

## Digital Driver Licence Trial Update

The NSW Government has developed a Digital Driver Licence which will be available for trial by all NSW motorists and businesses located in the following postcodes at the end of November 2018:

- Sydney Eastern Beaches postcodes 2022, 2024, 2026, 2031 and 2034; and
- Dubbo and surrounding area postcodes of 2818, 2820, 2821, 2822, 2830, 2868.

### About the Digital Driver Licence trial

The Digital Driver Licence is the electronic form of the NSW Driver Licence available on a smartphone via the Service NSW app. It is in addition to the plastic card and available for free to existing licence holders. Just like the plastic licence, it can be used as a form of identification and proof of age. The trial will test the functionality and effectiveness of the new Digital Driver Licence before it is released across NSW in 2019. Feedback from businesses identified as 'licence checkers' will help us make any changes that may be required to improve the Digital Driver Licence. Licence holders will still need to carry their plastic card during the trial.

### Businesses within the trial postcodes

Licensed venues such as bars, pubs, nightclubs and restaurants, as well as hotels, vehicle hire companies, convenience stores and tobacco retailers located in the nominated postcodes are invited to take part in the trial as licence checkers.

### Businesses outside of the trial postcodes

People working in businesses outside of the trial postcodes should check with their industry body and their business' management about whether they should accept the Digital Driver Licence during the trial period.

### Industries excluded from the trial

Some regulated industries are not yet permitted to accept the Digital Driver Licence. These are Federal Government agencies, the NSW Electoral Office, banks, pharmacies, real estate auctioneers, registered clubs, telecommunications companies, utility companies and Justices of the Peace. Licence checkers belonging to these industries and agencies should ask to check a plastic licence.

### Need more information?

Detailed information to prepare you for the trial is available at:  
[www.service.nsw.gov.au/digital-driver-licence](http://www.service.nsw.gov.au/digital-driver-licence).

If you have any questions, feedback or would like to discuss the Digital Driver Licence further please contact Service NSW at [info@servicenew.gov.au](mailto:info@servicenew.gov.au).