



NAB NHA Criteria for Endorsement

Licensing Boards/Agencies in long term care shall endorse licensure for all candidates from other jurisdictions that demonstrate experience in long term care having met the following or this jurisdiction's minimum requirements (which may be less than those listed below):

- BA/BS Degree from a college/university accredited body recognized by the United States Department of Education or an accrediting agency recognized or approved by the jurisdiction in which the applicant is seeking licensure.
- Presentment to the Board/Agency of evidence of licensure as a nursing home administrator of record full time for the past two consecutive years in a jurisdiction regulated by a licensing authority.
- Presentment to the Board/Agency of proof of initial licensure, including active NAB scores and proof that such license is in good standing.
- Presentment to the Board/Agency of proof that any other nursing home administrator license granted to the candidate by all other states has not been suspended, revoked or otherwise restricted for any reason (other than non renewal or the failure to obtain the required continuing education credits in any states where the applicant is currently licensed but not engaged in the practice of nursing home administration, nor subject to any discipline or current investigation). Boards/Agencies shall have discretion to assess the magnitude of any such discipline issued relative to their state rules and solely determine the license eligibility. Documentation must be provided directly by the state appointed authority.
- Submission of written application on forms required by applicable laws and regulations and applicable payment to the Board/Agency.
- Successful completion of the applicable state examination or equivalency.
- Boards/Agencies in each jurisdiction may continue to impose individual standards for entry-level requirements and less restrictive standards under law or regulations for interstate endorsement or reciprocity.