# Holster options, what's the best?



### Introduction:

When it comes to selecting a holster, several questions come to mind. How do you want to carry it? Different seasons, style of clothing, etc. Customers have heard me say time and time again is, if you have a favorite EDC, you will most likely end up with 3 to 4 different style holsters for it. I also always say, holsters are like shoes, comfortable ones you will wear, and others you will toss in the corner!

Let's look at the various styles and options available.

## Understanding the Different Types of Gun Holsters



**IWB Holsters: Sleek Concealment** 

**Inside-the-Waistband (IWB) holsters** offer sleek concealment, making them a popular choice among concealed carry enthusiasts. Crafted to be worn inside your pants, IWB holsters provide a snug fit and keeps your firearm close to your body, minimizing printing.



**OWB Holsters: Quick Accessibility** 

**Outside-the-Waistband (OWB) holsters** provide quick and easy access to your firearm. Ideal for open carry, these holsters attach outside your pants, allowing for a smooth draw. OWB holsters are favored by those who value a fast and efficient response.



Shoulder Holsters: On the job

For those seeking a different approach, **shoulder holsters** combine style with functionality. These holsters rest comfortably over your shoulders, providing a unique and discreet way to carry your firearm.



Appendix Holsters: Tactical

**Appendix holsters** are positioned in the front of your body, offering a tactical advantage in terms of drawing speed. This type is favored by those who prioritize a quick and efficient response in critical situations.

## Factors to Consider When Choosing a Holster

#### Material Makes A Difference

The **material** of your holster plays a crucial role in its durability and performance. Whether it is leather, Kydex, or nylon, each material has its advantages. Leather holsters, provide a classic look and comfortable fit, while Kydex offers excellent retention and durability.

#### **Concealment Comfort**

When choosing a holster, consider how well it conceals your firearm. **Concealment comfort** is vital for everyday carry, ensuring that your weapon remains hidden without sacrificing accessibility.

#### **Retention Mechanism**

The **retention mechanism** of a holster determines how securely it holds your firearm in place. Whether through friction, snaps, or straps, a reliable retention system is essential for your peace of mind.

## Extra Options for a better fit

#### Adjustable Cant and Ride Height

To achieve the perfect fit, opt for a holster with **adjustable cant and ride height**. This customization allows you to find the most comfortable and accessible position for your firearm.

#### Additional Accessories

Consider holsters with **additional accessory options**, such as magazine pouches or flashlight attachments. These features enhance the versatility of your holster, catering to your specific needs.

#### Maintenance

With every item, proper maintenance is the key to ensure your product does all it can for you. Regularly cleaning and inspection of your holster will reduce wear and tear, while guaranteeing its reliability when you need it most!

## Summary

I hope the above information helps guides you in choosing the holster that is right for you. As I have said many times, one style usually does not do it all, and you will most likely have a few for your favorite EDC. While comfort is the most desirable, there are a variety of options and applications to ensure your likelihood of carrying daily! As always, feel free to stop in and consult our expert staff to help you make the right decision.

Hope to see you soon, carry with confidence!