

FAA Class II Medical Certificate Process

There are two steps to obtaining the Class II Medical Certificate; 1) the actual exam and 2) the FAA on-line paperwork. Note: - the FAA webpage should be accessed with Internet Explorer (IE) browser.

- 1) Find an Aviation Medical Examiner (AME) using the FAA website:
<http://www.faa.gov/pilots/amelocator/>
 - a. Use the search fields to find a FAA-certified AME you'd like to use
 - b. Then make an appointment for a class II medical exam.

- 2) Complete the online 'FAA Form 8500-8' through the FAA MedXPress website:
<https://medxpress.faa.gov/>
 - a. You'll have to create an account
 - b. Complete Form 8500-8 (a 20 question medical history form) that you'll be able to print when you're done
 - c. Bring a copy of that form to your scheduled exam, but the AME can also access it through the FAA website via the exam confirmation number.