

Interagency Advisory Board

Meeting Agenda, Wednesday, September 28, 2011

1. **Opening Remarks** (*Mr. Tim Baldrige, IAB Chair*)
2. **An Introduction to the NIMS Credentialing Guidelines** (*Ted Sobel, DHS*)
3. **Identity Management: A Financial Services Perspective** (*David Belchick, CitiBank*)
4. **Leveraging PIV to Enhance Mobile Device Security** (*Andrew Sheedy, ActivIdentity*)
5. **Closing Remarks** (*Mr. Tim Baldrige, IAB Chair*)

NIMS Guideline for the Credentialing of Personnel

Government Smart Card Alliance
Interagency Advisory Board

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DHS Screening Coordination Office (SCO)



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Agenda

- SCO Overview
- Purpose and Strategy
- Applicability
- Interoperability
- Identification and Other Key Elements
- NIMS Guideline in Action
- Path Forward



Screening Coordination Office

- Established July 2006 to coordinate screening activities among DHS components and to work with government and other stakeholders.
- Roles:
 - Overarching Framework Strategist (Policy Development, Strategic Oversight)
 - Program Advocate (Integration, Facilitation, Coordination)
 - Portfolio Manager (Investment Decisions, Implementation Oversight)



Credentialing

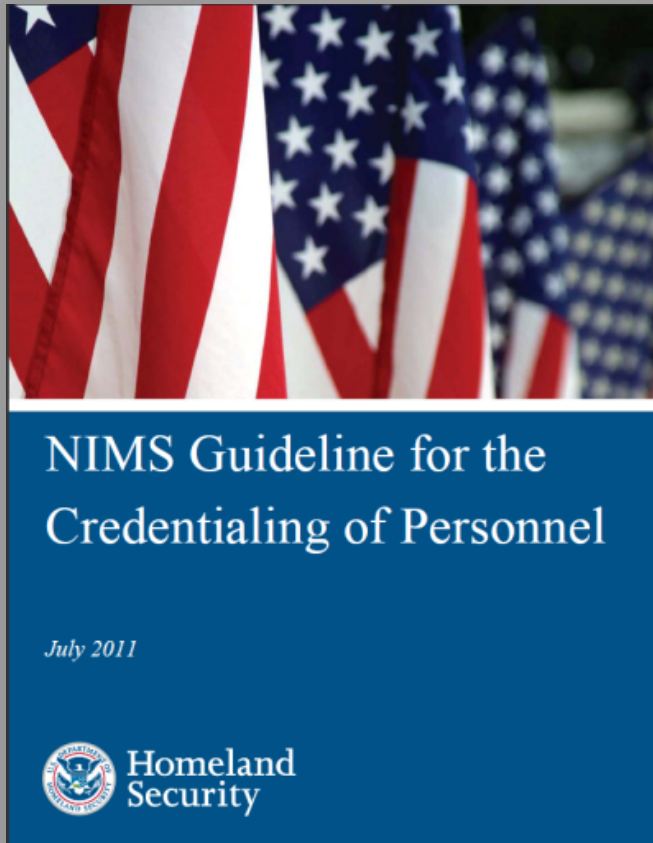
“Providing, respectively, documentation that identifies personnel and authenticates and verifies the qualifications of such personnel by ensuring that such personnel possess a minimum common level of training, experience, physical and medical fitness, and capability appropriate for a particular position...”

- Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act



Purpose and Strategy

Facilitate Emergency Responder Deployment by:



- Describing credentialing and typing processes
- Identifying tools to support both routine and multi-jurisdictional use
- Encourage interoperability at all levels
- Provide information on where to obtain expertise and technical assistance



Core Stakeholders

Federal (Executive Branch)
Emergency Response
Officials (FEROs)

REQUIRED

State, Local, and Tribal
Authorities

RECOMMENDED

Private Sector
Organizations and Critical
Infrastructure Owners and
Operators

RECOMMENDED

Nongovernmental
Organizations

RECOMMENDED



Personal Identity Verification (PIV)

◆ PIV Card

An identity card that is fully conformant with federal PIV requirements (i.e., FIPS-201 and related documentation).





Interoperability: Barriers

- **Common terminology**
- **Technical requirements**
- **Identifier namespace**
- **Trusted identity**





Interoperability: Solution

- **Common terminology for identity cards**
 - **Technical requirements**
 - **Identifier namespace**
 - **Trusted identity**
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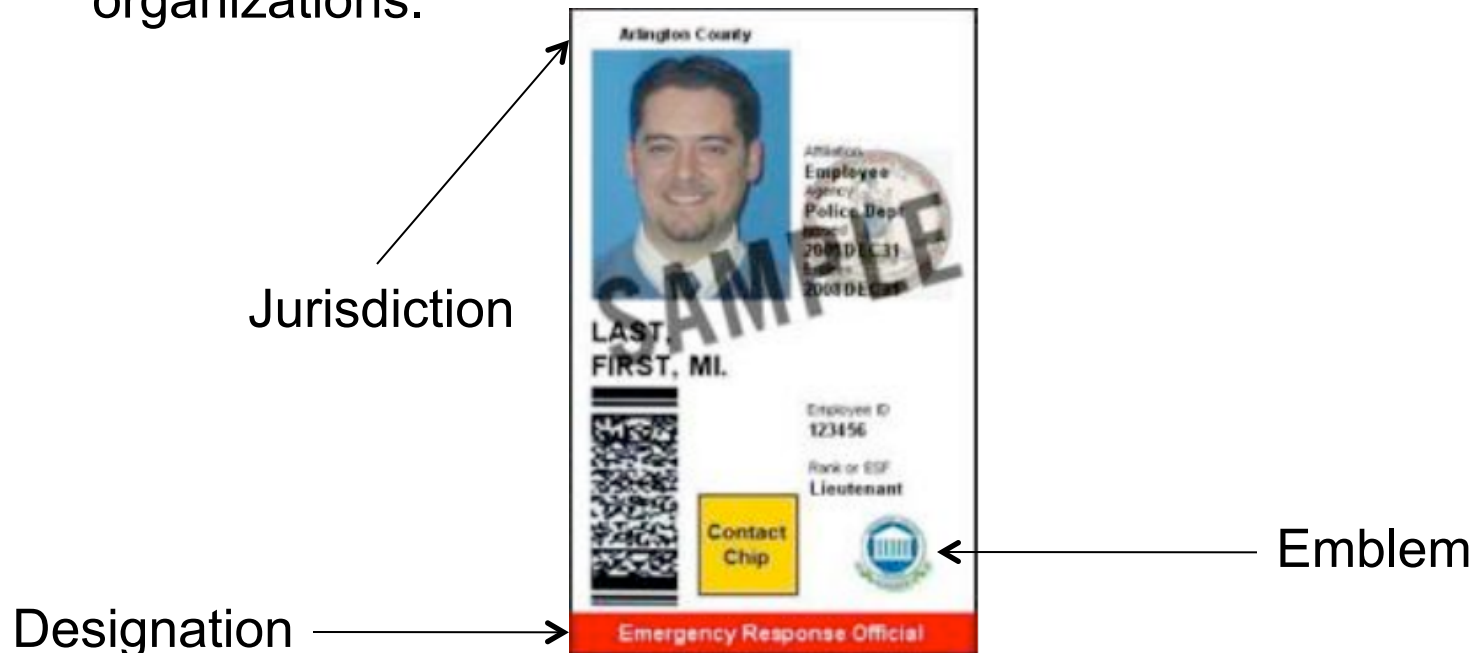


PIV/PIV-I can serve as a common baseline



Identification

- In accordance with HSPD-12, Federal agencies **must** issue PIV cards that visually designates the holders as FEROs.
- Other jurisdictions **are encouraged** to issue cards in accordance with PIV-I. The cards should be customized with name of the agency and underlying emblem of their organizations.



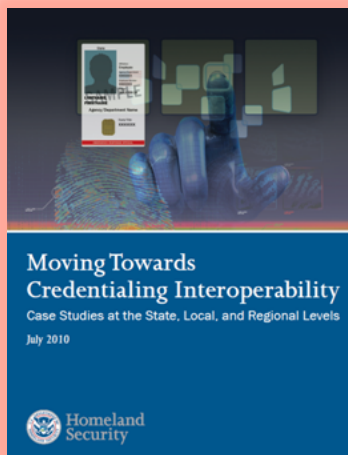
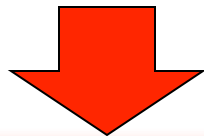
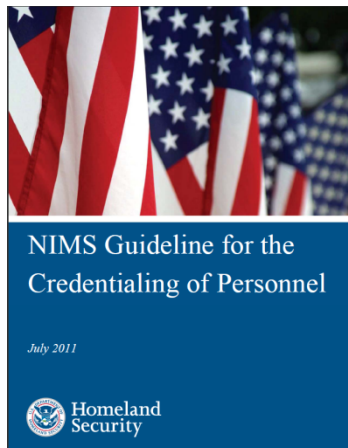


Other Elements

- Badging
- Qualifications
- Typing
- Certification
- Verification
- Revocation
- Authorization and Access
- Affiliation



NIMS Guideline in Action



PIV-I/ First Responder Authentication Credential (FRAC) Technology Transition Work Group (TTWG)

- Federal, State, Tribal, and Local emergency management representatives
- Promote implementing GSA-approved PIV or PIV-I credentials as the primary identity credential for emergency responders within their agencies or jurisdictions.
- Case studies: http://www.dhs.gov/files/publications/gc_1294086844102.shtm



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