Factors:

With regard to the State of Ohio Application for License to Carry a Concealed Handgun, it is the intention of the Ohio Legislature that this law (RC 2923.125) is compliant with the National Instant Criminal Background check system. This system of checks contains disqualifiers not specifically enumerated in Section III and/or IV of the license Application. If a disqualifier is found, your application will be denied.

Age: 21 years or older

Residency: Legal Resident of United States & Ohio resident in county of application or adjoining county, or resident of another state employed in in county of application or adjoining county (employment proof required; current paystub or employer letter).

Training: Completion of an 8 hour (or more) certified firearm program (must present certificate with application within 3 years of course completion) UNLESS waived because of previous military service (honorable discharge) within past 10 years or proof of Ohio Peace Officer Training Academy Certification within past 10 years.

DISQUALIFYING Criminal History / Legal

Background. PENDING Indictment or Criminal charges for:

- Any FELONY offense
- Any DRUG offense (except for Minor Misdemeanor drug possession or Minor Misdemeanor Drug Paraphernalia offenses outside of 1 year from conviction date)
- Any Misdemeanor of Violence (Assault, Aggravated Menacing, Menacing by Stalking, Menacing, Inciting Violence, Riot, Inducing Panic, Domestic Violence)
- Negligent Assault or Falsifying Concealed Carry application/having revoked CCW license
- Including complicity, or attempt to commit any of the above offenses

An active SUSPENSION of an Ohio concealed carry license (or a concealed carry license of another

state) CONVICTIONS/JUVENILE ADJUDICATIONS (no time limit - ANYTIME in the past):

- Any FELONY offense
- Any DRUG offense (except for Minor Misdemeanor drug possession or Minor Misdemeanor Drug Paraphernalia outside of 1 year from conviction)
- Assault on Police Officer
- A conviction for Domestic Violence or a guilty or no contest plea to a lesser charge in which physical force was present
- Including complicity, or attempt to commit any of the above offenses

CONVICTIONS/JUVENILE ADJUDICATIONS (within past ONE year): Minor Misdemeanor drug possession or Minor Misdemeanor Drug Paraphernalia

CONVICTIONS/JUVENILE ADJUDICATIONS (within past THREE years):

- Misdemeanor of VIOLENCE except RESISTING ARREST or ASSAULT ON POLICE OFFICER (See above and below for these offenses)
- Falsifying Concealed Carry application/having revoked CCW license

CONVICTIONS/JUVENILE ADJUDICATIONS (within past FIVE years):

- TWO or more CONVICTIONS/ADJUDICATIONS for Assault or Negligent Assault

CONVICTIONS/JUVENILE ADJUDICATIONS (within past TEN years):

- Resisting Arrest
- Including complicity, or attempt to commit any of the above offenses

ACTIVE Civil Protection Orders, Temporary Protection Order (TPO), or Protection Order from ANY State.

UNDER DISABILITY (ORC 2923.13)

- Fugitive From Justice, Drug Dependent, Adjudicated Mental Incompetence, Chronic Alcoholic.

"BRADY" Disqualification - Prior conviction for ANY Domestic Violence charge under ORC 2919 .25
(or a similar offense from any other state).

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