

Professional Licensure Disclosure - CNA

Federal legislation (the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1987) and associated regulations (42 CFR 483.152) require that Medicare- and Medicaid-certified nursing homes employ nurse aides/assistants who are trained and evaluated through training programs approved by their states. Federal regulations require that these training programs consist of at least 75 hours of training, including at least 16 hours of supervised practical or clinical training. Many state require more training hours. West Virginia requires 120 clock hours with a minimum of 55 hours spent in instructor-supervised clinical practice, and Eastern's CNA program adheres to West Virginia's requirements. To learn more about CNA requirements and registration in West Virginia, visit <https://ohflac.wvdhhr.org/Programs/NA.html>

The U.S. Department of Education has implemented regulations (34 CFR 668.43 (a) (5) (v)) which requires Eastern to provide a list of all states/jurisdictions where the institution's curriculum, including applicable workforce programs, meets state educational requirements for professional licensure or certification. Please note that these disclosures are updated annually.

The following list of states and territories indicates where Eastern's CNA training program meets that state's requirements, does not meet requirements, or it has not yet been determined by Eastern if the training meets requirements. This information is for initial CNA registration by exam, not for registration by reciprocity or endorsement by holding active CNA registration in another state.

Students are advised to review the information below and confirm CNA licensing requirements in their home states/territories before enrolling in this or any educational program, as state and territory licensing requirements may have changed since the information in this document was last updated. Website links and contact information for CNA licensing bodies/CNA registries in states/territories is provided at the end of this document.

States and Territories	State does not require licensure	Meets Requirements	Does Not Meet Requirements	Not yet determined
Alabama		x		
Alaska			x	
American Samoa			x	
Arizona			x	
Arkansas		x		
California		x		
Colorado		x		
Connecticut			x	
Delaware			x	
District of Columbia			x	
Florida		x		
Georgia			x	
Guam			x	
Hawaii			x	
Idaho			x	
Illinois			x	
Indiana		x		
Iowa		x		

States and Territories	State does not require licensure	Meets Requirements	Does Not Meet Requirements	Not yet determined
Kansas			x	
Kentucky		x		
Louisiana		x		
Maine			x	
Marshall Islands			x	
Maryland		x		
Massachusetts			x	
Michigan			x	
Micronesia			x	
Minnesota		x		
Mississippi			x	
Missouri		x		
Montana		x		
N. Marianas Islands			x	
Nebraska			x	
Nevada			x	
New Hampshire		x		
New Jersey			x	
New Mexico			x	
New York			x	
North Carolina		x		
North Dakota		x		
Ohio			x	
Oklahoma		x		
Oregon		x		
Palau			x	
Pennsylvania		x		
Puerto Rico			x	
Rhode Island		x		
South Carolina			x	
South Dakota		x		
Tennessee		x		
Texas		x		
Utah		x		
Vermont		x		
Virgin Islands			x	
Virginia			x	

States and Territories	State does not require licensure	Meets Requirements	Does Not Meet Requirements	Not yet determined
Washington			x	
West Virginia		X		
Wisconsin			x	
Wyoming			x	

CNA Registration Information by State/Territory

State	Agency Name	Street Address	PO Box	City	ST	ZIP	Phone	Fax	URL	Email or Contact Form
Alabama	Alabama Department of Public Health, Division of Healthcare Facilities - Certified Nurse Aide Registry	The RSA Tower, Suite 700, 201 Monroe Street		Montgomery	AL	36104	334-206-5169	334-206-0361	https://dph1.adph.state.al.us/NurseAideRegistry/(S(ehhvr0s5nfdn2y5yibseg54))/FAQ	NArcorrespondence@adph.state.al.us
Alaska	Alaska Department of Commerce, Community & Economic Development - Division of Corporations, Business & Professional Licensing - Nurse Aide Registry	550 W 7th Ave, Ste 1500		Anchorage	AK	99501	907-269-8169	907-269-8196	https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/cbpl/ProfessionalLicensing/NurseAideRegistry.aspx	david.worrell@alaska.gov
American Samoa	<i>No information available</i>								https://doh.as/	
Arizona	Department of Public Health Division of Healthcare Facilities	1740 W Adams Street, Suite 2000		Phoenix	AZ	85007	(602) 771-7800		https://www.azbn.gov/licenses-and-certifications/nursing-assistant-types	iridenour@azbn.gov
Arkansas	Arkansas Department of Human Services, Division of Provider Services and Quality Assurance, Office of Long-term Care		P.O. Box 8059, Slot S409	Little Rock	AR	72203	501-682-6789	501-682-1197	https://humanservices.arkansas.gov/divisions-shared-services/provider-services-quality-assurance/cna-nha-training-program/	natpcertification@dhs.arkansas.gov
California	California Department of Public Health - CNA/HHA/CHT Certification Unit Licensing & Certification Program		P.O. Box 997416, MS 3301	Sacramento	CA	95899	916-327-2445	916-552-8785	https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CHCQ/LCP/Pages/CNA.aspx	cna@cdph.ca.gov
Colorado	Colorado Board of Nursing	1560 Broadway, Suite 1350		Denver	CO	80202	303-894-7800	303-894-7693	https://dpo.colorado.gov/Nursing/CNAApplications	dora_nursingboard@state.co.us
Connecticut	Connecticut Department of Public Health, Nurse's Aide Registry	410 Capitol Ave., MS# 12 APP	PO Box 340308	Hartford	CT	06134	860-509-7613	860-707-1983	https://portal.ct.gov/DPH/Practitioner-Licensing--Investigations/Nurseaide/Nurse-Aide-Registration	dph.nurseaide@ct.gov
Delaware	Delaware Division of Health Care Quality - Office of Long Term Care	The Cambridge Building - University Office Plaza; 263 Chapman Road, Suite 200		Newark	DE	19702	302-421-7400	302-421-7401	https://www.dhss.delaware.gov/dhss/dhcg/cnareg.html	
District of Columbia	District of Columbia Department of Health	2201 Shannon Place SE		Washington	DC	20020	888-274-6060	202-442-4795	https://dchealth.dc.gov/service/certified-nurse-aides-licensing	doh@dc.gov
Florida	Florida Board of Nursing	4052 Bald Cypress Way Bin C-02	P.O. Box 6330	Tallahassee	FL	32314	850-245-4125	850-617-6460	https://floridasnursing.gov/licensing/	MQA.CNA@flhealth.gov
Guam	Guam Board of Nurse Examiners	194 Herman Cortez Ave., Suite 213		Hagatna	Gua m	96910	671-735-7409	671-734-7413	https://guamhplp.org/gbne	Marlene.Carbullido@dphss.guam.gov
Georgia	Georgia Department of Community Health		P.O. Box 105753	Atlanta	GA	30348	800-414-4358		https://www.mmis.georgia.gov/portal/ResourceProxy.aspx?iCProxyTo=MS1OQVRQTWVudS5hc3B4	
Hawaii	Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, Professional & Vocational Licensing Division	DCCA-PVL Att: NA	P.O. Box 3469	Honolulu	HI	96801	808-586-2695		https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/programs/nurse/	nurse_aide@dcca.hawaii.gov
Idaho	Idaho Bureau of Facility Standards, CNA Registry	3232 W Elder Street		Boise	ID	83705	800-748-2480	208-334-6629	https://healthandwelfare.idaho.gov/providers/certified-nurse-assistant/about-certified-nurse-assistant-registry	IDNAP@dhw.idaho.gov
Illinois	Illinois Department of Public Health, Health Care Worker Registry	535 W. Jefferson St.		Springfield	IL	62761	844-789-3676	217-524-0137	https://hrcwrpub.dph.illinois.gov/	DPH.HCWR@Illinois.gov
Indiana	Indiana State Department of Health, Nurse Aide Registry	2 N. Meridan St., Section 4B		Indianapolis	IN	46204	317-233-7351	317-233-7750	https://www.in.gov/health/long-term-care-nursing-homes/certified-nurse-aide-training-certification-and-recertification-and-registration/	aides@isdh.in.gov
Iowa	Iowa Department of Inspections and Appeals, Division of Health Facilities, Direct Care Worker Registry	6200 Park Avenue; Suite 100		Des Moines	IA	50321	515-281-4077	515-281-6259	https://dia.iowa.gov/health-facilities/direct-care-worker-registry-cnans	Contact_Form">https://stateofiowa.seamlessdocs.com/f/DIA>Contact_Form
Kansas	Kansas Health Occupations Credentialing	503 S. Kansas Ave.		Topeka	KS	66603	785-296-6958		https://www.kdads.ks.gov/commissions/survey-certification-and-credentialing-commission/health-occupations-credentialing	kimberly.garrett@ks.gov

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Kentucky	Kentucky Board of Nursing	312 Whittington Pky, Suite 300-A		Louisville	KY	40222	502-429-3300	502-429-1247	https://kbn.ky.gov/knar/Pages/faqknar.aspx	Julie.Lobo@ky.gov
Louisiana	Louisiana Dept. of Health, Health Standards Section		P.O. Box 3767	Baton Rouge	LA	70821	225-342-0138	225-342-5073	https://ldh.la.gov/subhome/32	HSS-CNA-DSW-Request@la.gov
Maine	Maine Department of Health & Human Services, Division of Licensing & Regulatory Services - Registry of Certified Nursing Assistants	109 Capitol Street; 11 State House Station		Augusta	ME	04333	800-383-2441		https://www.maine.gov/dhhs/dlc/cna-registry/frequently-asked-questions	dlsr.cnaregistry@maine.gov
Maryland	Maryland Board of Nursing	4140 Patterson Avenue		Baltimore	MD	21215	410-585-2044	410-764-8042	https://mbon.maryland.gov/Pages/nursing-assistant-certification.aspx	mdbon.inac@maryland.gov
Massachusetts	Massachusetts Department of Public Health, Nurse Aide Registry Program	67 Forest St.		Marlborough	MA	01752	617-753-8144		https://www.mass.gov/info-details/learn-how-to-become-a-certified-nurse-aide-in-massachusetts	nars@mass.gov
Michigan	Michigan Bureau of Community and Health Systems		PO Box 30670	Lansing	MI	48933	517-284-8961		https://www.michigan.gov/lara/0,4601,7-154-89334_63294_75200---,00.html	BCHS-CNA-Registry@michigan.gov
Minnesota	Minnesota Division Of Compliance Monitoring - Nursing Assistant Registry		P.O. Box 64501	St. Paul	MN	55164	651-215-8705	651-215-9697	https://www.health.state.mn.us/facilities/providers/nursingassista nt/index.html	health.FPC-NAR@state.mn.us
Mississippi	Mississippi State Dept. of Health	570 E. Woodrow Wilson Dr.	P.O. Box 1700	Jackson	MS	39216	601-364-1100		https://msdh.ms.gov/msdhsite/_static/30,0,83,74.html	pjohnson@msbn.ms.gov
Missouri	Missouri Dept. of Health and Senior Services		P.O. Box 570	Jefferson City	MO	65102	573-526-5686	573-526-7656	https://health.mo.gov/safety/cnaregistry/cna.php	cnaregistry@health.mo.gov
Montana	Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services, Certification Bureau, Nurse Aid Registry	2401 Colonial Drive, 2nd Floor	P.O. Box 202953	Helena	MT	59620	406-444-4980	406-444-3456	https://dphhs.mt.gov/qad/certification/cna	cna@mt.gov
Nebraska	Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Public Health, Licensure Unit, Office of Nursing Support	301 Centennial Mall South, 14th and M Streets, 1st floor	P.O. Box 94986	Lincoln	NE	68508	402-471-4322	402-742-1151	https://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Pages/Nurse-Aide.aspx	DHHS.NursingSupport@nebraska.gov
Nevada	Nevada State Board of Nursing	6005 Plumas St., Suite 100		Reno	NV	89519	(888) 590-6726	(775)687-7707	https://nevadanursingboard.org/	Nursingboard@nsbn.state.nv.us
New Hampshire	Board of Nursing	7 Eagle Square		Concord	NH	03301	(603) 271-2152	(603) 271-6605	https://www.oplc.nh.gov/applications-lna	board.questions@oplc.nh.gov
New Jersey	New Jersey Dept. of Health, Certificate of Need and Licensing, Certification Program	25 South Stockton Street	P.O. Box 360	Trenton	NJ	08625	866-561-5914	609-633-9087	https://www.nj.gov/health/healthfacilities/certification-licensing/nurse-aide-pc-assistant/	lrc@doh.nj.gov
New Mexico	New Mexico Department of Health, Health Improvement, Health Facility Licensing, Nurse Aide Registry	5300 Homestead Road NE, Suite 300-3116		Albuquerque	NM	87110	505-861-9680	505-841-6551	https://www.nmhealth.org/about/dhi/hflc/prop/nar/	CNA.Registry@state.nm.us
New York	NY Dept. of Health, Bureau of Quality Assurance	875 Central Avenue		Albany	NY	12206	877-877-1827		https://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/consumer_information/nurse_aide_registry/	profcred@health.state.ny.us
North Carolina	North Carolina Dept of Health and Human Services, Division of Health Service Regulation, N.C. Nurse Aide I Registry	2709 Mail Service Center		Raleigh	NC	27699	919-855-3969	919-733-9764	https://ncnar.ncdhhs.gov/ncna.html	contact@nmibon.info
North Dakota	North Dakota Department of Health, Health Response and Licensure - Health Facilities Unit	1720 Burlington Drive, Suite A		Bismarck	ND	58504	701-328-2352	701-328-1890	https://www.hhs.nd.gov/certified-nurse-aid-information	naregistry@nd.gov
N. Mariana Islands	NMI Board of Nursing		P.O. Box 501458	Saipan	MP	96950	670-233-2263		https://nmibon.info/	contact@nmibon.info
Ohio	Ohio Dept. of Health, Bureau of Regulatory Operations, Nurse Aide Registry	246 N. High St.		Columbus	OH	43215	614-752-9500	614-564-2461	https://odh.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/odh/know-our-programs/nurse-aide-registry	NAR@odh.ohio.gov
Oklahoma	Oklahoma State Department of Health, Nurse Aide Registry		P.O. Box 268816	Oklahoma City	OK	73126	405-426-8150	405-900-7572	www.nursing.ok.gov	NAR@health.ok.gov

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Oregon	Oregon State Board of Nursing	17938 SW Upper Boones Ferry Road		Portland	OR	97224	971-673-0685	971-673-0684	https://www.oregon.gov/osbn/pages/index.aspx	oregon.bn.info@state.or.us
Palau	Ministry of Health & Human Services - Bureau of Nursing Services	One Hospital Road	P.O. Box 6027	Koror	PW	96940	680-488-2552	680-488-1211	https://www.palauhealth.org/MOHpages/MOHServices1.aspx	jennifer.anastasi@palauhealth.org
Pennsylvania	Pennsylvania Department of Health, Division of Nursing Care Facilities	Room 526, Health & Welfare Building, 625 Forster St.		Harrisburg	PA	17120	800-254-5164	717-787-1816	https://www.health.pa.gov/topics/facilities/Nurse%20Aide/Pages/Nurse%20Aide.aspx	c-ncomplai@state.pa.us
Puerto Rico	Puerto Rico Board of Nurse Examiners	Building GM Group 3rd. - Urb. Caribe floor; 1590 Ponce de Leon Street		Rio Piedras	PR	00926	(787) 725-7506	(787)-765-2929	www.salud.gov.pr	contactus@salud.pr.gov
Rhode Island	Rhode Island Department of Health, Office of Health Professionals Regulation	3 Capitol Hill Room 105		Providence	RI	02908	401-222-5888		https://health.ri.gov/licenses/detail.php?id=232	doh.license@health.ri.gov
South Carolina	South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services		P.O. Box 8206	Columbia	SC	29202			https://www.scdhhs.gov/historic/insideDHHS/Bureaus/BureauofLongTermCareServices/NurseAides.html	scnar@scdhhs.gov
South Dakota	South Dakota Board of Nursing	4305 S. Louise Ave., Suite 201		Sioux Falls	SD	57106	605-362-2760	605-362-2768	https://doh.sd.gov/boards/nursing/nurseaid.aspx	Jolene.Hanson@state.sd.us
Tennessee	Tennessee Department of Health, Office of Health Care Facilities	665 Mainstream Drive		Nashville	TN	37243	615-532-7841	615-248-3601	https://www.tn.gov/health/health-professionals/hcf-main/nai.html	CNA.HEALTH@TN.GOV
Texas	Texas Health and Human Services		P.O. Box 13247	Austin	TX	78751	512-438-2050	512-438-2051	https://hhs.texas.gov/doing-business-hhs/licensing-credentialing-regulation/credentialing/nurse-aide-registry	Credentialing@hhs.state.tx.us
Utah	Utah Nursing Assistant Registry	Davis Technical College, Simmons Building; 450 Simmons Way		Kaysville	UT	84037	801-547-9947		https://utahcnaregistry.com/	unar@datc.edu
Vermont	Board of Nursing - VT Secretary of State's Office	89 Main Street, 3rd Floor		Montpelier	VT	05602	(802) 828-2396	(802) 828-2465	https://sos.vermont.gov/nursing/	Kristin.Donnely@sec.state.vt.us
Virgin Islands	Virgin Islands Board of Nurse Licensure		P.O. Box 304247	St. Thomas	VI	00803	340-776-7397	340-777-4003	Virgin Islands Board of Nurse Licensure VIBNL	
Virginia	Virginia Department of Health Professions Board of Nursing	Perimeter Center 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 300		Henrico	VA	23233	804-367-4515		www.dhp.virginia.gov	Cheryl.Garland@dhp.virginia.gov
Washington	Washington Department of Health, Health Systems Quality Assurance	Town Center 2, 111 Israel Road SE		Tumwater	WA	98501	360-236-4700	360-236-4818	https://www.doh.wa.gov/licensespermitsandcertificates/professionalsnewreneworupdate/nursingassistant	hsqa.csc@doh.wa.gov
West Virginia	West Virginia Office of Health Facility Licensure & Certification	408 Leon Sullivan Way		Charleston	WV	25301	304-558-0050	304-558-1442	https://ohflac.wvdhhr.org/Programs/NA.html	DHHR.OHFLAC.NAP@wv.gov
Wisconsin	Wisconsin Department of Health Services, Division of Quality Assurance	1 West Wilson St.		Madison	WI	53703	608-266-1865		https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/caregiver/nurse-aide/natd-registry.htm	DHWSIDQA_NATCEP@dhs.wisconsin.gov
Wyoming	Wyoming Dept. of Health, Office of Healthcare Licensing and Survey	2300 Capitol Ave., Suite 510		Cheyenne	WY	82002	307-777-7123	307-777-7127	https://health.wyo.gov/aging/hls/certified-nurse-aides/	wdh-ohls@wyo.gov