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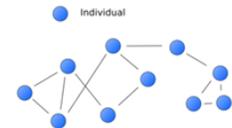


IDFPR Advances Online License Applications and Certifications

The Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation (IDFPR) converted many of its paper-based license applications to an online portal. Currently, 90 percent of new professional applications and 95 percent of application certifications may now be processed online. This transformation provides faster license processing times and a more user-friendly experience for stakeholders. The portal allows all application interactions to be completed online. Deficiency notices are sent via the portal and applicants can respond electronically. Applicants may also check their application status online. The resulting benefits are faster transitions to the workforce and more efficient compliance.

Support Our Statewide Network at Upcoming Events

The [Illinois Century Network \(ICN\)](#) is participating in several events in coming weeks. The [K12 Data & Security Symposium](#) will be held on April 19 & 20 in Springfield, where educators are being advised on cyber best practices. The next "Hacker Hour" webinar will be hosted by ICN on April 26 on the topic of [Combating DDos](#). On May 10, the ICN will participate in [Tech 2018](#) at the Illinois State Capitol, which is an event designed for hands-on technology awareness for students seeking tools for success in our tech-focused world. ICN has much to offer end users and these events help to promote those services.



.NET Template Now Available

A .NET template is tested and available for business use across the enterprise. The template has been verified by DoIT Security, meets a high standard of ADA compliance, is verified operational in the cloud, utilizes modern and robust industry-standard technology and is designed from the ground up to be mobile-enabled. Users can expect extended application life, robust performance and better support with the use of the new template. While developers are starting out with a security-scanned and ADA compliant template and examples, it is up to the developer to understand and maintain those technical patterns and practices. The .NET template and services can be formally requested by agency IT Coordinators.

DoIT FYIs & Reminders

Launched this week, [O365 Support Resources](#) are available through June 30, 2018. Visit this one-stop resource for guided learning, helpful tips, pre-recorded training sessions and Microsoft phone support.

