



SOMERSET COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM OF NEW JERSEY
 One Vogt Drive, P.O. Box 6700, Bridgewater, NJ 08807
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Application for SCLSNJ Home Borrowing Library Services by MAIL or Friends and Family PICKUP



This service is specially designed for patrons experiencing health, mobility, transportation, age related, or other qualifying barriers to using physical Library locations, whether long term, permanent, or temporary.

Return this application by mail, in person, or apply online here: SCLSNJ.org/homeborrowing

I am interested in the following service (choose one):

- Mail delivery of library materials** - Based on your preferences and / or requests, the Library will send your materials to you in a reusable canvas bag. They are delivered by the United States Postal Service at no cost to you. You return the materials in the same canvas bag by giving it to or leaving it out for your letter carrier. Overdue fees will not be charged on items delivered by Mail. Frequency of mailing is 1-2 times per month.
- Friends and Family Pickup** - Designate a friend, family member, or caregiver of your choice to pick up your library materials. Pickup frequency is determined by you.

Service duration (choose one):

Long term / permanent

Temporary

Duration: _____

Contact Home Borrowing Staff:
homeborrowing@sclibnj.org (908) 458-4938



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Other services:

- **Digital downloads** - Please note that there is **no application required** for digital downloads - all you need is a library card to access books, magazines, and audiobooks from SCLSNJ on your own device. Ask a Library staff member for help!
- **The Talking Book and Braille Center of New Jersey** serves NJ residents of all ages (children, teens, adults) who have difficulty reading standard print or holding a book or turning the pages of a book because of blindness, a physical impairment, a reading disability or a vision impairment. You may **apply for TBBC services directly with TBBC** at njstatelib.org/tbbc, by calling 800-792-8322, or by asking a Library staff member for an application.

Choose one of the following:

- I require assistance from Home Borrowing Staff in requesting titles over the phone or by email.
- I will request my own materials by placing holds via the website.
- I would like Home Borrowing Staff to select titles for me based on my interests as indicated on the Materials Preferences document. I may also request specific titles whenever I wish.

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Applicant Information

Full legal name: _____

Street address: _____

Facility name, if applicable: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ - _____ Email: _____

Preferred contact method: []Phone []Email []Through caregiver*

* Name and contact information of caregiver, if applicable:

Who can we contact if we are unable to reach you?

Name: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ - _____ Relationship: _____

If this application is being filled out on behalf of a minor, a parent or legal guardian is required to fill out the following information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ - _____ Email: _____

Relationship: _____

Please check one of the following:

- [] I have a Somerset County Library System library card.
[] I do not have a Somerset County Library System library card, but am eligible for one.

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How did you learn about Home Borrowing Library Services?

- Family / Friend
- Library website
- Library staff
- Social worker
- Newspaper
- Social media
- Other _____

I give Library staff permission to check out materials on my behalf, record my checkout history, and maintain a list of my reading preferences (if applicable), with the understanding that my information will be kept completely confidential.

I self-certify that I am unable to easily visit Somerset County Library System due to health, mobility, advanced age, visual impairment, blindness, physical disability, or permanent or temporary incapacity.

I understand that Library staff have discretion to periodically review eligibility for use of this service, that individuals may be required to submit a Certification of Eligibility, and that every effort will be made to ensure that available resources are used in a manner that provides the best service possible to eligible individuals.

Signature: _____

Return this application to library staff at your local branch or by mail to the address below.

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