ICSA How-to Guide
Customize WeChat ID
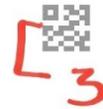
International Child Search Alliance

People can search you on WeChat by scanning your personal QR code or by searching your WeChat ID. Searching by WeChat ID is only possible when you customize your ID. WeChat gives you a standard (very long) WeChat ID starting with *wxid*. These IDs are NOT searchable.

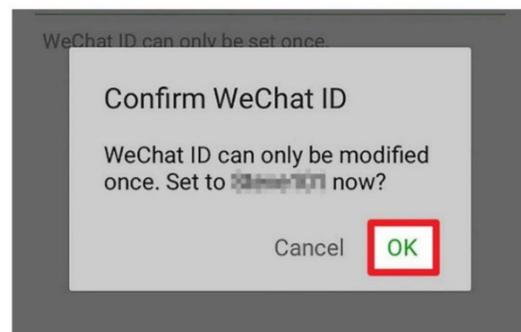| |
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| 1 - your WeChat name
2 - your WeChat ID
3 - tap to see your personal QR-code |

Instructions

Here's how to change your WeChat ID. **Pay attention – this can only be done once!**

1. Begin by opening the WeChat app on your device. If you are not already logged in, log into your account.
2. Once logged in, tap on the *Me* icon at the bottom of your screen. If a conversation is opened, tap the back button.
3. Tap *Settings>Account Security*.
4. Tap on *WeChat ID* at the top of your screen. If a text field doesn't open, you can't change your WeChat ID. If it does, type in the new WeChat ID and hit *Save*.
5. Double check that this is the ID you want since you will only have this one chance to change it. Click *OK* in the dialogue box that appears to confirm the new ID.

The International Child Search Alliance works to raise awareness in China that international adoptees are searching and to encourage Chinese birth parents to do DNA testing. If you would like to be on a group province poster, please join the Facebook group Baby Home (facebook.com/groups/275651082969132) and look in the files section for the ICSA QR codes Poster Owners pdf.