

RN Licensure Requirements by State and US Territories					
State	Previous graduates from the state?	Relevant regulatory document link	Education requirements	Application process information	Does the FSON BSN program comply with the state's requirements?
Alabama	yes	<p>Administrative Code  <a href="https://admincode.legislature.state.al.us/administrative-code/610">https://admincode.legislature.state.al.us/administrative-code/610</a></p> <p>Education Clinical and Curriculum Requirements  <a href="https://www.abn.alabama.gov/wp-content/uploads/2023/09/ABN-Education-Clinical-and-Curriculum.pdf">https://www.abn.alabama.gov/wp-content/uploads/2023/09/ABN-Education-Clinical-and-Curriculum.pdf</a></p>	<p>Eligibility for licensure and to test (NCLEX): the RN applicant must have graduated from an accredited institution and Board approved nursing program. If the applicant graduates from an institution outside the state of Alabama, the nursing program must substantially meet the same requirements as Alabama nursing programs.  <a href="https://www.abn.alabama.gov/wp-content/uploads/2023/09/ABN-Education-Clinical-and-Curriculum.pdf">https://www.abn.alabama.gov/wp-content/uploads/2023/09/ABN-Education-Clinical-and-Curriculum.pdf</a></p>	<p>Website -  <a href="https://www.abn.alabama.gov/licensing/apply/licensure-by-exam/exam-application-multi-state/">https://www.abn.alabama.gov/licensing/apply/licensure-by-exam/exam-application-multi-state/</a></p>	<b>Yes</b>
Alaska	no	<p>Nursing Statutes and Regulations -  <a href="https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/Portals/5/pub/NursingStatutes.pdf">https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/Portals/5/pub/NursingStatutes.pdf</a>                      Articles 2 and 3</p>	<p>For RN licensure:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Must graduate from a board-approved program</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> All RN applicants are required to have graduated from a program that is nationally nursing accredited</li> </ul> <p><a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p>	<p>Website –  <a href="https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/cbpl/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardofNursing/ApplicationsForms.aspx">https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/cbpl/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardofNursing/ApplicationsForms.aspx</a></p> <p>Instructions -</p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p> <p>According to their rules and regs – 6/17</p>

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			<p>Sec. 08.68.170. Qualifications of registered or practical nurse applicants.</p> <p>(a) An applicant for a license to practice registered nursing shall submit to the board, on forms and in the manner prescribed by the board, written evidence, verified by oath, that the applicant has successfully completed a registered nurse education program accredited by a national nursing accrediting body and approved by the board.</p> <p><a href="https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/Portals/5/pub/NursingStatutes.pdf">https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/Portals/5/pub/NursingStatutes.pdf</a></p>	<p><a href="https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/portals/5/pub/nur4112.pdf">https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/portals/5/pub/nur4112.pdf</a></p>	
American Samoa	no	No information regarding the rules and regulations available online.	<p>Please contact the American Samoa Board of Nursing for PN, RN and APRN licensure information.</p> <p><a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p>	Not available	<b>Unknown</b>
Arizona	yes	<p>AZ BON Statutes - <a href="https://www.azbn.gov/laws-and-rules/statutes">https://www.azbn.gov/laws-and-rules/statutes</a></p> <p>Nurse Practice Act Website - <a href="https://www.azbn.gov/education/nurse-practice-act">https://www.azbn.gov/education/nurse-practice-act</a></p>	<p>For RN licensure: Must graduate from a board-approved program</p> <p><a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p> <p>An applicant for a license to practice as a registered nurse shall file with the board a verified written application accompanied by</p>	<p>Website – <a href="https://azbn.gov/licenses-certifications/apply-for-a-license">https://azbn.gov/licenses-certifications/apply-for-a-license</a></p> <p>Instructions – <a href="https://azbn.gov/sites/default/files/2019-">https://azbn.gov/sites/default/files/2019-</a></p>	<b>Yes</b>

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		<p>Click “Rules for the State Board of Nursing” for education requirements</p>	<p>the prescribed fee and shall submit satisfactory proof that the applicant has completed satisfactorily the basic curriculum in an approved registered nursing program and holds a diploma or degree from that program.</p> <p><a href="https://www.azleg.gov/viewdocument/?docName=http://www.azleg.gov/ars/32/01632.htm">https://www.azleg.gov/viewdocument/?docName=http://www.azleg.gov/ars/32/01632.htm</a></p> <p>Graduates of out of state schools – Transcripts, including graduation dates and type of degree, sent by your school to Arizona State Board of Nursing.</p> <p><a href="https://azbn.gov/licenses-certifications/apply-for-a-license">https://azbn.gov/licenses-certifications/apply-for-a-license</a></p>	<p><a href="#">12/Applying%20for%20a%20Nursing%20License%20by%20Exam%2010-3-19%281%29.pdf</a></p>	
Arkansas	no	<p>AR Laws and Rules - <a href="https://www.healthy.arkansas.gov/programs-services/topics/arsbn-laws-rules">https://www.healthy.arkansas.gov/programs-services/topics/arsbn-laws-rules</a></p> <p>Subchapter 3 Licensing - <a href="https://www.healthy.arkansas.gov/images/uploads/pdf/NURSEPRACTICEACT.Subchapter3.pdf">https://www.healthy.arkansas.gov/images/uploads/pdf/NURSEPRACTICEACT.Subchapter3.pdf</a></p> <p>Chapter 6 Standards for Nursing education programs -</p>	<p>17-87-301. Registered nurses.</p> <p>(a) Qualifications. Before taking the examination or before the issuance of a license by endorsement, an applicant for a license to practice professional nursing shall submit to the Arkansas State Board of Nursing written evidence, verified by oath, that the applicant:</p> <p>(1) Has completed an approved high school course of study or the equivalent thereof as determined by the appropriate educational agency; and</p> <p>(2) Has completed the required approved professional nursing education program.</p>	<p>Website - <a href="https://www.healthy.arkansas.gov/programs-services/topics/arsbn-rn-initial-by-exam">https://www.healthy.arkansas.gov/programs-services/topics/arsbn-rn-initial-by-exam</a></p> <p>Program Completion Verification Form <a href="https://www.healthy.arkansas.gov/programs-services/topics/a">https://www.healthy.arkansas.gov/programs-services/topics/a</a></p>	<b>Yes</b>

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		<a href="https://www.healthy.arkansas.gov/images/uploads/pdf/Rules.Chapter06-Effective_5-15-22.pdf">https://www.healthy.arkansas.gov/images/uploads/pdf/Rules.Chapter06-Effective_5-15-22.pdf</a>	<a href="https://www.healthy.arkansas.gov/images/uploads/pdf/NURSEPRACTICEACT.Subchapter3.pdf">https://www.healthy.arkansas.gov/images/uploads/pdf/NURSEPRACTICEACT.Subchapter3.pdf</a>  If you graduated from a nursing program outside of Arkansas, your nursing education program director must complete a paper Affidavit of Graduation form and mail it directly to the Arkansas Board of Nursing. <a href="https://www.healthy.arkansas.gov/programs-services/topics/arsbn-rn-initial-by-exam">https://www.healthy.arkansas.gov/programs-services/topics/arsbn-rn-initial-by-exam</a>	<a href="#">rsbn-rn-initial-by-exam</a>	
California	yes	Nurse Practice Act - <a href="https://www.rn.ca.gov/practice/npa.shtml">https://www.rn.ca.gov/practice/npa.shtml</a>  Article 4 Nursing Schools – <a href="https://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/codes_displayText.xhtml?lawCode=BPC&amp;division=2.&amp;title=&amp;part=&amp;chapter=6.&amp;article=4">https://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/codes_displayText.xhtml?lawCode=BPC&amp;division=2.&amp;title=&amp;part=&amp;chapter=6.&amp;article=4</a> .	For RN licensure: All applicants must have completed an educational program meeting all California requirements. If you are lacking any educational requirements, you must successfully complete an approved course prior to taking the examination. <a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a>  U.S. GRADUATES OTHER THAN CALIFORNIA: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If you are a graduate from a U.S. school in a state other than California, transcripts are required from all colleges and/or universities you attended that reflect courses required for a degree in nursing, including general education course requirements and all nursing courses. Transcripts must be received and</li> </ul>	Website - <a href="https://www.rn.ca.gov/applicants/lic-exam.shtml">https://www.rn.ca.gov/applicants/lic-exam.shtml</a>  Instructions - <a href="https://www.rn.ca.gov/pdfs/applicants/exam-app.pdf">https://www.rn.ca.gov/pdfs/applicants/exam-app.pdf</a>	<b>Yes</b>

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			<p>evaluated by the Board prior to being found eligible for the examination.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Your education must meet the requirements for California licensure. If any deficiencies are identified, you must complete the coursework prior to being found eligible for the examination.</li> </ul> <p><a href="https://www.rn.ca.gov/pdfs/applicants/exam-app.pdf">https://www.rn.ca.gov/pdfs/applicants/exam-app.pdf</a></p>		
Colorado	no	<p>Nursing Rules and Regulations –</p> <p><a href="https://www.sos.state.co.us/CCR/GenerateRulePdf.do?ruleVersionId=11428&amp;fileName=3%20CCR%20716-1">https://www.sos.state.co.us/CCR/GenerateRulePdf.do?ruleVersionId=11428&amp;fileName=3%20CCR%20716-1</a></p> <p>Sections 1.1 and 1.2</p>	<p>For RN licensure:</p> <p>Must graduate from a board-approved program</p> <p><a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p> <p>A Graduate of a nursing education program approved by a board of nursing of another state or territory of the United States is eligible to take the NCLEX examination for professional or practical nursing, provided that:</p> <p>A. The applicant graduated from a traditional nursing education program that was accredited by an agency recognized by the United States Department of Education and/or Council for Higher Education Accreditation and approved by a board of nursing of a state or territory of the United States;</p>	<p>Website –</p> <p><a href="https://dpo.colorado.gov/Nursing/RNApplications">https://dpo.colorado.gov/Nursing/RNApplications</a></p>	<b>Yes</b>

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Connecticut	no	<p>Nurse Practice Act - <a href="https://www.cga.ct.gov/current/pub/Chap_378.htm">https://www.cga.ct.gov/current/pub/Chap_378.htm</a></p> <p>Nursing Education Programs Licensure Requirements General - <a href="https://portal.ct.gov/-/media/Departments-and-Agencies/DPH/dph/Agency_Regulations/Sections/pdfs/Title20ProfessionalLicensing/2026NursingEducationProgramsandLicensureRequirementspdf.pdf">https://portal.ct.gov/-/media/Departments-and-Agencies/DPH/dph/Agency_Regulations/Sections/pdfs/Title20ProfessionalLicensing/2026NursingEducationProgramsandLicensureRequirementspdf.pdf</a></p>	<p>20.90.59 Out-of-state programs</p> <p>A program in nursing located in another state or territory of the United States shall be deemed approved pursuant to section 20-90 of the Connecticut General Statutes, provided that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(1) said program, if a registered nursing education program, complies with the provisions of section 20-90-52 of the regulations of Connecticut State Agencies:</li> <li>(2) said program is approved by the duly authorized nurse licensure board or agency of the state or territory in which it is located: and</li> <li>(3) said state or territory maintains licensure requirements substantially similar to or higher than those of this state.</li> </ol>	<p>Website – <a href="https://portal.ct.gov/dph/practitioner-licensing--investigations/registered-nurse/rn-licensure-by-examination">https://portal.ct.gov/dph/practitioner-licensing--investigations/registered-nurse/rn-licensure-by-examination</a></p>	<b>Yes</b>

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Delaware	no	<p>Board of Nursing Regulations - <a href="https://regulations.delaware.gov/AdminCode/title24/1900.shtml">https://regulations.delaware.gov/AdminCode/title24/1900.shtml</a></p> <p>Professions and Occupations Code – Chapter 19 Nursing <a href="https://delcode.delaware.gov/title24/c019/">https://delcode.delaware.gov/title24/c019/</a></p>	<p>Delaware has not made a determination of whether an out of state school meets curriculum requirements. Instead, for RN licensure, Delaware requires that an RN applicant must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Graduate from a board approved nursing program in the state where the program is located.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Have completed at least 400 clinical hours for a RN program.</li> </ul> <p><a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p>	<p>Website – <a href="https://dpr.delaware.gov/boards/nursing/exam/">https://dpr.delaware.gov/boards/nursing/exam/</a></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p> <p>Confirmed via email 6/14</p>
District of Columbia	no	<p>Chapter 56 Nursing Schools and Programs – <a href="https://dchealth.dc.gov/sites/default/files/dc/sites/doh/service_content/attachments/Chapter%2056%20Nursing%20Schools%20and%20Programs%2011-26-2021.pdf">https://dchealth.dc.gov/sites/default/files/dc/sites/doh/service_content/attachments/Chapter%2056%20Nursing%20Schools%20and%20Programs%2011-26-2021.pdf</a></p>	<p>Complete a nursing education program leading to licensure as a registered nurse which is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(1) Approved by the Board in accordance with Chapter 56 of this title; or</li> <li>(2) Approved by a nursing board in the United States or U.S. territory with standards determined by the Board to be substantially equivalent to the</li> </ul>	<p>Website – <a href="https://dchealth.dc.gov/node/323012">https://dchealth.dc.gov/node/323012</a></p> <p>Information – <a href="https://dchealth.dc.gov/sites/default/files/dc/sites/doh/publication/attachments/REGISTERED%20N">https://dchealth.dc.gov/sites/default/files/dc/sites/doh/publication/attachments/REGISTERED%20N</a></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>

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			standards in the District in accordance with Chapter 56 of this title. <a href="https://dchealth.dc.gov/sites/default/files/dc/sites/doh/publication/attachments/Chapter%2054%20Registered%20Nursing%209-2-2022.pdf">https://dchealth.dc.gov/sites/default/files/dc/sites/doh/publication/attachments/Chapter%2054%20Registered%20Nursing%209-2-2022.pdf</a>	<a href="#">URSE%20EXAMINATION%20REQUIREMENTS%209-2022.pdf</a>	
Florida	yes	<p>Statutes and Rules – <a href="https://floridasnursing.gov/licensing/licensed-practical-nurse-registered-nurse-by-examination/#tab-statutes-rules">https://floridasnursing.gov/licensing/licensed-practical-nurse-registered-nurse-by-examination/#tab-statutes-rules</a></p> <p>464.008 Licensure by Examination - <a href="http://www.leg.state.fl.us/statutes/index.cfm?App_mode=Display_Statute&amp;Search_String=&amp;URL=0400-0499/0464/Sections/0464.008.html">http://www.leg.state.fl.us/statutes/index.cfm?App_mode=Display_Statute&amp;Search_String=&amp;URL=0400-0499/0464/Sections/0464.008.html</a></p>	<p>For RN licensure: Must graduate from a program approved by the Board of Nursing in the state/jurisdiction that the program is located in - <a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p> <p>From the FL BON website -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Graduation from a Florida approved or accredited nursing education program as defined in Section 464.003, F.S.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Graduation from an Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN) or Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE) accredited nursing program that has been issued an NCLEX code by NCSBN.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Graduation from a nursing education program that is approved or recognized by the jurisdiction in which it is based and that has been issued an NCLEX code by the National Council of State Boards of Nursing (NCSBN).</li> </ul>	<p>Website - <a href="https://floridasnursing.gov/licensing/licensed-practical-nurse-registered-nurse-by-examination/">https://floridasnursing.gov/licensing/licensed-practical-nurse-registered-nurse-by-examination/</a></p>	<b>Yes</b>



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Guam	no	<p>Rules and Regulations – <a href="https://guamhplo.org/gbne/rules-and-regulations">https://guamhplo.org/gbne/rules-and-regulations</a></p> <p>Administrative Rules and Regulations - <a href="https://www.guamlegislature.com/Bills_Introduced_29th/B277%20Part%203%20-%20GBNEAdministrative%20Rules%20%20Regs%20Hawa2008%20JPC.pdf">https://www.guamlegislature.com/Bills_Introduced_29th/B277%20Part%203%20-%20GBNEAdministrative%20Rules%20%20Regs%20Hawa2008%20JPC.pdf</a></p>	<p>The applicant shall submit a completed and notarized application for licensure by examination which shall include:</p> <p>(i) Verification of graduation or completion and eligibility for graduation from a state-approved registered or practical nursing program as evidenced by an official Certificate of Nursing Education document received directly from the state-approved nursing education program for the level of licensure being sought. The document shall verify the date of graduation, credential conferred and evidence of meeting the standards of nursing education comparable to the U.S. and Guam. An official transcript directly from the School of Nursing is required prior to the issuance of a permanent license.</p> <p><a href="https://www.guamlegislature.com/Bills_Introduced_29th/B277%20Part%203%20-%20GBNEAdministrative%20Rules%20%20Regs%202008%20JPC.pdf">https://www.guamlegislature.com/Bills_Introduced_29th/B277%20Part%203%20-%20GBNEAdministrative%20Rules%20%20Regs%202008%20JPC.pdf</a></p>	<p>Instructions/ Application - <a href="http://dphss.guam.gov/wp-content/uploads/2019/08/GBNE-Application-Updated-2019.pdf">http://dphss.guam.gov/wp-content/uploads/2019/08/GBNE-Application-Updated-2019.pdf</a></p> <p>Education Verification form <a href="https://guamhplo.org/sites/default/files/certificate_of_nursing_education_form_fillable.pdf">https://guamhplo.org/sites/default/files/certificate_of_nursing_education_form_fillable.pdf</a></p>	<b>Yes</b>
Hawaii	No	<p>Hawaii Administrative Rules Chapter 89 - <a href="https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/files/2013/08/HAR-89-C.pdf#new_tab">https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/files/2013/08/HAR-89-C.pdf#new_tab</a></p>	<p><b>§16-89-10 Eligibility for registered nurse examination.</b> Graduates of the following nursing programs shall be eligible to take the NCLEX-RN, provided the requirements of section 16-89-47 have been met:</p>	<p>Instructions/ Application - <a href="https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/files/2024/02/RN-LPN-Nursing-by-">https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/files/2024/02/RN-LPN-Nursing-by-</a></p>	<b>Yes</b>

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			<p>(1) A state-approved or nationally accredited baccalaureate, the pre-licensure portion of a graduate level program in nursing, an §16-89-10 89-12 associate degree or diploma nursing program in the United States or district or a territory of the United States</p> <p><a href="https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/files/2013/08/HAR-89-C.pdf#new_tab">https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/files/2013/08/HAR-89-C.pdf#new_tab</a></p> <p><b>U.S. GRADUATES</b> If you have just graduated or will be graduating soon, have your nursing school send the following directly to the Board:</p> <p>1) An official final transcript verifying degree conferred or</p> <p>2) An official letter from your school certifying the successful completion of your nursing program which must be received in the Board's office first in order to be deemed eligible to sit for the exam. (An official final transcript verifying degree conferred must follow and be received prior to licensure.)</p> <p><a href="https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/files/2024/02/RN-LPN-Nursing-by-exam_02.24-R.pdf">https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/files/2024/02/RN-LPN-Nursing-by-exam_02.24-R.pdf</a></p>	<p><a href="#">exam_02.24-R.pdf</a></p>	
Idaho	no	Rules of the Idaho Board of Nursing -	<p><b>Out-of-State.</b> Individuals who hold a certificate of completion from a nursing education program having board of nursing approval in another nursing jurisdiction will be eligible to</p>	<p>Website - <a href="https://dopl.idaho.gov/bon/bon-licensing/">https://dopl.idaho.gov/bon/bon-licensing/</a></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p> <p>Confirmed via email 6/14</p>

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		<p><a href="https://adminrules.idaho.gov/rules/2011/23/0101.pdf">https://adminrules.idaho.gov/rules/2011/23/0101.pdf</a></p> <p>Chapter 14 Nurses - <a href="https://legislature.idaho.gov/statutesrules/idstat/Title54/T54CH14/">https://legislature.idaho.gov/statutesrules/idstat/Title54/T54CH14/</a></p>	<p>make application to the Board to take the licensing examination, providing they meet substantially the same basic educational requirements as graduates of Idaho nursing education programs at the time of application.</p> <p><a href="https://adminrules.idaho.gov/rules/2011/23/0101.pdf">https://adminrules.idaho.gov/rules/2011/23/0101.pdf</a></p>		
Illinois	no	<p>Administrative Code - <a href="https://www.ilga.gov/commission/jcar/admincode/068/06801300sections.html">https://www.ilga.gov/commission/jcar/admincode/068/06801300sections.html</a></p> <p>Section 1300.300 Application for Examination or Licensure - <a href="https://www.ilga.gov/commission/jcar/admincode/068/068013000C0300OR.html">https://www.ilga.gov/commission/jcar/admincode/068/068013000C0300OR.html</a></p> <p>Section 1300.340 Approval of Programs - <a href="https://www.ilga.gov/commission/jcar/admincode/068/068013000C0340OR.html">https://www.ilga.gov/commission/jcar/admincode/068/068013000C0340OR.html</a></p>	<p><b>Application for Examination or Licensure</b></p> <p>a) Each applicant shall file, with the Division or the testing service designated by the Division, a completed, signed application, on forms supplied by the Division, that includes:</p> <p>1) Proof of graduation from a nursing education program that meets the requirements of Section 1300.340 <a href="https://www.ilga.gov/commission/jcar/admincode/068/068013000C0300OR.html">https://www.ilga.gov/commission/jcar/admincode/068/068013000C0300OR.html</a></p> <p>Out-of-state applicants MUST submit form ED-NUR or an official transcript - ED-NUR form is available at <a href="https://www.continentaltesting.net/downloads/IL/ED_NUR.pdf">https://www.continentaltesting.net/downloads/IL/ED_NUR.pdf</a></p>	<p>Instructions - <a href="https://www.continentaltesting.net/downloads/041-043-RN-LPN-Examination-Application-Instructions.pdf">https://www.continentaltesting.net/downloads/041-043-RN-LPN-Examination-Application-Instructions.pdf</a></p>	<b>Yes</b>

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Iowa	no	<p>Iowa Administrative Code <a href="https://www.legis.iowa.gov/law/administrativerules/chapters?agency=655">https://www.legis.iowa.gov/law/administrativerules/chapters?agency=655</a>                      Chapters 2 and 3                       Chapter 152 Nursing -</p>	<p>Must graduate from a board-approved program - <a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p> <p>Graduates from out-of-state nursing programs who have not taken the NCLEX exam must first complete the online application and pay the fee. Once completed, request paper documentation from the Board of Nursing. -</p>	<p>Website - <a href="https://dial.iowa.gov/i-need/licenses/medical/nursing-professional-midwifery/nursing-licensure/how-do-i-apply-">https://dial.iowa.gov/i-need/licenses/medical/nursing-professional-midwifery/nursing-licensure/how-do-i-apply-</a></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>

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		<a href="https://www.legis.iowa.gov/docs/ico/chapter/152.pdf">https://www.legis.iowa.gov/docs/ico/chapter/152.pdf</a>	<a href="https://dial.iowa.gov/i-need/licenses/medical/nursing-professional-midwifery/nursing-licensure/how-do-i-apply-nursing-license-examination">https://dial.iowa.gov/i-need/licenses/medical/nursing-professional-midwifery/nursing-licensure/how-do-i-apply-nursing-license-examination</a>	<a href="#">nursing-license-examination</a>  Instructions – <a href="https://dial.iowa.gov/media/791/download?inline">https://dial.iowa.gov/media/791/download?inline</a> ≡	
Kansas	no	<p>KS Statutes - <a href="https://www.kslegislature.org/li/b2023_24/statute/065_000_0000_chapter/065_011_0000_article/">https://www.kslegislature.org/li/b2023_24/statute/065_000_0000_chapter/065_011_0000_article/</a></p> <p>Curriculum Requirements <a href="https://www.kssos.org/publications/pubs_kar_Regs.aspx?KAR=60-2-104&amp;Srch=Y">https://www.kssos.org/publications/pubs_kar_Regs.aspx?KAR=60-2-104&amp;Srch=Y</a></p>	<p>For RN licensure:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Must graduate from a board-approved program</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> RN Education regulations found in K.A.R. 60-2-104 and contain the following requirements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Content in biological, physical, social and behavioral sciences – must have A&amp;P</li> <li>o Content in growth &amp; development / developmental psychology</li> <li>o A minimum of 30 credit hours in nursing courses</li> <li>o Nursing courses must have theory and direct clinical experience across the lifespan – <a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Website - <a href="https://ksbn.kansas.gov/initial-application/">https://ksbn.kansas.gov/initial-application/</a>	<b>Yes</b>  Confirmed via email 6/14
Kentucky	no	Board of Nursing Titles <a href="https://apps.legislature.ky.gov/law/kar/titles/201/020/">https://apps.legislature.ky.gov/law/kar/titles/201/020/</a>	<p>For RN licensure:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> An applicant for a KY RN license must have completed the basic curriculum for preparing registered nurses in an</li> </ul>	Website - <a href="https://kbn.ky.gov/Registered-">https://kbn.ky.gov/Registered-</a>	<b>Yes</b>

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		<p>Licensure by Examination  <a href="https://apps.legislature.ky.gov/law/kar/titles/201/020/070/">https://apps.legislature.ky.gov/law/kar/titles/201/020/070/</a></p> <p>Standards for Curriculum  <a href="https://apps.legislature.ky.gov/law/kar/titles/201/020/320/">https://apps.legislature.ky.gov/law/kar/titles/201/020/320/</a></p>	<p>approved school of nursing and have completed the school’s requirements for graduation;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>□ ... [Ref: KRS 314.041 (a)]. The Kentucky Board of Nursing does recognize graduates from prelicensure nursing education programs that are approved/accredited by other state boards of nursing as eligible for licensure in Kentucky. – <a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></li> </ul> <p>After completing the examination applications, applicants must also pass the Jurisprudence test with a passing score of 80% or higher.  <a href="https://kbn.ky.gov/Registered-Nurse/Pages/Apply.aspx">https://kbn.ky.gov/Registered-Nurse/Pages/Apply.aspx</a></p> <p>If you attend an out of state program of nursing, you will need to submit an official transcript to the KBN.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>□ An official transcript is a transcript that is sent directly from the program of nursing, through a clearing house to the KBN, or a copy obtained by the applicant that is in the original, sealed, unopened envelope from the program of nursing.</li> </ul>	<p><a href="#">Nurse/Pages/Apply.aspx</a></p>	
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Louisiana	no	<p>Subpart 2 – Registered Nurses -  <a href="https://casetext.com/regulation/louisiana-administrative-code/title-46-professional-and-occupation-standards/part-xlvi-nurses-practical-nurses-and-registered-nurses/subpart-2-registered-nurses">https://casetext.com/regulation/louisiana-administrative-code/title-46-professional-and-occupation-standards/part-xlvi-nurses-practical-nurses-and-registered-nurses/subpart-2-registered-nurses</a></p> <p>Licensure by Examination  <a href="https://casetext.com/regulation/louisiana-administrative-code/title-46-professional-and-occupational-standards/part-xlvi-nurses-practical-nurses-and-registered-nurses/subpart-2-">https://casetext.com/regulation/louisiana-administrative-code/title-46-professional-and-occupational-standards/part-xlvi-nurses-practical-nurses-and-registered-nurses/subpart-2-</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☐ Must graduate from a board-approved program</li> <li>☐ The LA criteria for licensure are found in RS37:920.A.1.a-g as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ §920. Licensure; qualifications; examination; renewal; temporary permits</li> </ul> <p>A.(1) The board shall issue a license to each applicant who applies for licensure as a registered nurse or an advanced practice registered nurse who files an application upon a form and in such manner as the board prescribes, accompanied by such fee as required in R.S. 37:927, and who furnishes evidence to the board that he:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(b) Has completed the requirements of a nursing education program approved by the board which prepares him for initial licensure as a registered nurse.</li> <li>(c) Passes an examination to the satisfaction of the board.</li> <li>(d) Has completed certain course work as required by the board.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p>Instructions -  <a href="https://www.lsbn.state.la.us/wp-content/uploads/credentialing/RNExamApplication.pdf">https://www.lsbn.state.la.us/wp-content/uploads/credentialing/RNExamApplication.pdf</a></p> <p>Graduation Verification Form  <a href="https://www.lsbn.state.la.us/wp-content/uploads/credentialing/OutofStateAOG.pdf">https://www.lsbn.state.la.us/wp-content/uploads/credentialing/OutofStateAOG.pdf</a></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p> <p>According to their rules and regs 6/18</p>

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		<p><a href="#">registered-nurses/chapter-33-general/subchapter-c-registration-and-registered-nurse-licensure/section-xlvi-3325-licensure-by-examination</a></p> <p>Curriculum – <a href="https://casetext.com/regulation/louisiana-administrative-code/title-46-professional-and-occupational-standards/part-xlvi-nurses-practical-nurses-and-registered-nurses/subpart-2-registered-nurses/chapter-35-undergraduate-and-graduate-nursing-education-degree-programs/section-xlvi-3521-curriculum-undergraduate-and-graduate-nursing-education-degree-programs">https://casetext.com/regulation/louisiana-administrative-code/title-46-professional-and-occupational-standards/part-xlvi-nurses-practical-nurses-and-registered-nurses/subpart-2-registered-nurses/chapter-35-undergraduate-and-graduate-nursing-education-degree-programs/section-xlvi-3521-curriculum-undergraduate-and-graduate-nursing-education-degree-programs</a></p>	<p>(e) Is not in violation of this Part and the rules and regulations.</p> <p>(f) Has committed no acts or omissions which constitute grounds for disciplinary action as defined in R.S. 37:921, or if found guilty of committing such acts or omissions, the board finds, after investigation, that sufficient restitution, rehabilitation, and education have occurred.</p> <p><a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p>		
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Maine	no	<p><a href="https://www.maine.gov/boardofnursing/laws-rules/index.html">https://www.maine.gov/boardofnursing/laws-rules/index.html</a></p> <p>Chapter 7 – Regulations for Approval of Prelicensure Nursing Education Programs – <a href="https://www.maine.gov/boardofnursing/docs/Chapter%207%20Regulations%20for%20Approval%20of%20Prelicensure%20Nursing%20Program- Revised.pdf">https://www.maine.gov/boardofnursing/docs/Chapter%207%20Regulations%20for%20Approval%20of%20Prelicensure%20Nursing%20Program- Revised.pdf</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Must graduate from a board-approved program</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> The program must be approved by another BON. When Maine reviews applications from individuals that graduated from another state, the program must be equitable to a program approved in Maine. National nursing program accreditation has been required for Maine programs since January 1, 2015. The Board defines “National Nursing Accreditation” as accreditation by Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN) or Commission for Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE) or other agency approved by the U.S. Secretary of Education as a national accreditation agency.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> The RN applicant must also have completed a course of study of not less than 2 years in an approved program in professional nursing and hold a degree, diploma or certificate. – <a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></li> </ul>	<p>Instructions - <a href="https://www.maine.gov/boardofnursing/docs/RN%20Exam%20Licensure%20Requirements%20revised%203-2024.pdf">https://www.maine.gov/boardofnursing/docs/RN%20Exam%20Licensure%20Requirements%20revised%203-2024.pdf</a></p> <p>School Certification Form - <a href="https://www.maine.gov/boardofnursing/docs/School%20Certification%20Form.pdf">https://www.maine.gov/boardofnursing/docs/School%20Certification%20Form.pdf</a></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p> <p>Confirmed via email 6/14</p>
Maryland	yes	<p>Board of Nursing Statutes <a href="http://mdrules.elaws.us/comar/10_4_27">http://mdrules.elaws.us/comar/10_4_27</a></p>	<p>To be eligible for the NCLEX-RN examination, you must complete satisfactorily and meet the following requirements:</p>	<p>Website - <a href="https://mbon.maryland.gov/Pages/licensure-by-exam.aspx">https://mbon.maryland.gov/Pages/licensure-by-exam.aspx</a></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>

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		<p>License Qualifications - <a href="https://govt.westlaw.com/mdc/Document/NBA D7CBB06DCC11E799A4 C440C6302D98?transitionType=Default&amp;contextData=%28sc.Default%29">https://govt.westlaw.com/mdc/Document/NBA D7CBB06DCC11E799A4 C440C6302D98?transitionType=Default&amp;contextData=%28sc.Default%29</a></p> <p>Curriculum - <a href="http://mdrules.elaws.us/comar/10.27.03.13">http://mdrules.elaws.us/comar/10.27.03.13</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> A degree or diploma from a registered nursing education program by the state board in which you reside</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> A degree or diploma from a registered nursing education program in any other state that the Board finds substantially equivalent to the programs in this State of Maryland</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Out of State students require an official final sealed transcript – <a href="https://mbon.maryland.gov/Pages/licensure-nclex-rn-us.aspx">https://mbon.maryland.gov/Pages/licensure-nclex-rn-us.aspx</a></li> </ul>		
Massachusetts	No	<p>MA BON Rules and Regulations - <a href="https://www.mass.gov/info-details/laws-and-regulations-for-the-board-of-registration-in-nursing">https://www.mass.gov/info-details/laws-and-regulations-for-the-board-of-registration-in-nursing</a></p> <p>Licensure Requirements <a href="https://www.mass.gov/doc/244-cmr-8-licensure-requirements/download">https://www.mass.gov/doc/244-cmr-8-licensure-requirements/download</a></p> <p>Approval of Nursing Education Programs – <a href="https://www.mass.gov/doc/244-cmr-6-approval-of-nursing-education-programs-standards-">https://www.mass.gov/doc/244-cmr-6-approval-of-nursing-education-programs-standards-</a></p>	<p>For RN licensure:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Must graduate from a board-approved program;</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> If you were educated outside of Massachusetts, see Information for Graduates of US Nursing Programs and Eligibility for Licensure in Massachusetts – <a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></li> </ul> <p>Educational Requirements for licensure Applicants Educated in an Out of State Nursing Program - <a href="https://www.mass.gov/doc/information-for-graduates-of-us-nursing-programs-and-eligibility-for-licensure-in-massachusetts/download">https://www.mass.gov/doc/information-for-graduates-of-us-nursing-programs-and-eligibility-for-licensure-in-massachusetts/download</a></p>	<p>Website - <a href="https://www.mass.gov/how-to/apply-for-a-nursing-license-by-exam">https://www.mass.gov/how-to/apply-for-a-nursing-license-by-exam</a></p>	<b>Yes</b>

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		<a href="#">and-procedures/download</a>			
Michigan	no	<p>Board of Nursing General Rules - <a href="https://ars.apps.lara.state.mi.us/AdminCode/DownloadAdminCodeFile?FileName=R%20338.10101%20to%20R%20338.10705.pdf">https://ars.apps.lara.state.mi.us/AdminCode/DownloadAdminCodeFile?FileName=R%20338.10101%20to%20R%20338.10705.pdf</a></p>	<p>Out-of-state programs must be accredited by a nursing education accrediting agency</p> <p>In addition to general requirements for application, requirements for students who graduated from out-of-state programs include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>□ Final, Official Transcripts or the Michigan Nursing School Certification Form, if applicable– This must be submitted directly to our office from the nursing school attended and meet the standards set forth by the Board. - <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/-/media/Project/Websites/lara/bpl/Nursing/Licensing-Info-and-Forms/Nursing-Licensing-Guide.pdf?rev=953e958a47a74d16ba6efe1e81af03fa">https://www.michigan.gov/-/media/Project/Websites/lara/bpl/Nursing/Licensing-Info-and-Forms/Nursing-Licensing-Guide.pdf?rev=953e958a47a74d16ba6efe1e81af03fa</a></li> </ul> <p>Applicants must also complete Human Trafficking and Implicit Bias Training. <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/-/media/Project/Websites/lara/bpl/Nursing/Licensing-Info-and-Forms/Nursing-Licensing-Guide.pdf?rev=953e958a47a74d16ba6efe1e81af03fa">https://www.michigan.gov/-/media/Project/Websites/lara/bpl/Nursing/Licensing-Info-and-Forms/Nursing-Licensing-Guide.pdf?rev=953e958a47a74d16ba6efe1e81af03fa</a></p>	<p>Instructions - <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/-/media/Project/Websites/lara/bpl/Nursing/Licensing-Info-and-Forms/Nursing-Licensing-Guide.pdf?rev=953e958a47a74d16ba6efe1e81af03fa">https://www.michigan.gov/-/media/Project/Websites/lara/bpl/Nursing/Licensing-Info-and-Forms/Nursing-Licensing-Guide.pdf?rev=953e958a47a74d16ba6efe1e81af03fa</a></p> <p>Certification of Completion form <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/lara/-/media/Project/Websites/lara/bpl/Nursing/Licensing-Info-and-Forms/Michigan-Nursing-School-Certification.pdf">https://www.michigan.gov/lara/-/media/Project/Websites/lara/bpl/Nursing/Licensing-Info-and-Forms/Michigan-Nursing-School-Certification.pdf</a></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p> <p>According to their rules and regs 6/18</p>
Minnesota	No	MN Administrative Rules -	<p>Must graduate from a board-approved program - <a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-</a></p>	<p>Website -</p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>

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		<p><a href="https://www.revisor.mn.gov/rules/6305/">https://www.revisor.mn.gov/rules/6305/</a></p> <p>Requirements for Licensure by Examination</p> <p><a href="https://www.revisor.mn.gov/rules/6305.0400/">https://www.revisor.mn.gov/rules/6305.0400/</a></p>	<p><a href="https://www.revisor.mn.gov/rules/6305.0400/">regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p>	<p><a href="https://mn.gov/boards/nursing/licensure/apply-for-a-license/apply-by-exam.jsp">https://mn.gov/boards/nursing/licensure/apply-for-a-license/apply-by-exam.jsp</a></p> <p>Instructions – <a href="https://mn.gov/boards/assets/Exam_RN_Packet_US_tcm21-37180.pdf">https://mn.gov/boards/assets/Exam_RN_Packet_US_tcm21-37180.pdf</a></p>	<p>Confirmed via email 6/14</p>
Mississippi	no	<p><a href="https://www.msbn.ms.gov/laws-rules/administrative-code">https://www.msbn.ms.gov/laws-rules/administrative-code</a></p> <p>Licensure by Examination</p> <p><a href="https://mn.gov/boards/assets/Exam_RN_Packet_US_tcm21-37180.pdf">https://mn.gov/boards/assets/Exam_RN_Packet_US_tcm21-37180.pdf</a></p> <p>Nurse Practice Act</p> <p><a href="https://www.msbn.ms.gov/sites/default/files/documents/Legal%202024/Nurse%20Practice%20Act.pdf">https://www.msbn.ms.gov/sites/default/files/documents/Legal%202024/Nurse%20Practice%20Act.pdf</a></p>	<p>Graduate from a nursing program which substantially meets the same educational criteria as Mississippi nursing programs. - <a href="https://www.msbn.ms.gov/licensure/what-licensure-examination">https://www.msbn.ms.gov/licensure/what-licensure-examination</a></p>	<p>Website - <a href="https://www.msbn.ms.gov/licensure/what-licensure-examination">https://www.msbn.ms.gov/licensure/what-licensure-examination</a></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>

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Missouri	no	<p>Chapter 2 – Minimum Standards for approved Programs of Professional Nursing -  <a href="https://www.sos.mo.gov/cmsimages/adrules/csr/current/20csr/20c2200-2.pdf">https://www.sos.mo.gov/cmsimages/adrules/csr/current/20csr/20c2200-2.pdf</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.sos.mo.gov/cmsimages/adrules/csr/current/20csr/20c2200-4.pdf">https://www.sos.mo.gov/cmsimages/adrules/csr/current/20csr/20c2200-4.pdf</a></p>	<p><b>335.046. License, application for — qualifications for, fee — hearing on denial of license. — 1.</b> An applicant for a license to practice as a registered professional nurse shall submit to the board a written application on forms furnished to the applicant. The original application shall contain the applicant's statements showing the applicant's education and other such pertinent information as the board may require. The applicant shall be of good moral character and have completed at least the high school course of study, or the equivalent thereof as determined by the state board of education and have successfully completed the basic professional curriculum in an accredited or approved school of nursing and earned a professional nursing degree or diploma.  <a href="https://revisor.mo.gov/main/OneSection.aspx?section=335.046&amp;bid=53855&amp;hl=">https://revisor.mo.gov/main/OneSection.aspx?section=335.046&amp;bid=53855&amp;hl=</a></p>	<p>Instructions -  <a href="https://pr.mo.gov/boards/nursing/RN%20License%20by%20Examination%20Instruction%20Letter.pdf">https://pr.mo.gov/boards/nursing/RN%20License%20by%20Examination%20Instruction%20Letter.pdf</a></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p> <p>Confirmed by email 6/12</p>
Montana	no	<p>MT Board of Nursing Rules and Regulations -  <a href="https://rules.mt.gov/gateway/ChapterHome.asp?Chapter=24%2E159">https://rules.mt.gov/gateway/ChapterHome.asp?Chapter=24%2E159</a></p> <p>LPN and RN Applications  <a href="https://rules.mt.gov/gateway/RuleNo.asp?RN=24%2E159%2E422">https://rules.mt.gov/gateway/RuleNo.asp?RN=24%2E159%2E422</a></p>	<p>Must graduate from a board-approved program - <a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p>	<p>Instructions -  <a href="https://boards.bsd.dli.mt.gov/docs/nur/rn-exam-app-checklist.pdf">https://boards.bsd.dli.mt.gov/docs/nur/rn-exam-app-checklist.pdf</a></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>

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		Curriculum Goals and General Requirements for Programs - <a href="https://rules.mt.gov/gateway/RuleNo.asp?RN=24%2E159%2E670">https://rules.mt.gov/gateway/RuleNo.asp?RN=24%2E159%2E670</a>			
Nebraska	no	<p>Nurse Licensing Regulations and Statutes - <a href="https://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Pages/Nurse-Licensing-Regulations-and-Statutes.aspx">https://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Pages/Nurse-Licensing-Regulations-and-Statutes.aspx</a></p> <p>Approval of Basic Nursing Programs in NE - <a href="https://rules.nebraska.gov/rules?agencyId=37&amp;titleId=101">https://rules.nebraska.gov/rules?agencyId=37&amp;titleId=101</a> - Click Chapter 97</p> <p>Practice of Nursing – <a href="https://rules.nebraska.gov/rules?agencyId=37&amp;titleId=101">https://rules.nebraska.gov/rules?agencyId=37&amp;titleId=101</a> - Click Chapter 101</p>	<p>For RN licensure:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Must graduate from a board-approved program</li> </ul> <p>An applicant for a license to practice on the basis of an examination must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Have completed four years of high school study or its equivalent as determined by the Board. The completion of an approved RN program is sufficient evidence of having completed the equivalent of four years of high school study;</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Have completed the basic curriculum in an approved program of registered nursing and hold a diploma therefrom.</li> </ul> <p><a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p>	<p>Application/ Information - <a href="https://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Documents/ExaminationRNLPN.pdf">https://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Documents/ExaminationRNLPN.pdf</a></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p> <p>Confirmed via email 6/14</p>
Nevada	no	Chapter 632 Nursing -	You must have graduated from a nursing program that has been accredited by a	Instructions -	<b>Yes</b>

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		<p><a href="https://www.leg.state.nv.us/nrs/nrs-632.html">https://www.leg.state.nv.us/nrs/nrs-632.html</a> - Click NRS 632.150 for Licensing, click NRS 6321.150 and NRS 631.440 for Curriculum Standards</p>	<p>nationally recognized association authorized by law to accredit schools of nursing and have been awarded a degree/diploma in nursing to qualify for licensure in Nevada.</p> <p><a href="https://nevadanursingboard.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/02/RNLPN-Exam-Instructions.pdf">https://nevadanursingboard.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/02/RNLPN-Exam-Instructions.pdf</a></p> <p>Out-of-state graduates - * Order an official transcript, which must indicate a nursing degree and graduation date, sent to the Board directly from the School - <a href="https://nevadanursingboard.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/10/RNLPNbyExamAppInstructions.pdf">https://nevadanursingboard.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/10/RNLPNbyExamAppInstructions.pdf</a></p>	<p><a href="https://nevadanursingboard.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/02/RNLPN-Exam-Instructions.pdf">https://nevadanursingboard.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/02/RNLPN-Exam-Instructions.pdf</a></p> <p>Additional Information - <a href="https://nevadanursingboard.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/10/RNLPNbyExamAppInstructions.pdf">https://nevadanursingboard.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/10/RNLPNbyExamAppInstructions.pdf</a></p>	
New Hampshire	no	<p><a href="https://www.gencourt.state.nh.us/rules/state_agencies/nur100-800.html">https://www.gencourt.state.nh.us/rules/state_agencies/nur100-800.html</a> - See Chapter NUR 300 Licensing Requirements and Chapter NUR 600 Nursing Education Program Approval sections</p>	<p>For RN licensure: Each applicant for an initial registered or practical nurse license by examination shall:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) Meet the general requirements of Nur 302.01; and</li> <li>(b) Meet education requirement: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(1) Graduated from a board approved nursing education program in the United States or Canada that meets the requirements set forth in Nur 600, including the NCLEX-RN course requirements</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-</a></p>	<p>Website - <a href="https://www.oplc.nh.gov/applications-rn">https://www.oplc.nh.gov/applications-rn</a></p>	<b>Yes</b>

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			<a href="#">regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a>		
New Jersey	no	NJ Board of Nursing - <a href="https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/regulations/Chapter-37-New-Jersey-Board-of-Nursing.pdf">https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/regulations/Chapter-37-New-Jersey-Board-of-Nursing.pdf</a>	<p>For RN licensure: Licensure by Examination: N.J.A.C. 13:37-1.2; 2.2; Each applicant for licensure shall file with the Board:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Complete application form, provided by the Board, which requests information concerning the applicant's educational and experiential background;</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> The nonrefundable application fee set forth in N.J.A.C. 13:37-5.5(a) 1; and</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> A written certification from the registrar, or program administrator authorized by the registrar, attesting that the applicant has successfully completed all requirements for graduation from a registered professional nursing program accredited by the Board or a board of nursing in another state or a licensed practical nursing program accredited by the Board or by a board of nursing in another state. The certification shall indicate the date of graduation or the date the degree or diploma was conferred.</li> </ul>	Website - <a href="https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/nur/pages/applications.aspx">https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/nur/pages/applications.aspx</a>	<b>Yes</b>



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			<a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a>		
New Mexico	no	NM Laws/Rules <a href="https://www.bon.nm.gov/laws-rules/">https://www.bon.nm.gov/laws-rules/</a> - Click 16.12.2 NMAC Part 2- Nurse Licensure.pdf and 16.12.3 NMAC Part 3- Nursing Educational Programs	For RN licensure: <input type="checkbox"/> Successful completion of a Board approved program. If the state does not approve pre-licensure nursing programs, national programmatic accreditation (i.e. ACEN, CCNE, CNEA) is required. <a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a>	Website - <a href="https://www.bon.nm.gov/rn/">https://www.bon.nm.gov/rn/</a>	<b>Yes</b>
New York	no	Article 139, Nursing for Registered Professional Nursing <a href="https://www.op.nysed.gov/professions/registered-professional-nursing/laws-rules-regulations/article-139">https://www.op.nysed.gov/professions/registered-professional-nursing/laws-rules-regulations/article-139</a> - Click 6905 Requirements for a License as a Registered Professional Nurse  Part 52, Registration of Curricula – 52.12 Nursing – <a href="https://www.op.nysed.gov/title8/regulations-">https://www.op.nysed.gov/title8/regulations-</a>	Must graduate from a board-approved program - <a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a>  Applicants must complete a NYSED Approved Infection Control Course and a Child Abuse Identification and Reporting Course from an approved provider or qualify for an exemption. <a href="https://www.op.nysed.gov/professions/registered-professional-nursing/license-requirements/pathway-2">https://www.op.nysed.gov/professions/registered-professional-nursing/license-requirements/pathway-2</a>  <b>Education Programs</b> - You must graduate from a nursing education program that meets one of the three criteria below. <input type="checkbox"/> A nursing education program (associate’s, bachelor’s or master’s	General Instructions - <a href="https://www.op.nysed.gov/professions/registered-professional-nursing/license-requirements">https://www.op.nysed.gov/professions/registered-professional-nursing/license-requirements</a>  Out-of-state Instructions - <a href="https://www.op.nysed.gov/professions/registered-professional-nursing/license-requirements/pathway-2">https://www.op.nysed.gov/professions/registered-professional-nursing/license-requirements/pathway-2</a>	<b>Yes</b>

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		<a href="#">commissioner-education/part-52</a>	<p>degree or Diploma program) registered by NYSED as license qualifying for RN; or,</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>□ A nursing education program located in another state or U.S. Territory, if approved by the licensing authority of the state or U.S. Territory as preparation for practice as an RN. (US territories include: Puerto Rico, Guam, US Virgin Islands, Northern Mariana Islands and American Samoa); or, </li></ul> <p><a href="https://www.op.nysed.gov/professions/registered-professional-nursing/license-requirements">https://www.op.nysed.gov/professions/registered-professional-nursing/license-requirements</a></p>	<p>Certification of Professional Education Form -</p> <p><a href="https://www.op.nysed.gov/sites/op/files/prof/nurse/nurse2.pdf">https://www.op.nysed.gov/sites/op/files/prof/nurse/nurse2.pdf</a></p>	
North Carolina	yes	<p>Chapter 36 Nursing - <a href="https://casetext.com/regulation/north-carolina-administrative-code/title-21-occupational-licensing-boards-and-commissions/chapter-36-nursing">https://casetext.com/regulation/north-carolina-administrative-code/title-21-occupational-licensing-boards-and-commissions/chapter-36-nursing</a></p> <p>Click Sections .0200 and .0300</p>	<p>Must graduate from a board-approved program - <a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p> <p>An applicant shall meet the educational qualifications to take the examination for licensure to practice as a registered nurse or licensed practical nurse by:</p> <p>(1) graduating from a National Council State Board of Nursing (NCSBN) member Board-approved nursing program, in accordance with Section .0300 of these Rules, designed to prepare a person for registered nurse or licensed practical nurse licensure</p> <p><a href="https://casetext.com/regulation/north-carolina-administrative-code/title-21-">https://casetext.com/regulation/north-carolina-administrative-code/title-21-</a></p>	<p>Website - <a href="https://www.ncbon.com/rnlpn-examination">https://www.ncbon.com/rnlpn-examination</a></p>	<b>Yes</b>

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			<a href="#">occupational-licensing-boards-and-commissions/chapter-36-nursing/section-0200-licensure/section-36-0211-licensure-by-examination</a>		
North Dakota	No	ND Administrative Code <a href="https://ndlegis.gov/agency-rules/north-dakota-administrative-code/index.html">https://ndlegis.gov/agency-rules/north-dakota-administrative-code/index.html</a> - Click Title 54 and then Article 54-02 Nurse Licensure and Article 54-03.2 Standards for Nursing Education Programs	<p>Must graduate from a board-approved program - <a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p> <p>Out-of-state nursing education program must meet the following requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Is approved by another board of nursing; and</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Includes supervised clinical experience across the life span as part of the curriculum and is equivalent in amount and time to the ND Board of Nursing approved programs.</li> </ul> <p><a href="https://www.ndbon.org/NurseLicensure/InitialExam/index.asp">https://www.ndbon.org/NurseLicensure/InitialExam/index.asp</a></p>	Website - <a href="https://www.ndbon.org/NurseLicensure/InitialExam/index.asp">https://www.ndbon.org/NurseLicensure/InitialExam/index.asp</a>	<b>Yes</b>  Confirmed via email 6/14
Northern Mariana Islands	no	Nurse Practice Act - <a href="http://www.cnmilaw.org/pdf/public_laws/14/pl14-62.pdf">http://www.cnmilaw.org/pdf/public_laws/14/pl14-62.pdf</a>	Graduate from an approved nursing education program which meets criteria similar to and not less stringent than those established by this Board and which prepares for the level of licensure being sought <a href="http://www.cnmilaw.org/pdf/public_laws/14/pl14-62.pdf">http://www.cnmilaw.org/pdf/public_laws/14/pl14-62.pdf</a>	Instructions – <a href="https://nmibon.info/wp-content/uploads/2024/04/doc-8.-nclex-rn-lpn-requirements-for-licensure-by-examination-06.08.2024.pdf">https://nmibon.info/wp-content/uploads/2024/04/doc-8.-nclex-rn-lpn-requirements-for-licensure-by-examination-06.08.2024.pdf</a>	<b>Unknown</b>

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Oklahoma	no	<p>OK BON Rules and Regulations - <a href="https://oklahoma.gov/content/dam/ok/en/nursing/documents/485rulesunofficialagencycopy.pdf">https://oklahoma.gov/content/dam/ok/en/nursing/documents/485rulesunofficialagencycopy.pdf</a></p> <p>Subchapters 5 and 7</p>	<p>Graduation from a state Board-approved program of registered or practical nursing: You must be a graduate of a state Board-approved program of registered nursing. An official transcript from the nursing education program must be submitted directly from the nursing education program. -</p>	<p>Instructions - <a href="https://oklahoma.gov/content/dam/ok/en/nursing/documents/rlnnclex07.pdf">https://oklahoma.gov/content/dam/ok/en/nursing/documents/rlnnclex07.pdf</a></p>	<b>Yes</b>

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			<a href="https://oklahoma.gov/content/dam/ok/en/nursing/documents/rnlpnnclx07.pdf">https://oklahoma.gov/content/dam/ok/en/nursing/documents/rnlpnnclx07.pdf</a>		
Oregon	no	<p><a href="https://www.oregon.gov/osbn/pages/laws-rules.aspx">https://www.oregon.gov/osbn/pages/laws-rules.aspx</a></p> <p>Division 21 – Standards for the Approval of Educational Programs in Nursing and Division 31 – Standards for Licensure of RNs and LPNs – 851-031-0006 and 851-031-0015</p>	<p>Registered Nurse (RN) licensure requirements for graduates of out of state programs:</p> <p>Education:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Program must be approved through the State Authorization Reciprocity Agreement (SARA).</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> ORS 678.040 (1)(2): The applicant must have graduated from a nursing program that is accredited or approved by the licensing Board for nurses in a particular state or United States territory and approved by the Oregon Board of Nursing</li> </ul> <p><a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p> <p>Applicants must complete Cultural Competency and Pain Management Education courses as part of the application process.</p> <p><a href="file:///C:/Users/khendrix/Downloads/Resource_NCLEX_AppExamProcess.pdf">file:///C:/Users/khendrix/Downloads/Resource_NCLEX_AppExamProcess.pdf</a></p> <p>Graduation from an approved nursing program as defined in ORS 678.040...An applicant for the registered nurse examination must show evidence of having graduated from a pre-licensure Diploma, Associate</p>	<p>Instructions - <a href="https://www.oregon.gov/osbn/Documents/Resource_NCLEX_AppExamProcess.pdf">https://www.oregon.gov/osbn/Documents/Resource_NCLEX_AppExamProcess.pdf</a></p>	<b>Yes</b>

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			Degree, or Baccalaureate Degree registered nurse program. - <a href="https://secure.sos.state.or.us/oard/displayDivisionRules.action?selectedDivision=3927">https://secure.sos.state.or.us/oard/displayDivisionRules.action?selectedDivision=3927</a>		
Pennsylvania	no	<a href="https://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/Nursing/Pages/Board-Laws-and-Regulations.aspx">https://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/Nursing/Pages/Board-Laws-and-Regulations.aspx</a> RN Laws - Section 5 and Sections 6, 6.1, and 6.2	Every applicant, to be eligible for examination for licensure as a registered nurse, shall furnish evidence satisfactory to the Board that he or she is of good moral character, has completed work equal to a standard high school course as evaluated by the Board and has satisfactorily completed an approved program of professional nursing. Approved programs shall include baccalaureate degree, associate degree, diploma nursing programs and programs in transition from approved diploma- to degree-granting programs when all other requirements of the Board have been met. - <a href="https://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/Nursing/Documents/Board%20Documents/Professional-Nursing-Law-Feb-2023.pdf">https://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/Nursing/Documents/Board%20Documents/Professional-Nursing-Law-Feb-2023.pdf</a>  Applicants must complete a 3-hour DHS-approved training in child abuse recognition and reporting as part of the application process. <a href="https://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/Nursing/Documents/Apply-Online.aspx">https://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/Nursing/Documents/Apply-Online.aspx</a>	Website - <a href="https://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/Nursing/Pages/Apply-Online.aspx">https://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/Nursing/Pages/Apply-Online.aspx</a>  Instructions - <a href="https://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/Nursing/Documents/Applications%20and%20Forms/Online-Instr-Grad-Exam-GTPP-02.28.23.pdf">https://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/Nursing/Documents/Applications%20and%20Forms/Online-Instr-Grad-Exam-GTPP-02.28.23.pdf</a>	<b>Yes</b>

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			<a href="#">plications%20and%20Forms/Online-Instr-Grad-Exam-GTPP-02.28.23.pdf v</a>		
Rhode Island	no	Licensing of Nurses and Standards for the Approval of Basic Nursing Education Programs - <a href="https://rules.sos.ri.gov/regulations/part/216-40-05-3">https://rules.sos.ri.gov/regulations/part/216-40-05-3</a> Articles 3.3 and 3.12	For RN licensure: A. Professional (Registered) Nurse. An applicant seeking initial licensure to practice professional nursing in the State of Rhode Island must:  2. Have completed at least an approved high school course of study or the equivalent supported by diploma or certificate thereof as determined by the rules and regulations of the State Board of Education; and  3. Have successfully completed the prescribed curriculum in a Board-approved basic professional nursing education program and holds a diploma from the program.  <a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a>	Instructions - <a href="https://health.ri.gov/publications/requirements/NursingApplicationRequirements.pdf">https://health.ri.gov/publications/requirements/NursingApplicationRequirements.pdf</a>	<b>Yes</b>
South Carolina	yes	Nurse Regulations , Chapter 91 - <a href="https://www.scstatehouse.gov/getfile.php?TYPE=CODEOFREGS&amp;CHAPTER=91">https://www.scstatehouse.gov/getfile.php?TYPE=CODEOFREGS&amp;CHAPTER=91</a> Subsection 91-11	For RN Licensure: Registered Nurse (RN): An applicant for licensure as a Registered Nurse (RN) shall furnish evidence satisfactory to the board that the applicant:  <input type="checkbox"/> submits satisfactory proof of identity and age demonstrating that the applicant is eighteen years of age or older;	Website - <a href="https://llr.sc.gov/nurse/Online/Instructions.aspx">https://llr.sc.gov/nurse/Online/Instructions.aspx</a>	<b>Yes</b>

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			<p><input type="checkbox"/> has completed all requirements for graduation from an approved school of nursing or nursing education program approved by the state or jurisdiction in this country or territory or dependency of the United States in which the program is located.</p> <p><a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p>		
South Dakota	no	<p>SD Administrative Rules - <a href="https://sdlegislature.gov/Rules/Administrative/20:48">https://sdlegislature.gov/Rules/Administrative/20:48</a>                      Chapters 20:48:03 and 20:48:07</p>	<p><b>20:48:03:03.</b> Applicant from another state, territory, or foreign country. An applicant who holds a diploma from a nursing school in another state or territory of the United States or in a foreign country may qualify for license by examination if the board determines that the requirements for granting a diploma from that nursing school are substantially the same as the requirements of schools in this state.</p> <p>Graduate of an Out-of-State Nursing Program: Your degree-conferred transcript must be mailed to the South Dakota Board of Nursing directly from your nursing school or from a transcript clearinghouse. If using a transcript clearinghouse that offers email services, your transcript must be sent to <a href="mailto:sdnclex@state.sd.us">sdnclex@state.sd.us</a>. - <a href="https://www.sdbon.org/NurseLicensure/RN_LPN_ByExam.asp">https://www.sdbon.org/NurseLicensure/RN_LPN_ByExam.asp</a></p>	<p>Website - <a href="https://www.sdbon.org/NurseLicensure/RN_LPN_ByExam.asp">https://www.sdbon.org/NurseLicensure/RN_LPN_ByExam.asp</a></p>	<p><b>Yes</b>                      Confirmed via email 6/14</p>
Tennessee	yes	Rules of the TN BON -	For RN licensure:	Instructions -	<b>Yes</b>



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		<p><a href="https://publications.tnsosfiles.com/rules/1000/1000.htm">https://publications.tnsosfiles.com/rules/1000/1000.htm</a> - Click 1000-01</p>	<p>Must graduate from a board-approved program - <a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p> <p>An applicant who graduated from a school of nursing approved by a Board in another U.S. jurisdiction shall have had substantially the same course of study as stated in the minimum curriculum requirements for Tennessee approved schools of nursing at the time of his application or he shall remove deficiencies as directed by the Board.</p> <p><a href="https://publications.tnsosfiles.com/rules/1000/1000.htm">https://publications.tnsosfiles.com/rules/1000/1000.htm</a> - Click 1000-01</p>	<p><a href="https://www.tn.gov/content/dam/tn/health/health-profboards/nursing/applications/RN%20and%20LPN%20Exam%20App%20Info.pdf">https://www.tn.gov/content/dam/tn/health/health-profboards/nursing/applications/RN%20and%20LPN%20Exam%20App%20Info.pdf</a></p>	
Texas	no	<p>TX BON Rules and Regulations - <a href="https://www.bon.texas.gov/laws_and_rules_rules_and_regulations.asp.html">https://www.bon.texas.gov/laws_and_rules_rules_and_regulations.asp.html</a></p> <p>Chapter 217 Licensure, Peer Assistance, and Practice <a href="https://www.bon.texas.gov/rr_current/217-2.asp.html">https://www.bon.texas.gov/rr_current/217-2.asp.html</a></p> <p>Chapter 215 Professional Nursing Education -</p>	<p>For RN licensure: Must graduate from a board-approved program - <a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p> <p>Applicants must pass the Texas Nursing Jurisprudence Exam with a score of 75% or higher. <a href="https://www.bon.texas.gov/licensure_nursing_jurisprudence.asp.html">https://www.bon.texas.gov/licensure_nursing_jurisprudence.asp.html</a></p> <p>A professional nursing education program operated in another state may be determined to have substantially equivalent education</p>	<p>Website- <a href="https://www.bon.texas.gov/licensure_examination.asp.html">https://www.bon.texas.gov/licensure_examination.asp.html</a></p> <p>Affidavit of Graduation for Graduates in the USA and US Territories - <a href="https://www.bon.texas.gov/pdfs/education_pdfs/education_progr">https://www.bon.texas.gov/pdfs/education_pdfs/education_progr</a></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p> <p>Confirmed via email 6/14</p>

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		<a href="https://www.bon.texas.gov/rr_current/215-9.asp.html">https://www.bon.texas.gov/rr_current/215-9.asp.html</a>	<p>standards to a Texas approved nursing program if:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) the program is approved by a state board of nursing or other governmental entity to offer a pre-licensure professional nursing program of study that awards a nursing diploma or degree upon completion;</li> <li>(ii) the program includes general education courses providing a sound foundation for nursing education for the level of preparation;</li> <li>(iii) the program's nursing courses include didactic content and supervised clinical learning experiences in medical-surgical, maternal/child health, pediatrics, geriatrics, and mental health nursing that teach students to use a systematic approach to clinical decision-making and safe patient care across the life span; and</li> <li>(iv) for baccalaureate degree nursing programs, nursing courses must also include didactic content and supervised clinical learning experiences, as appropriate, in community, research, and leadership.</li> </ul> <p><a href="https://www.bon.texas.gov/rr_current/217-2.asp.html">https://www.bon.texas.gov/rr_current/217-2.asp.html</a></p>	<a href="#">ams/RN%20AOG%208.2022.pdf</a>	
Utah	no	<p>Utah Code Chapter 31b Nurse Practice Act - <a href="https://le.utah.gov/xcode/Title58/Chapter31b/58-31b.html">https://le.utah.gov/xcode/Title58/Chapter31b/58-31b.html</a> - Parts 3 and 6</p>	<p>For RN licensure: Must graduate from a board-approved program - <a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p>	<p>Website - <a href="https://dopl.utah.gov/nursing/apply-for-a-license/register">https://dopl.utah.gov/nursing/apply-for-a-license/register</a></p>	<p><b>Yes</b> Confirmed via email 6/18</p>

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			<p>Except as provided in Subsections (2) and (3), to qualify as an approved education program for the purpose of qualifying graduates for licensure under this chapter, a nursing education program shall be accredited by an accrediting body for nursing education that is recognized by the United States Department of Education.</p> <p><a href="https://le.utah.gov/xcode/Title58/Chapter31B/58-31b-S601.html?v=C58-31b-S601_2022050420220504#58-31b-601(2)">https://le.utah.gov/xcode/Title58/Chapter31B/58-31b-S601.html?v=C58-31b-S601_2022050420220504#58-31b-601(2)</a></p>	<a href="#">d-nurse-or-licensed-practical-nurse/</a>	
Vermont	no	<p>VT BON Administrative Rules - <a href="https://sos.vermont.gov/media/dejbbaaa/adopted-clean-rules-dec-23-2014.pdf">https://sos.vermont.gov/media/dejbbaaa/adopted-clean-rules-dec-23-2014.pdf</a></p> <p>Part 4 – Subpart B and Part 6</p>	<p>For RN licensure:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Must graduate from a board-approved program</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Nursing education programs shall be conducted in an accredited state-approved school. Accreditation may be by the New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools or another accrediting body recognized by the Board.</li> </ul> <p><a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p>	<p>Website - <a href="https://sos.vermont.gov/nursing/apply-renew/">https://sos.vermont.gov/nursing/apply-renew/</a></p> <p>Instructions - <a href="https://cms.sec.state.vt.us:8443/share/s/D_J2OWJdQJiz2tEUcy8sqw">https://cms.sec.state.vt.us:8443/share/s/D_J2OWJdQJiz2tEUcy8sqw</a></p>	<b>Yes</b>
Virgin Islands	no	<p>Please contact the Virgin Islands Board of Nursing for their Nurse Practice Act and Rules &amp; Regulations. There are no official versions of</p>	<p>For RN licensure: Must graduate from a board-approved program - <a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p>	<p>RN licensure application by exam information is not available on</p>	<b>Unknown</b>

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		either document available online. - <a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a>		the VIBON website	
Virginia	yes	Code of Virginia Nursing - <a href="https://www.dhp.virginia.gov/media/dhpweb/docs/nursing/leg/Chapter30_Nursing.pdf">https://www.dhp.virginia.gov/media/dhpweb/docs/nursing/leg/Chapter30_Nursing.pdf</a> Article 2 Licensure of Registered Nurses  Regulations for Nursing Education Programs - <a href="https://www.dhp.virginia.gov/media/dhpweb/docs/nursing/leg/NursingEducation.pdf">https://www.dhp.virginia.gov/media/dhpweb/docs/nursing/leg/NursingEducation.pdf</a>	For RN licensure: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Must graduate from a board-approved program</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Graduates of nursing schools located in other states - Verification of Clinical Hours: If you attended a nursing program outside of Virginia, your FINAL official transcript must include evidence of the actual (direct client care) clinical hours broken down for each course.</li> </ul> Minimum of 500 hours of direct client care. <a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a>	Instructions - <a href="https://www.license.dhp.virginia.gov/apply/Forms/Nursing/RNLPN_Exam_Instr.pdf">https://www.license.dhp.virginia.gov/apply/Forms/Nursing/RNLPN_Exam_Instr.pdf</a>	<b>Yes</b>
Washington	no	WA Practical and Registered Nursing Rules and Regulations - <a href="https://app.leg.wa.gov/wac/default.aspx?cite=246-840">https://app.leg.wa.gov/wac/default.aspx?cite=246-840</a>  Initial licensure for registered nurses and	Registered nurse and practical nurse applicants educated in a traditional nursing education program approved by another United States nursing board and applying for initial licensure shall: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) Successfully complete a nursing education program in another U.S. state, which:</li> </ul>	Website - <a href="https://nursing.wa.gov/licensing/apply-license/rn-or-lpn-license">https://nursing.wa.gov/licensing/apply-license/rn-or-lpn-license</a>  Education Verification for Nurses	<b>Yes</b>  According to their rules and regs 6/12

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		<p>practical nurses – Pout-of-state traditional nursing education program approved by another US nursing board - <a href="https://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=246-840-030">https://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=246-840-030</a></p> <p>Curriculum for prelicensure registered nursing education programs <a href="https://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=246-840-541">https://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=246-840-541</a></p>	<p>(i) Is approved by the nursing board in that state; and (ii) Substantially meets requirements for nursing education approved in Washington state. The board retains authority to evaluate and determine the sufficiency of academic preparation for all applicants.</p> <p><a href="https://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx">https://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx</a></p> <p>All nursing programs preparing students for licensure shall provide faculty planned clinical or direct patient care experiences based on program outcomes and goals.</p> <p>(iii) At least six hundred hours for Bachelor of Science in nursing education programs</p> <p><a href="https://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=246-840-531">https://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=246-840-531</a></p>	<p>Educated Outside of WA State - <a href="https://nursing.wa.gov/sites/default/files/2023-08/Education-verification-outside-WA.pdf">https://nursing.wa.gov/sites/default/files/2023-08/Education-verification-outside-WA.pdf</a></p>	
West Virginia	no	<p>Title 19 Legislative Rule WV Board of Examiners for Registered Professional Nurses - <a href="https://apps.sos.wv.gov/adlaw/csr/readfile.aspx?DocId=51087&amp;Format=PDF">https://apps.sos.wv.gov/adlaw/csr/readfile.aspx?DocId=51087&amp;Format=PDF</a></p>	<p>For RN licensure: Must graduate from a board-approved program - <a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p> <p>A nursing program is determined to be board approved if the program is accredited by a national nursing accrediting agency</p>	<p>Instructions - <a href="https://wvrnboard.wv.gov/licensing/Documents/RN%20and%20APRN%20licensure%20requirements%20WV%206-5-20.pdf">https://wvrnboard.wv.gov/licensing/Documents/RN%20and%20APRN%20licensure%20requirements%20WV%206-5-20.pdf</a></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p> <p>Confirmed via email 6/14</p>

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		<p>Chapter 30 Professions and Occupations – Article 7 Registered Professional Nurses - <a href="https://code.wvlegislature.gov/30-7/">https://code.wvlegislature.gov/30-7/</a></p> <p>License to Practice Registered Professional Nursing – <a href="https://code.wvlegislature.gov/30-7-6/">https://code.wvlegislature.gov/30-7-6/</a></p>	<p>recognized by the United States Department of Education. The accreditation is considered board approved and is exempt from board rules that require ongoing approval if the school or program maintains this accreditation.</p> <p><a href="https://code.wvlegislature.gov/30-7-5/">https://code.wvlegislature.gov/30-7-5/</a></p>		
Wisconsin	yes	<p>WI Administrative Code Board of Nursing - <a href="https://dsps.wi.gov/Pages/RulesStatutes/Nursing.aspx">https://dsps.wi.gov/Pages/RulesStatutes/Nursing.aspx</a></p> <p>Approval for schools of nursing and Licensure sections</p>	<p>For RN licensure:</p> <p>N 2.10 (1) Qualifications for licensure:</p> <p>(a) Graduates from a high school or its equivalent.</p> <p>(c) Graduates from any of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A board–approved school of professional nursing.</li> <li>2. A comparable school of professional nursing.</li> </ol> <p><a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p> <p>N 1.06 Approval of out of state school of nursing.</p> <p>(1) APPROVAL. An out–of–state school of nursing shall be approved if all of the following requirements are met:</p>	<p>Instructions - <a href="https://dsps.wi.gov/Credentialing/Health/info3087.pdf">https://dsps.wi.gov/Credentialing/Health/info3087.pdf</a></p> <p>WI Board Approved Statement of Graduation or Completion - <a href="https://dsps.wi.gov/Credentialing/Health/fm259.pdf">https://dsps.wi.gov/Credentialing/Health/fm259.pdf</a></p>	<b>Yes</b>

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			<p>(a) The school is approved by the board of the state the school is located.</p> <p>(b) The school is accredited by a nursing accreditation body recognized by the Wisconsin board.</p> <p>(2) CONTINUED APPROVAL. An out-of-state school shall maintain approval as long as school of nursing meets the requirements in sub. (1).</p> <p><a href="https://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/code/admin_code/n/1.pdf">https://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/code/admin_code/n/1.pdf</a></p>		
Wyoming	no	<p>WY Statutes – Title 33 Chapter 21 Nurses - <a href="https://law.justia.com/codes/wyoming/2022/title-33/chapter-21/article-1/Section-33-21-127">https://law.justia.com/codes/wyoming/2022/title-33/chapter-21/article-1/Section-33-21-127</a></p>	<p>For RN Licensure:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Graduate from a licensing board-approved RN pre-licensure nursing education program</li> </ul> <p><a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/education/board-of-nursing-licensure-requirements.page</a></p>	<p>Website - <a href="https://wsbn.wyo.gov/licensing#h.k7u726vctd6c">https://wsbn.wyo.gov/licensing#h.k7u726vctd6c</a></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p> <p>According to their rules and regs – 6/17</p>