

Adult Sex Offender Registration Requirements

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Registrable Offenses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kidnapping (if the victim was below the age of 18) • Statutory rape (except conviction or adjudication under MISS. CODE ANN. 97-3-65(1)(a) (West 2008), when the offender was 18 years of age or younger at the time of the alleged offense, is not be a registrable sex offense) • Rape; assault with intent to ravish • Sexual battery (except, conviction or adjudication under Section 97-3-95(1) (c), when the offender was 18 years of age or younger at the time of the alleged offense, is not be a registrable sex offense) • Enticing child for concealment, prostitution or marriage • Touching, handling, etc., child, mentally defective or incapacitated person or physically helpless person • Dissemination of sexually oriented material to persons under eighteen years of age; use of computer for purpose of luring or inducing persons under eighteen years of age to engage in sexual contact • Exploitation of children • Carnal knowledge of step or adopted child; carnal knowledge of child by cohabitating partner • Unnatural intercourse • Attempt to commit any of the above-referenced offenses. • Adultery or fornication between teacher and pupil • Any other offense resulting in a conviction in another jurisdiction, whether state, federal or military, which, if committed in this state, would be deemed to be such a crime without regard to its designation elsewhere. • Any offense resulting in a conviction in another jurisdiction, whether state, federal or military, for which registration is required in the jurisdiction where the conviction was had.
Information Maintained in Sex Offender Registry	<p><i>MISS. CODE ANN. § 45-33-25 (West 2008)</i></p> <p>(2) Any person required to register under this chapter shall submit the following information at the time of registration:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Name, including a former name which has been legally changed; (b) Street address of all current permanent and temporary residences within state or out of state (c) Date, place and address of employment; (d) Crime for which convicted; (e) Date and place of conviction, adjudication or acquittal by reason of insanity; (f) Aliases used; (g) Social security number; (h) Date and place of birth; (i) Age, race, sex, height, weight, hair and eye colors, and any other physical description or identifying factors (j) A brief description of the offense or offenses for which the registration is required (k) Driver's license or state identification card number, which license or card may be electronically accessed by the Department of Public Safety; (l) Anticipated future residence; (m) If the registrant's residence is a motor vehicle, trailer, mobile home or manufactured home, the registrant shall also provide vehicle identification number, license tag number, registration number and a description, including color scheme, of the motor vehicle, trailer, mobile home or manufactured home: if the registrant's place of residence is a vessel or houseboat, the registrant shall also provide the hull identification number, manufacturer's serial number, name of the vessel or houseboat, registration number and a description, including color scheme, of the vessel or houseboat; (n) Vehicle make, model, color and license tag number; (o) Offense history; (p) Photograph; (q) Fingerprints and palm prints; (r) Documentation of any treatment received for any mental abnormality or personality disorder of the person; (s) Biological sample;

	<p>(t) Name of any public or private educational institution, including any secondary school, trade or professional institution or institution of higher education at which the offender is employed, carries on a vocation (with or without compensation) or is enrolled as a student, and the registrant's status;</p> <p>(u) Copy of conviction or sentencing order for the sex offense for which registration is required;</p> <p>(v) The offender's parole, probation or supervised release status and the existence of any outstanding arrest warrants;</p> <p>(w) Every online identity, screen name or username used, registered or created by a registrant; and</p> <p>(x) Any other information deemed necessary.</p>
<p>Community Notification and Websites</p>	<p><i>MISS. CODE ANN. § 45-33-49 (West 2008)</i></p> <p>(1) Records maintained pursuant to this chapter shall be open to law enforcement agencies which shall be authorized to release relevant and necessary information regarding sex offenders to the public.</p> <p>(4) Upon written request, the department may also provide to any person the:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Name, • Address, photograph, if available, • Date of photograph, • Place of employment, • Crime for which convicted, • Date and place of conviction of any registrant, • Hair, eye color, • Height, • Race, • Sex and • Date of birth of • Any registrant, and any other information deemed necessary for the protection of the public. <p>Additionally, the department may utilize an internet web site or other electronic means to release the information.</p>
<p>Limitations on Residency or Employment</p>	<p><i>MISS. CODE ANN. §§ 43-15-305 & 43-15-307 (West 2008)</i></p> <p>Registered sex offenders are prohibited from owning, operating, working for, or volunteering at a child care service.</p> <p><i>MISS. CODE ANN. § 45-33-25(4) (West 2008).</i></p> <p>As of July 1, West 2008, sex offenders may not establish residence within 1500 feet of a public or nonpublic elementary or secondary school or childcare facility. However, this restriction does not apply to persons living within 1500 of a school or child care facility prior to July 1, West 2008 or to minors or wards.</p>
<p>Duration of Registration</p>	<p><i>MISS. CODE ANN. § 45-33-47 (West 2008)</i></p> <p>(2)(a) 10 years for sex offenders not subject to lifetime registration.</p> <p>(2)(b) Life for offenders convicted of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rape; • Rape and assault with intent to ravish; • Sexual battery; • Sexual exploitation of children; or • Carnal knowledge of a stepchild, adopted child or child of cohabiting partner. <p>(2)(d) Life for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Offenders with two separate convictions for registrable offenses; • Offenders deemed sexual predators or sexually violent predators; or • Offenders twice adjudicated delinquent for rape or sexual battery.