

# **QUINCY PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

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#### **MEMO**

To: All Staff, Volunteers, Vendors, Contractors, etc.

From: Allison G. Cox, Director of Human Resources & Educator Development

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RE: SAFIS - National Background Check (NBC) Application Process

The Statewide Applicant Fingerprint Identification Services (SAFIS) MorphoTrust USA IdentoGO registration website is available for all districts, charter schools and private schools to schedule fingerprinting appointments for the National Background Checks (NBC). This applies to any employee, volunteer, vendor, contractor, etc., who may have direct and unmonitored contact with students. The NBC does not take the place of the Massachusetts CORI process. The CORI process still applies and is mandatory as well.

Please be advised that the NBC fee for employees holding a professional license (DESE License) is \$55 and the NBC fee for all other school personnel is \$35. Payment may be made online. If payment is not made online, you will be required to bring a bank check or money order with you to your appointment. If you schedule an appointment and miss it without rescheduling, you may be required to pay another registration fee. Please note, there may be Saturday appointments available. The Quincy Public Schools Organization/Provider Identification Code is: 02430000. Please make sure you input this code into the appropriate field so that your information is sent to the Quincy Public Schools. If you do not input the correct code, your application will remain incomplete. Please go to the web address below to schedule your appointment for your NBC.

### https://ma.ibtfingerprint.com/

Currently, NBC enrollment centers are available in the following local communities (see website for more locations in Massachusetts):

- Boston
- Rockland
- Norwood
- Brockton

\*\*Please note you are NOT allowed to begin working or volunteering with our QPS students until you are notified of approval from the QPS Human Resources office.

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## **SAFIS – Fingerprinting Instructions**

These are step by step instructions on how to schedule a fingerprint appointment. Please feel free to use this as your reference.

## https://ma.ibtfingerprint.com

- Click on Schedule a New Appointment
- Using the drop down, choose Pre-K 12th Grade Education (ESE) and click GO
- Indicate Applicant type: Licensed Educator (teachers, guidance counselors, etc) or All Other Personnel (secretary, bus monitor, paraprofessional, volunteer, etc.) and click GO
- Confirm Agency: Be sure Pre-K 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Education (ESE) is selected and click YES information is correct
- Put in Provider ID: 02430000 and click GO
- Confirm Provider: Quincy, 34 Coddington St., Quincy, MA 02169 and click CORRECT if information is correct. You may add another provider at this time if applicable.
- Enter Zip Code to find a location for fingerprints and click GO
- Pick a day, time, and location for fingerprint appointment and click GO
- Click on I am 18 years of age or older box, then fill in application information.

Once complete, your results will be sent to QPS.

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