

North Carolina Concealed Carry Handgun Permit			Virginia Non-resident Concealed Handgun Permit		
Activity		costs	Activity		costs
CCH Course	(Home Front Freedom - 1 day)	60.00	Competency Course	(online training? With no live instructor?)	39.00
			non-NC CCH fingerprints	(Carteret County Sheriff)	10.00
	Ammo from local sources	20.00	photograph	(Walgreens)	15.00
Application	(Carteret County Sheriff)	81.00	VA application fee	(VA State Police)	100.00
Total	(deduct \$10 if you have your own gun)	161.00	Total		164.00
Pros:	training completed in 1 day by competent certified instructors in the safe handling of handguns, marksmanship and NC specific legal issues		Pros:	required training can be done online without the supervision of a firearms instructor (some actually think this is good)	
	less expensive			Cons:	more expensive
	permit received 30-90 days		permits are backlogged by 5-6 months		
	renewal by 30 prior to expiration		renewals must be done 4 months prior, and require new fingerprints and photographs each time		
	able to use in lieu of Pistol Purchase Permits for handgun purchases in NC			Cannot be used for purchasing a handgun in NC, must purchase a Pistol Purchase Permit for each gun	
Cons:	Actual requirement for real training			No competent certified instructors	
				No training in NC law	
Renewal	(every 5 years-no fingerprints or course)	75.00	Renewal	(every 5 years- all above less course)	125.00
	Costs for 10 years - 1 renewal	236.00		Costs for 10 years - 1 renewal	289.00
	Costs for 15 years - 2 renewals	311.00		Costs for 15 years - 2 renewals	414.00
	Costs for 20 years - 3 renewals	386.00		Costs for 20 years - 3 renewals	539.00