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Disclosure Regarding Academic Curriculum Requirements for Licensure

Physician Assistant Studies

Federal regulations require ATSU to disclose to prospective and enrolled students whether a program leading to professional licensure or certification meets the educational requirements in each state and U.S. territory. Physician assistant is a licensed profession in all 50 states and U.S. territories. To become licensed to practice as a physician assistant, a student must graduate from an accredited program and pass the Physician Assistant National Certifying Exam (PANCE) administered by the National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants (NCCPA). ATSU's Master of Science in Physician Assistant Studies degree program is accredited by the Accreditation Review Commission on Education of the Physician Assistant (ARC-PA). This curriculum is designed to meet educational requirements for initial licensure to practice as a physician assistant in every state and most U.S. territories.

State requirements for licensure are subject to change. These statements and program completion do not guarantee licensure. ATSU cannot provide verification of an individual's ability to meet licensure requirements unrelated to its educational program. Students are encouraged to review licensure requirements (including noneducational requirements such as certification/examination work experience, background checks, etc.) for the states in which they intend to seek licensure. To find additional details on state requirements, see the state-specific licensure information and contacts provided by the Academy of Physician Associates:

https://www.aapa.org/career-central/become-a-pa/

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	State	Yes	No	Notes
1	Alabama	Х		
2	Alaska	Х		
3	Arizona	Х		
4	Arkansas	Х		
5	California	Х		
6	Colorado	Х		
7	Connecticut	Х		
8	Delaware	Х		
9	District of Columbia	Х		
10	Florida	Х		
11	Georgia	X		
12	Hawaii	X		
13	Idaho	Х		
14	Illinois	Х		
15	Indiana	Х		
16	Iowa	Х		
17	Kansas	Х		
18	Kentucky	Х		
19	Louisiana	Х		
20	Maine	Х		
21	Maryland	X		

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22	Massachusetts	Х		
23	Michigan	X		
24	Minnesota	X		
25	Mississippi	X		
26	Missouri	Χ		
27	Montana	Х		
28	Nebraska	Х		
29	Nevada	Х		
30	New Hampshire	Х		
31	New Jersey	Х		
32	New Mexico	Х		
33	New York	Х		
34	North Carolina	Х		
35	North Dakota	Х		
36	Ohio	Х		
37	Oklahoma	Х		
38	Oregon	Х		
39	Pennsylvania	Х		
40	Rhode Island	Х		
41	South Carolina	Х		
42	South Dakota	Х		
43	Tennessee	Х		
44	Texas	Х		
45	Utah	Х		
46	Vermont	Х		
47	Virginia	Х		
48	Washington	Х		
49	West Virginia	Х		
50	Wisconsin	Х		
51	Wyoming	Х		
	American Samoa	Х		
	Commonwealth of			
53	Puerto Rico	Х		
54	Guam	Х		
55	U.S. Virgin Islands	Х		
	Commonwealth of			
56	Northern Mariana	Х		
	Islands			
	Republic of the			
57	Marshall Islands	Х		
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58	Federal States of		Х	
	Micronesia			
59	Republic of Palau		Х	