



# California Community Colleges

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Dear Colleagues,

The California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office is enhancing the existing multi-tiered digital identity verification process to further reduce application fraud and provide students with additional options to verify their identity through the California DMV Mobile Driver's License (mDL) program.

To ensure the system is well-informed and prepared for this change, we invite you to a webinar on **Wednesday, Oct. 22, 2025, from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m. PT**. This webinar is designed to enhance awareness and provide an overview of the process, share strategies that will ease the process for students and those who help them apply, and support local staff.

## WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

- **College Administrators & Admissions Staff:** To gain insight into the enhanced system, its benefits, and its implications on the admissions process.
- **Student Services Staff:** To equip yourself with knowledge to assist students in navigating the verification options.
- **IT and Technical Teams:** To understand the integration, potential challenges, and troubleshooting strategies.
- **Financial Aid Teams:** To understand how ID Verification may be used to supplement existing financial aid verification processes.
- **Faculty Representatives:** To gain understanding to guide and inform students about the changes in the application process.
- **Communication and Outreach Teams:** To understand the updates for effective communication strategies for current and prospective students.

## ENHANCING APPLICATION SECURITY WITH A MULTI-TIERED VERIFICATION APPROACH

This presentation will discuss the enhanced process, including:

- **DMV Mobile Driver's License (mDL)** as the primary verification method

- **ID.me** as a secondary verification option when DMV is unavailable
- **Direct college verification** as a final option for financial aid purposes

The webinar will provide an overview of each verification method, discuss implementation timelines, and include a facilitated Q&A segment.

#### **WEBINAR DETAILS**

Date: Wednesday, Oct. 22, 2025

Time: 9:00 - 10:00 a.m. PT

Location: Virtual

[Register here >](#)

Your participation, engagement, and feedback are vital to achieving a successful implementation. Please join us in this collaborative endeavor to fortify our mission and better serve our system.

Thank you for your continuous support and dedication to our shared goals.

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