

Firearms - Q&A

Q Why does Afterpay not allow firearms to be sold via its platform?

A Afterpay is a compliant member of the [BNPL Code of Practice](#) (Part B 8.7(f)). One of the key commitments under the Code is that BNPL services will not be used to purchase firearms. This industry-wide approach is reflected in our merchant onboarding policy.

Q Can I partner with Afterpay if I sell other types of (non-firearm) products?

A Yes, you can sell other products. However, firearm items (including ammunition) must be excluded from being purchased with Afterpay.

Q What if I mostly sell firearms - will Afterpay allow me to sell my other remaining products on Afterpay?

A To ensure we meet our obligations under the BNPL Code of Practice, we are unlikely to onboard you as an Afterpay merchant if you mostly sell firearms.

Q What if Afterpay is refusing to allow me on the platform - can I appeal this decision?

A We want to provide our customers with access to a broad range of merchant partners, which means we don't make the decision to decline a new merchant lightly - it is done after careful consideration and internal escalation. You may request a review of our initial decision, but once we formally advise you that your application is declined, we are unfortunately unable to assist you further.