

IDES has activated their new login process. We all need to register a new account. I've done mine and took a couple notes that may help you through the process. Following these steps may or may not be the easiest way but it worked for me..... Good Luck!

--Before you start, make sure you have your DL number, SSN and Claimant ID ready along with your regular personal information.

Here is my step-by-step which I did from my cell phone because some may not have a computer. It should be the same from either.

- ⇒ Go to ides.illinois.gov
- ⇒ Click [Login](#) link
- ⇒ Scroll down and click Sign Into [Your IDES Account](#)
- ⇒ Click here to register with the state of Illinois
- ⇒ Fill out your personal information
- ⇒ Click NEXT
- ⇒ An email will be sent to you. Check that and follow the instructions
- ⇒ Click Activate [Okta Account](#)
- ⇒ Enter a new password
- ⇒ Answer Security question
- ⇒ Add Phone Number for SMS resetting
- ⇒ Click Send Code
- ⇒ Enter code that was texted to you
- ⇒ Click Verify
- ⇒ Click Done
- ⇒ Scroll to bottom and click [Create My Account](#)
- ⇒ Click SMS Authentication Setup
- ⇒ Enter phone number
- ⇒ Click Send code
- ⇒ Enter code and click Verify
- ⇒ Click Finish
- ⇒ Click IDES icon
- ⇒ Validate IDES Account by clicking I have an IDES UI Online Account
- ⇒ Enter your person information, you will need your Claimant ID here
- ⇒ Click continue
- ⇒ If error page appears, your account is set up properly. (not sure why but 2 of us got this error page here and our accounts work fine.
- ⇒ You can go to IDES website now and sign in. Your new username will be your email address
- ⇒ Once you sign in with your username (email address) and password you will be sent to a 2nd step verification page. Click Send code
- ⇒ Enter code that was text to you and click Verify
- ⇒ Click the IDES icon to access your account.
- ⇒ Done

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