



# Pilot Records Database (PRD)



## Sign into Pilot Records Database (PRD)

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The Pilot Records Database (PRD) is used to facilitate the sharing of pilot records among air carriers in a clearinghouse managed by the Federal Aviation Administration. All part 119 certificate holders and fractional ownerships are required to access the PRD and evaluate the available data for each individual pilot candidate prior to making a hiring decision.

Air carriers, operators holding out to the public, public aircraft operators, air tour operators, fractional ownerships, and corporate flight departments are required to enter relevant data on individuals employed as pilots into the PRD.

### Who is required to use PRD?

- Part 121 air carriers
- Part 135 air carriers/operators
- Part 125 air operators
- Part 91K operators

### Who is eligible to access the PRD?

- **The responsible person** – an individual at the air carrier serving in a required management position which may include Director of Safety, Director of Operations, Chief Pilot, Director of Maintenance, Chief Inspector, or other responsible management position who will provide supervisory control concerning the PRD process.

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- **The authorized user** – an individual that is employed by the air carrier or operator that has been assigned access rights to the PRD on behalf of the employer by the responsible person.
- **The proxy** – an organization or individual that is not directly employed by an air carrier or operator that has been assigned access right to the PRD on behalf of that air carrier or operator by the responsible person for the purpose of completing their PRD reports (formally known as a third party processor or the designated agent).
- **The pilot** – an individual certificated by the FAA at the commercial or airline transport pilot level that is the subject of a record request in the PRD.

#### More resources:

- [Flight Standards District Offices \(FSDO\)](#)
- [National Drivers Registry \(NDR\)](#)
- [Advisory Circular \(AC\) 120-68G: Pilot Records Improvement Act of 1996](#)
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#### Questions about PRD?

The Help Desk is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. If you have a PRD support-related question not found in our [frequently asked questions](#), contact the

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