



STATE OF CONNECTICUT

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

EXHIBIT G

Information Regarding Connecticut Nurse Licensure

The Commissioner of Public Health's Order signed July 14, 2020, allows nurses licensed in good standing in another state to work in Connecticut for the duration of the declared public health emergency without obtaining a Connecticut license. Pursuant to Governor Lamont's Executive Order Number 11, the Commissioner's Order has been extended through **May 20, 2021**. At such time as the Order listed above is no longer in effect, the process for nurses to obtain a temporary permit is outlined below.

Temporary Permits:

LPN's and RN's that are currently licensed in another state and are seeking a temporary permit to practice nursing in CT must submit an application online at <https://www.elicense.ct.gov/>. Applications are only accepted online. The fee for an RN application is \$180.00. The fee for an LPN application is \$150.00.

- Temporary permits are valid for 120 calendar days from the date of issuance, are not renewable and cannot be extended.
- Licenses held in foreign countries or U.S. territories cannot qualify applicants for CT temporary permits.
- Nurses who held a temporary permit in the past and were not issued a full, unrestricted license are not eligible for reissuance of a permit; the applicant must apply for and be issued a full, unrestricted license.
- No temporary permit or license may be issued to an applicant who has a pending investigation or unresolved complaint in this or any other state of jurisdiction.
- Temporary permits and licenses may be verified on the internet at <https://www.elicense.ct.gov/>.

Reinstatement of Lapsed Licenses:

Nurses who once held a Connecticut license which has lapsed due to non-renewal may apply for reinstatement of a lapsed license. Reinstatement applicants may be eligible for a temporary permit if the applicant meets the requirements as outlined above.

Reinstatement applications must be submitted online at <https://www.elicense.ct.gov/>.

Nurses who once held a Connecticut nursing license which has lapsed due to non-renewal and have not been involved in the active, clinical practice of nursing for more than three years are required to complete a refresher course. Applicants who have been out of the active, clinical practice of nursing for longer than five years are required to complete a refresher course and successfully complete the NCLEX examination.

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