

**Licensure Information Rule**

As of July 1, 2020, the U.S. Department of Education implemented new regulations (Regulation 34 CFR 668.43 (a) (5) (v)) that professional nursing programs must adhere to.

The LPN nursing program at Lake Area Technical College meets the state education requirements for a practical nursing license in the states of South Dakota, North Dakota, Minnesota, Iowa and Nebraska. Lake Area Technical College has not determined if the practical nursing program at Lake Area Technical College meets the state education requirements in any other state, any U.S. Territory, or the District of Columbia. Contact the state regulatory agency for nursing in any other state for which this information if needed.

For further information, please go to the National Council of States Boards of Nursing (NCSBN) website to look up each state’s initial licensure educational requirements: <https://www.ncsbn.org/14730.htm>. Students should contact the Board of Nursing in the state they would like to be initially licensed in for more specific information.

CONTACTS Boards of Nursing		
Alabama		<a href="https://www.abn.alabama.gov/">https://www.abn.alabama.gov/</a>
Alaska		<a href="https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/cbpl/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardofNursing.aspx">https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/cbpl/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardofNursing.aspx</a>
Arizona		<a href="https://www.azbn.gov/">https://www.azbn.gov/</a>
Arkansas		<a href="https://www.arsbn.org/licensing">https://www.arsbn.org/licensing</a>
California		<a href="https://www.rn.ca.gov/">https://www.rn.ca.gov/</a>
Colorado		<a href="https://ncsbn.org/Colorado.htm">https://ncsbn.org/Colorado.htm</a>
Connecticut		<a href="https://ncsbn.org/Connecticut.htm">https://ncsbn.org/Connecticut.htm</a>
Delaware		<a href="https://dpr.delaware.gov/boards/nursing/">https://dpr.delaware.gov/boards/nursing/</a>
Florida		<a href="https://floridasnursing.gov/">https://floridasnursing.gov/</a>
Georgia		<a href="https://ncsbn.org/Georgia.htm">https://ncsbn.org/Georgia.htm</a>
Hawaii		<a href="https://ncsbn.org/Hawaii.htm">https://ncsbn.org/Hawaii.htm</a>
Idaho		<a href="https://ibn.idaho.gov/">https://ibn.idaho.gov/</a>
Illinois		<a href="https://www.idfpr.com/profs/Nursing.asp">https://www.idfpr.com/profs/Nursing.asp</a>
Indiana		<a href="https://www.in.gov/pla/nursing.htm">https://www.in.gov/pla/nursing.htm</a>
Iowa		<a href="https://nursing.iowa.gov/">https://nursing.iowa.gov/</a>
Kansas		<a href="https://ksbn.kansas.gov/">https://ksbn.kansas.gov/</a>
Kentucky		<a href="https://kbn.ky.gov/Pages/default.aspx">https://kbn.ky.gov/Pages/default.aspx</a>
Louisiana		<a href="http://www.lsbns.state.la.us/">http://www.lsbns.state.la.us/</a>

Maine	<a href="https://www.maine.gov/boardofnursing/">https://www.maine.gov/boardofnursing/</a>
Maryland	<a href="https://mbon.maryland.gov/Pages/default.aspx">https://mbon.maryland.gov/Pages/default.aspx</a>
Massachusetts	<a href="https://www.mass.gov/orgs/board-of-registration-in-nursing">https://www.mass.gov/orgs/board-of-registration-in-nursing</a>
Michigan	<a href="https://ncsbn.org/Michigan.htm">https://ncsbn.org/Michigan.htm</a>
Minnesota	<a href="https://mn.gov/boards/nursing/">https://mn.gov/boards/nursing/</a>
Mississippi	<a href="https://www.msbn.ms.gov/">https://www.msbn.ms.gov/</a>
Missouri	<a href="https://www.pr.mo.gov/nursing.asp">https://www.pr.mo.gov/nursing.asp</a>
Montana	<a href="http://boards.bsd.dli.mt.gov/nur">http://boards.bsd.dli.mt.gov/nur</a>
Nebraska	<a href="http://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Pages/Nurse-Licensing.aspx">http://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Pages/Nurse-Licensing.aspx</a>
Nevada	<a href="https://nevadanursingboard.org/">https://nevadanursingboard.org/</a>
New Hampshire	<a href="https://www.oplc.nh.gov/nursing/">https://www.oplc.nh.gov/nursing/</a>
New Jersey	<a href="https://www.niconsumeraffairs.gov/nur/Pages/default.aspx">https://www.niconsumeraffairs.gov/nur/Pages/default.aspx</a>
New Mexico	<a href="https://nmbon.sks.com/">https://nmbon.sks.com/</a>
New York	<a href="http://www.op.nysed.gov/prof/nurse/">http://www.op.nysed.gov/prof/nurse/</a>
North Carolina	<a href="https://www.ncbon.com/">https://www.ncbon.com/</a>
North Dakota	<a href="https://www.ndbon.org/">https://www.ndbon.org/</a>
Ohio	<a href="https://nursing.ohio.gov/">https://nursing.ohio.gov/</a>
Oklahoma	<a href="https://nursing.ok.gov/">https://nursing.ok.gov/</a>
Oregon	<a href="https://www.oregon.gov/osbn/Pages/index.aspx">https://www.oregon.gov/osbn/Pages/index.aspx</a>
Pennsylvania	<a href="https://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/Nursing/Pages/default.aspx">https://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/Nursing/Pages/default.aspx</a>
Rhode Island	<a href="https://health.ri.gov/licenses/detail.php?id=231">https://health.ri.gov/licenses/detail.php?id=231</a>
South Carolina	<a href="https://lir.sc.gov/nurse/">https://lir.sc.gov/nurse/</a>
South Dakota	<a href="https://doh.sd.gov/boards/nursing/">https://doh.sd.gov/boards/nursing/</a>
Tennessee	<a href="https://www.tn.gov/health/health-program-areas/health-professional-boards/nursing-board/nursing-board/about.html">https://www.tn.gov/health/health-program-areas/health-professional-boards/nursing-board/nursing-board/about.html</a>
Texas	<a href="https://www.bon.texas.gov/">https://www.bon.texas.gov/</a>
Utah	<a href="https://dopl.utah.gov/nurse/index.html">https://dopl.utah.gov/nurse/index.html</a>
Vermont	<a href="https://ncsbn.org/Vermont.htm">https://ncsbn.org/Vermont.htm</a>
Virginia	<a href="https://www.dhp.virginia.gov/Boards/Nursing/">https://www.dhp.virginia.gov/Boards/Nursing/</a>
Washington	<a href="https://www.doh.wa.gov/LicensesPermitsandCertificates/NursingCommission/NurseLicensing">https://www.doh.wa.gov/LicensesPermitsandCertificates/NursingCommission/NurseLicensing</a>
West Virginia	<a href="http://www.lpnboard.state.wv.us/">http://www.lpnboard.state.wv.us/</a> & <a href="https://wvnrnboard.wv.gov/Pages/default.aspx">https://wvnrnboard.wv.gov/Pages/default.aspx</a>
Wisconsin	<a href="https://dsps.wi.gov/pages/BoardsCouncils/Nursing/Default.aspx">https://dsps.wi.gov/pages/BoardsCouncils/Nursing/Default.aspx</a>
Wyoming	<a href="https://wsbn.wyo.gov/">https://wsbn.wyo.gov/</a>

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