



Buying a home or a car?
Applying for a loan?
Leasing an apartment?
Need a reference check?

You'll need proof of employment or income...

For fast, secure, anytime-anywhere proof of employment or income via the Web or phone we bring you...The Work Number®.

The Work Number service is used when you apply for a loan, need a reference check, lease an apartment or any other instance where proof of employment or income is needed. You benefit from having control of the process – by authorizing others access to your information.



How it works...

Need proof of employment?

Follow these easy steps:

- 1) Fill in your Social Security Number in Box 1 below.
- 2) Give the information in Box 1 to the person requesting your proof of employment.

Box 1 – Provide this information to the person requesting proof of your employment.

To obtain proof of **employment** on an employee from the Dept of Homeland Security - Coast Guard

- 1) Access The Work Number via the Web or telephone:
 - <http://www.theworknumber.com>
 - 1-800-367-5690
- 2) Enter:
 - **Coast Guard** Employer Code: **11363**
 - The Employee's Social Security Number:

The Work Number Client Service Center:
1-800-996-7566 (Voice)
1-800-424-0253 (TTY – Deaf)
Monday – Friday, 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. (CST)

Note: You will need employee permission in the form of a Salary Key to verify income.

Need proof of employment plus income?

Follow these easy steps:

- 1) Fill in your Social Security Number in Box 2 below.
- 2) Access The Work Number either via the Web or telephone:
 - www.theworknumber.com
 - **1-800-367-2884**
- 3) Select the Employee option and Login. To Login, have the following information:
 - USCG Employer Code: **11363**
 - Your Social Security Number:
 - **Your default PIN: MMDD of birth**
- 3) Select the "Create a Salary Key" option and write down the Salary Key provided to you by The Work Number. (Enter your Salary Key below in Box 2, in Step 3.)
- 4) Provide the information in Box 2 to the person requesting proof of your employment plus income.

Box 2 – Provide this information to the person requesting proof of your employment plus income.

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Applying to a Social Service Agency?

Follow these easy steps:

- 1) Fill in your Social Security Number in Box 3 below.
- 2) Supply the information in Box 3 to the case worker.

Box 3 – Instructions for Social Service Agencies

Case worker:

1) Register with The Work Number via the Web or telephone.

All agencies must register to use the service. It takes about 5 minutes to complete the application. If you are already registered and need additional help, please call The Work Number Client Service Center at 1-800-996-7566.

- www.theworknumber.com
- **1-800-996-7566**

2) Obtain an employment and income verification.

- The Work Number Access Options for Social Service Agencies:

a) www.theworknumber.com

b) **1-800-660-3399**

- Enter your registered fax number.
- Enter the following information when instructed:

a) **Coast Guard** Employer Code: **11363**

b) Employee's Social Security Number: - -

Select the kind of verification you need. You can verify **employment** or **employment plus income**.