

Chapter Med 2

LICENSE BY RECIPROCITY TO PRACTICE MEDICINE
AND SURGERY; GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

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Med 2.01 General requirements. Any medical practitioner holding a license from a state in which the requirements for license are equivalent to those of Wisconsin or a full diplomate of the national board of medical examiners, may be admitted to practice in this state by endorsement or reciprocity. As a part of his application he must furnish the statement of the examining board of the state in which he is licensed listing the professional subjects in which he was examined by such board and the grade received by him in each subject. Each applicant must present satisfactory evidence of one year of active practice, but a year of residency or a second year of internship performed in a state other than Wisconsin or 1 year service as medical officer in the armed forces, will be accepted in lieu of such year of active practice. Each applicant must appear personally before the board and submit to an oral examination in which he must receive an average grade of 75.

Med 2.02 Application for license by reciprocity. Applications must be fully completed and submitted on forms provided by the board at least 2 weeks before the date of the meeting of the board of which same is to be considered, and must be accompanied by:

(1) **PHOTOGRAPH.** An unmounted photograph of the applicant (another is pasted to the application blank), taken not more than sixty days prior to date of application, to be approximately 3½" x 5", and signed by the applicant. A statement by a notary public should be made on the reverse side that it is a true photograph of the applicant.

(2) **NOTARIZED PHOTOGRAPHIC OR PHOTOSTATIC COPIES OF:** (a) Diploma representing at least 3 years of pre-medic work, or a certified statement of credits, equivalent to the premedical course at the university of Wisconsin, as of the date of his matriculation into medical school.

(b) Diploma from a reputable medical or osteopathic college, having a required course of at least four years.

(c) A certificate showing completion of a twelve months internship in a reputable hospital.

(d) License by examination in the state from which the applicant is seeking reciprocity or a Certificate from the National Board of Medical Examiners.

(3) **CERTIFICATE.** A certificate of registration in the basic sciences.

(4) **CHARACTER.** Satisfactory evidence of good moral and professional character.

(5) FEE. A fee equal to that of the state from which reciprocity is sought, with a minimum of \$100.00.

Med 2.03 Reciprocity with armed forces service. An honorably discharged surgeon of the army or navy or the federal health service may be licensed without written examination upon filing a sworn and authenticated copy of his discharge in lieu of a license in another state, and compliance with the other provisions relating to the granting of licenses, providing such discharge was within one year of the date of application, and providing also that such applicant served a tour of duty of at least one year.