

New I-94 Arrival and Departure Procedure

Dear Participant,

As of April 26, 2013 the U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) will no longer provide you with a paper copy of the I-94 card (DHS Arrival/ Departure Record) upon your entry to the United States.

To record your entry in the U.S. the Immigration official will stamp your passport. The admission stamp will have information about your date of entry, visa type and duration of your stay (D/S) in the U.S. The immigration official may stamp your DS-2019 form as well.

The CBP will make your electronic I-94 record available at:

www.cbp.gov/i94 (This web site will be available as of April 26th, 2013)

If you need to present your I-94 record when applying for your Social Security Number, you can access and print your electronic I-94 record by entering the following information located on your J-1 visa stamp:

- ▶ Passport number
- ▶ Date of birth
- ▶ Full name
- ▶ Country of origin
- ▶ Date of entry in the U.S.
- ▶ Class of admission (your Visa type)

If you are not able to access your I-94 record online, please use the troubleshooting section on the website.

If information on your I-94 record is incorrect, please visit a local CBP Deferred Inspection Site or port of entry. To locate the closest CBP Deferred Inspection Site go to:

 $www.cbp.gov/xp/cgov/toolbox/contacts/deferred_inspection/$

The CBP will record your departure from the U.S. using information obtained from the airlines; you do not need to present your printed I-94 record when leaving the U.S.

For more information about CBP's Form I-94 automation, please visit CBP's website:

www.cbp.gov/xp/cgov/newsroom/news_releases/national/03212013.xml and

http://studyinthestates.dhs.gov/webinars



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