Current state-of-emergency licensure updates (as of 4/15/20)

Alabama

The Alabama Board of Nursing has temporarily limited agency resources to ¬essential personnel only. Accordingly, while the workload of the Board has not decreased, available staff is currently subject to substantial reduction. Unfortunately, this circumstance is likely to result in delays in processing applications and other core functions, agency-wide. ***All State Licensures Accepted.

Click here to visit the AL board of nursing for more information

Alaska

Note to Employers: Please continue to use ABN License Lookup and Nursys.com for nurse license verification. ***Nurse Aide Certification is extended to July 23,2020

Click here to visit the AK board of nursing for more information

Allied - National Board for Respiratory Care

Practitioners with credential expiration dates from 3/31-6/30 will be offered a 6 month extension. Credential verification fees are waived.

Click here to visit the National Board for Respiratory Care

American Medical Technologists (AMT)

Direct extension questions to mail@americanmedtech.org

Click here to visit the American Medical Technologists website for more information.

American Registry of Radiologic Technologists (ARRT)

Individual must log on to their account for extension on expiring requirements

Click <u>here</u> to visit the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists website for more information

Arizona

The Arizona Department of Health Services (ADHS) is to waive licensing requirements to provide healthcare officials with assistance in delivering services during times of heightened demand. ****Issuing temporary licenses within 48 hours

Click here to visit the Arizona State Board of Nursing

Arkansas

Expedited Temporary licensure for 3 months.

Click <u>here</u> to visit the Arkansas Department of Health

California

Any out of state personnel including, but not limited to medical personnel shall be permitted to provide services. Permission for any such individual is subject to approval by EMSA. Must complete and submit authorization form. ***All Allied Professionals, accepted.

Certified Nursing Assistant - Who's certification will expire during the state of emergency, may work as a CNA for 30 days after expiration. Learn more here

Click here to view authorization form.

Click here to read updates from the California Emergency Medical Services Authority

Colorado

Fast Track Application. A provider with an expired or lapsed license, certification may operate within 60 day grace period

A Nurse with a Compact Licensure may work in CO and must notify the board within 30 days of their arrival

Click here and here for more information.

Connecticut

All State Licensures Accepted. All professions, EMS, PT, Nursing, Nurse's Aides, Respiratory Care, Psychologist, Pharmacy, Clinical Social workers from other states allowed to work for 60 days. Allied Professionals: RRT, PT, EMS & Pharm.

Click here to visit Connecticut's official state website for more information.

Delaware

All States Licensures Accepted. All out of state licensed healthcare professionals including Pharmacists, Respiratory Therapists, Physicians, EMT, Physicians and Nursing Assistants.

Click here to visit Delaware Health and Social Services website for more information.

Florida

All State Licensures Accepted. RN's, LPN's, Physicians, Physicians Assistant, and ARNP AHCA fingerprinting is waived as of 3/31/2020. RN, APRN, Radiologic Technologist & Radiologist Assistants with a current expiration date of 3/31/2020 and 4/30/2020 will now expire on 5/31/2020.

Click here to read more of Florida's COVID-19 updates.

Georgia

Fast Track Temp Licensure available. No application fee necessary.

Click here for more information

Hawaii

All state licensures accepted. Only LPN, RN, and Advanced Practice Registered Nurse.

Click <u>here</u> for more information.

International Association of Healthcare Central Service Materiel Management (IAHCSMM)

Extension of certification due to expire 30 days (March expirations - extend until April 30,2020) (April expirations-extend until May 30, 2020)

Click here for more information

Idaho

All State Licensures Accepted for RN's and LPN's.

Click <u>here</u> to visit Idaho's official government website.

Illinois

Temporary Permits for RN's, LPN's, APRN's, and RRT. Temporary permits expire 9/30/2020.

Click <u>here</u> to apply.

Click here to read more from the Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation.

Indiana

All state licensures accepted.

Click <u>here</u> for more information.

Iowa

All States Licensures Accepted

For more information, click here

Kansas

Exempt license granted only to a registered professional or practical nurse previously licensed in KS for 5 years or licensed in another jurisdiction for 5 years.

All KS Licenses that are in good standing as of March 13,2020 and that has expired or will expire during the State of Emergency, such license shall remain valid until 90 days following the termination of the declaration of emergency.

For more information, click here

Kentucky

All State Licensures Accepted.

For more information, click here

Louisiana

All State Licensures Accepted. Including Allied: RRT, OT, COTA, Poly, CLS, Cyto All States Reinstate Temporary Permits extended for 120 days and may be extended for additional 90 day increments

Click <u>here</u> and <u>here</u> to read more of Louisiana's licensure update

Maine

90 Day authorization to practice letters. ME license expiration date extended 30 days.

Click <u>here</u> for more information.

Maryland

All States Licensures Accepted.

Click here to read more of Maryland's licensure update

Massachusetts

Fast track application available. Will issue reciprocal licenses in one business day, application and forms required.

Click here to read more of Massachusetts' licensure update

Michigan

All State Licensures Accepted. Including: RRT. * University of Michigan will only accept in State Licenses.

Click <u>here</u> to register.

Click here to read more of Michigan's licensure update

Minnesota

Fast Track Temporary License RN, LPN, and RRT. 45 day extension MN Fingerprint required + must register.

For more information, click <u>here</u> to visit Minnesota Board of Medical Practice and click <u>here</u> to apply.

Mississippi

In accordance with Executive Order 1458 issued by Governor Tate Reeves on March 16, 2020, the MS Board of Nursing will be placed in telework status effective March 17, 2020. The Board of Nursing continues to undertake extraordinary measures to prevent the spread of the coronavirus, COVID-19, while also ensuring the mission of public safety for the citizens of our state. The Board and staff regret the inconvenience resulting from the present and unavoidable circumstances. Staff members will continue to work diligently via telework to carry out our mission and will address individual cases as soon as they are able to do so. ***Fast track temporary licensure available

Click here to visit the MS state board of nursing for more information

Missouri

Fast Track Temporary licensure accepted.

Click here to visit the Missouri Board of Nursing website for more information

Montana

All state licensures accepted. + RRT, Pharmacy. Out of State licensees must register. The MT board will review and issue a registration letter to work in Montana

Click <u>here</u> for registration.

Click <u>here</u> for more information.

Nebraska

All States Licensures Accepted.

Click <u>here</u> to read more of Nebraska's updates.

New Hampshire

All State licensures Accepted.

Click here to visit New Hampshire Board of Nursing for more information.

New Jersey

Accepting Compact State Licenses in good standing. Issuing temp licensure for single state (out of State) LPN, RN, APN & HHA. Includes: RRT & Pharm

Apply here

Click here to read more of New Jersey's licensure update

New Mexico

All States Licensures Accepted.

Click here to read more of New Mexico's updates.

New York

** Permits unlicensed individuals, upon completion of training deemed adequate by the Commissioner of Health, to collect throat or nasopharyngeal swab specimens from individuals suspected of being infected by COVID-19, for purposes of testing; and to the extent necessary to permit non-nursing staff, upon completion of training deemed adequate by the Commissioner of Health, to perform tasks, under the supervision of a nurse, otherwise limited to the scope of practice of a licensed or registered nurse. ALL STATE LICENSES ACCEPTED

Click here to read more of New York's licensure update

Nevada

3 month extensions on Temporary licensures.

Click here to visit the NV state board of nursing website for more information.

North Carolina

Nurses holding an active, unrestricted single state license in a non-compact state can practice in NC during periods of official disaster designation.

Click here to visit the North Carolina medical board for more information.

North Dakota

All State Licensures Accepted. Including: RRT, Lab, Imaging & Pharmacy.

Click here to read more of North Dakota's updates.

Ohio

Temporary Licenses

During COVID-19, the Ohio Board of Nursing will prioritize issuing Temporary Permits/Licenses, typically within 3 business days. These licenses do not require "compact" membership or related paperwork. Please go to www.nursing.ohio.gov and click on the large red button, "Licensing-Apply/Renew Online" to quickly complete an online application. **All states accepted.

Click here to read more of Ohio's licensure update

Oklahoma

Fast track temporary licensures available.

Click <u>here</u> to visit the Oklahoma Board of Nursing for more information.

Oregon

All State Licensures accepted. For Nursing and Nurses Assistants, must complete Application for Authorization to Practice in Oregon.

For application, click **here**

Click <u>here</u> and <u>here</u> to read more of Oregon's licensure updates.

Pennsylvania

Temporary Waiver of License Including, OT, PT and PT Assistants

Click <u>here</u> to apply for the temporary waiver.

Click here to visit the Pennsylvania Board of State website for more information.

Pharmacy Technician Certification Board (PTCB)

60 day extension on certifications that expire during March 31st, April 30th, and May 31st expiration dates for CphTs and CSPTs.

Click here to visit the PTCB website.

Rhode Island

All State Licensures Accepted. Temporary 90 Day Permits, including CN.A, PT, Pharmacist, Respiratory Care & OT.

Click link here to apply for permit.

Click here to visit the State of Rhode Island Department of Health website

South Carolina

South Carolina will issue "emergency" nursing and medical licenses to combat the COVID-19 pandemic. LPN,RN and APRN licenses that expire on 4/30/2020 will now expire on 5/31/2020. Waving application fees

Click here to read more of South Carolina's licensure update.

South Dakota

Fast Track Temporary license, application and fee required

Click here to visit the SD board of nursing

Tennessee

All State Licensures Accepted. All allied professionals accepted.

Click <u>here</u> to apply.

Click <u>here</u> to read more of Tennessee's licensure update.

Texas

All State Licensures Accepted. Only active out of state licenses with no disciplinary actions. Licenses with disciplinary actions must apply for temporary licensure

Click <u>here</u> to read more of Texas' licensure update.

Utah

Fast track temporary licensure Fingerprinting services are temporarily suspended.

Visit Utah's licensee website for more info here

Vermont

All state licensures accepted. + RRT, Pharmacy, PT. If you are providing services to Vermonters in a licensed facility you do need to provide your contact information to the Office of Professional Regulation. Includes: RN, LPN, RRT, Pharmacist, Pharm Tech, PT, APRN, Licensed Nursing Assistants.

Click <u>here</u> to register.

Visit Vermont's official state website here for more information.

Virginia

The state has relaxed their licensing requirements amid COVID-19 concerns.

Visit the Virginia Board of Nursing website here for more information.

Washington

Fast track temporary licensure: All health practitioners licensed in another state in good standing can enroll. The Secretary of Health has extended health profession license expiration dates for licenses up for renewal between April 1 and September 30,2020.

Click here and here to read more of Washington's licensure updates.

Washington, DC

All State Licensures Accepted. RRT, Pharmacy, PT. Must have clear/active license in home state.

Click <u>here</u>, <u>here</u>, and <u>here</u> to read more of Washington's licensure updates.

West Virginia

All State Licensures Accepted. Out of State RN's and APRN may practice in WV but must complete COVID State of Emergency Notification of Practice.

Click <u>here</u> and <u>here</u> for more information.

Wisconsin

All State Licensures Accepted.

Click <u>here</u> to visit Wisconsin Department of Health Services for more information.

Wyoming

All States Licensures Accepted

Click <u>here</u> to learn more about Wyoming's updates.