FEDERAL MANDATE

Federal law requires that male U-S citizens and immigrants register with the Selective Service System within thirty days of their eighteenth birthday. Male immigrants that arrive after their eighteenth birthday are required to register up to the age of twenty-six. Registration brings many benefits including maintaining eligibility for government student aid loans, and qualifying for government jobs and job training programs, and U-S citizenship for immigrants. Young men can register online at w-w-w-dot-s-s-s-dot-gov, where more information is also available.