

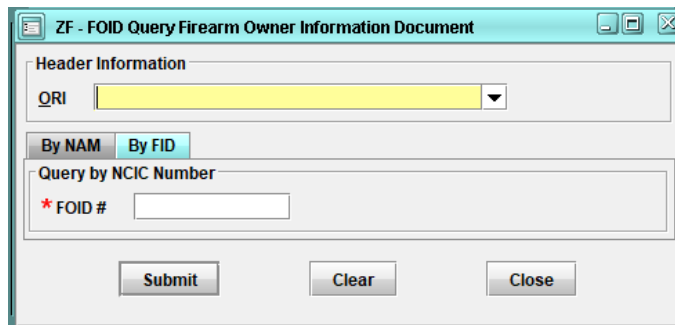
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FOID and CCL Status Check

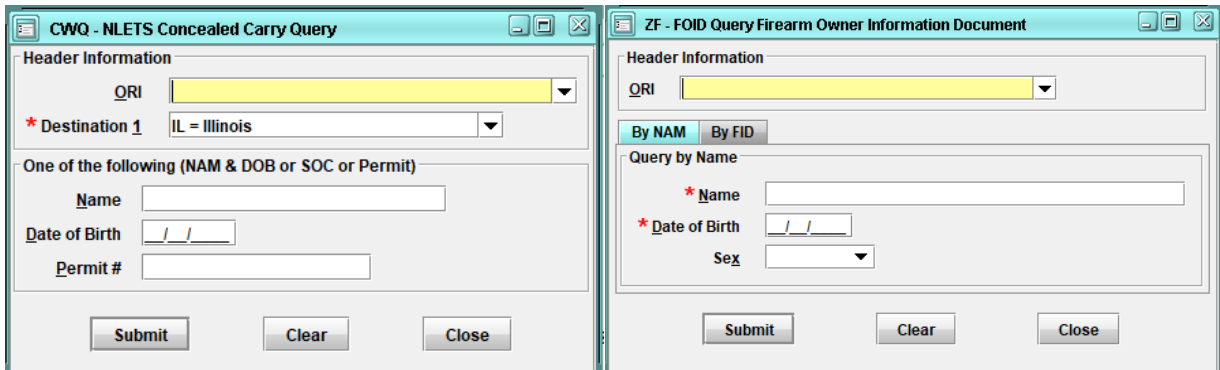
FOID and CCL are automatically checked with every Name, Sex, DOB and/or IL DLN query. Users can also inquire on FOID and CCL independently through LEADS regarding the status of an Illinois Firearm Owner's Identification (FOID) or Concealed Carry License (CCL), returns will be based upon one of two search methods:

1. By number. When conducting an inquiry by the FOID or CCL number, the response will be based upon the specific record associated with that number – nothing else.



The screenshot shows a software window titled "ZF - FOID Query Firearm Owner Information Document". It features a "Header Information" section with a yellow dropdown menu for "ORI". Below this are two tabs: "By NAM" (selected) and "By FID". Under the "By NAM" tab, there is a section titled "Query by NCIC Number" with a text input field for "* FOID #". At the bottom of the window are three buttons: "Submit", "Clear", and "Close".

2. By name and DOB, using either message key CWQ or ZF. For investigative accuracy, an inquiry conducted by name and DOB, the response will be based upon *all available records* that match the DOB and LAST NAME – No other parameters are included.
 - a. Multiple records may return with similar last names. Law Enforcement personnel need to be aware, the responses may contain more than just one subject, similar to a SOUNDEX hit. To further aid in investigations, the Illinois State Police Firearms Services Bureau returns ALL available records for a cardholder, which can include previously canceled or revoked cards.



The image shows two side-by-side software windows. The left window is titled "CWQ - NLETS Concealed Carry Query" and has a "Header Information" section with a yellow "ORI" dropdown and a "* Destination 1" dropdown set to "IL = Illinois". Below is a section "One of the following (NAM & DOB or SOC or Permit)" with input fields for "Name", "Date of Birth", and "Permit #". The right window is titled "ZF - FOID Query Firearm Owner Information Document" and has a "Header Information" section with a yellow "ORI" dropdown. Below are tabs for "By NAM" (selected) and "By FID". Under "By NAM", there is a "Query by Name" section with input fields for "* Name", "* Date of Birth", and a "Sex" dropdown. Both windows have "Submit", "Clear", and "Close" buttons at the bottom.

