

Appendix 1 - DBS Update service – Outcomes of Successful status checks

Taken from DBS website: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/dbs-update-service-employer-guide/dbs-update-service-employer-guide>

One of the following results will be presented after a status check:

This DBS certificate did not reveal any information and remains current as no further information has been identified since its issue.

This means:

- the DBS certificate when issued was blank (it did not reveal any information about the person)
- no new information has been found since its issue and can therefore be accepted as being still current and valid

This DBS certificate remains current as no further information has been identified since its issue.

This means:

- the DBS certificate revealed information about the person
- no new information has been found since its issue and can therefore be accepted as being still current and valid

This DBS certificate is no longer current. Please apply for a new DBS check to get the most up-to-date information.

This means:

- new information has come to light since the DBS certificate was issued and you will need to apply for a new DBS check to see this new information

The details entered do not match those held on our system. Please check and try again.

This means either:

- the individual has not subscribed to the Update Service
- the DBS certificate has been removed from the Update Service
- the correct information has not been entered