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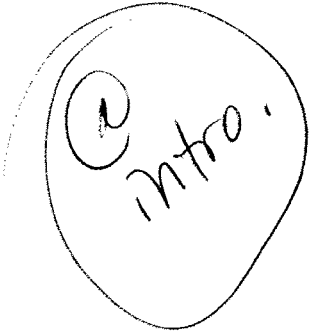
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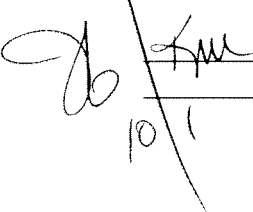
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From: Weigand, Jeffrey - DSPS <Jeffrey.Weigand@wisconsin.gov>
Sent: Friday, February 08, 2013 2:58 PM
To: Gallagher, Michael
Subject: RE: DSPS 2013 Cleanup Bill

Mike –

Here is an explanation of what we are trying to accomplish with the spreadsheet I had sent you.

Streamline the Licensure Application Process for New Graduates

Across all of the various professions we regulate, there are various exam, application and graduation requirements for licensure. We want to give people the option of completing all the exam and application requirements in advance so that on the day of graduation they will be able to hit the ground running and get into the workforce faster.

As an example, here is the current process that is most commonly followed for most of the professions we license.

- Step 1.) Graduate from college
- Step 2.) Apply to DSPS for license
- Step 3.) Schedule and take licensure exam
- Step 4.) Wait for DSPS to process application and issue license

On average, this process can take anywhere from 1-3 months. That is 1-3 months that a recent college graduate will be unable to work in his/her profession. That is 1-3 months that this person will not be earning a living. We want to change all applicable statutes and rules to allow future graduates to pre-apply for their license and take the licensure exam prior to graduation. The standards for licensure remain the same but the sequence in which you complete them will be up to the individual who needs the license.

In talking with the Governor's office this is something they would like to get drafted sooner rather than later. When do you think would be a good time to talk about this?

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From: Weigand, Jeffrey - DSPS
Sent: Thursday, January 31, 2013 1:18 PM
To: Gallagher, Michael - LEGIS
Cc: Weigand, Jeffrey - DSPS; Gasper, Greg - DSPS
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- = Statute requires completion of education requirements prior to examination.
- = Code (but not statute) requires completion of education requirements prior to examination.
- = Neither statute nor code requires completion of education requirements prior to examination, but current credentialing processes do require it.
- = National test organization requires education requirements prior to examination in contract with the Department.

Completion of Education Requirements as Condition of Examination					
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Accountant ✓ (CPA)	Yes	442.025, Acyc 3.02, Acyc 3.05, Acyc 3.10	442.04 (4) (b)m) A person may not take the examination leading to the certificate to practice as a certified public accountant unless the person has completed at least 150 semester hours of education with an accounting concentration at an institution, and has received a bachelor's degree or higher degree with an accounting concentration from an institution, except as provided in par. (c). (c) If an applicant has a bachelor's degree or higher degree but does not have an accounting concentration [...], the examining board may review such other educational experience [...] and [may] approve the applicant for examination. Acyc 3.02 A candidate for a certified public accountant certificate shall successfully pass the certified public accountant examination set forth in s. Acyc 3.03 and the professional ethics examination set forth in s. Acyc 3.05. Acyc 3.05 A candidate for the certified public accountant examination must possess a bachelor's or higher degree with a resident major in accounting, as defined in s. Acyc 7.02 (3), or the reasonable equivalence of a resident major in accounting, as defined in s. Acyc 7.03 (1) or reasonably expect to receive a degree with resident major in accounting or its reasonable equivalence within 45 days following the date of examination. Acyc 3.10 (1) A candidate for a certified public accountant certificate shall successfully pass an open book professional ethics examination on statutes and rules governing the practice of public accounting in Wisconsin.	Nat'l- DSPS does not determine eligibility requirements. State- Yes Applicant must complete all other licensure requirements prior to taking state exam including degree completion	
Acupuncturist ✓	Yes	451.06(2), 451.04(2) (d)	451.06(2) A person is not eligible for examination unless the person has satisfied the requirements for certification under s.451.04(2) (a) to (d) at least 30 days before the date of examination. 451.04 (2)(d) Subject to s. 451.08, submits evidence satisfactory to the department that he or she has completed a course of study and residency program in acupuncture that meets standards established by the department by rule.	Unclear processes	
Aesthetician ✓	Yes- completion of coursework not graduation	454.06 (4), 454.07	454.07-- A person is not eligible for examination for a license unless the person has completed the requirements for licensure under s.454.06 except passing the examination. 454.06(4)(b)(1)-- Must complete a course of instruction in aesthetics of at least 450 training hours in a school of cosmetology or a school of aesthetics [...] (2) or at least 450 training hours [...] under the supervision of a cosmetology instructor, aesthetics instructor [...] or a licensed cosmetology manager [...].	Yes- The state administers a national exam that requires applicants to complete coursework prior to taking the exam.	
Architect	No	A-E 3.05 (2)	A-E 3.05 (2) To be eligible to take a scheduled examination, the applicant shall submit documentation certifying he or she has all but one year of academic credit and qualifying architectural experience, as specified in 443.03(1)(b)1., Stats., all but one year of qualifying architectural experience, as specified in s. 443.03 (1)(b) 2., Stats., or graduated from a national architectural accrediting board accredited degree program and obtained a national council of architectural registration boards established intern development program training record.	Nat'l- No examination. State- degree completion not required for examination.	

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Art Therapist	No	440.03(14)(a)2., 440.03(14)(am), SPS 141.01, SPS 141.04	Natl- No examination. State- must only take exam if practicing psychotherapy. Degree completion is not required.
Athlete Agent	N/A		
Athletic Trainers	No	448.953(1)(h), 448.954, AT 1.05	Natl- DSPS does not determine eligibility for natl examination. State no state examination.
Auctioneer	No- no education requirements	480.08 (2), 480.10 (3) (intro.) and (a) to (d)	No- no education requirements

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Audiologist ✓	Yes	459.26 (3), 459.24(3)(d)	459.26(3) An individual is not eligible for examination unless he or she has satisfied the requirements for licensure under s. 459.24(2)(a) to (d) or (3)(a) to (d) [...] 459.24(3)(d)- The examining board must grant an audiologist license to an individual who does all of the following: [...] Submits evidence satisfactory to the examining board that he or she has completed a supervised clinical practicum and satisfied one of the following: 2. Submits evidence satisfactory to the examining board that he or she possesses a doctoral degree in audiology from an accredited academic institution approved by the examining board by rule. [...] 3. Submits evidence satisfactory to the examining board that he or she has completed education or training that the examining board determines is substantially equivalent to the requirements under subd. 2.	Nat'l- The department does not determine eligibility for the exam. State- Applicant must have completed education requirements prior to examination.	
Behavior Analyst	N/A	440.312(1)(c)	440.312(1)(c) The department accepts the certification by the Behavior Analyst Certification Board.		
Cemetery Authority- Licensed/ Religious	No		No required examinations or education.	No required examinations or education.	
Cemetery Authority- Registered	No		No required examinations or education.	No required examinations or education.	
Cemetery Preneed Seller	No		No required examinations or education.	No required examinations or education.	
Cemetery Salesperson	No		No required examinations or education.	No required examinations or education.	

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Chiropractor	No - order of requirements not specified	441.02 (2)446.02 (3) Chir 2.02 (5), Chir 2.025, Chir 2.03	<p>441.02(2)(a) The examining board shall grant a license to engage in the practice of chiropractic to a qualified person who submits on an application for the license to the department [...], accompanied by satisfactory evidence of completion of the educational requirements established in the rules promulgated under par. (b), passes the examinations described under sub. (3) and pays the license fee specified in s. 440.05(1). (b) [...]. The rules shall require that an applicant for a license that is received by the department after June 30, 1998 be accompanied by satisfactory evidence that the applicant satisfies all of the following: 1. Has a bachelor's degree [...]. 2. Has graduated from a college of chiropractic 3. Has current proficiency in the use of an automatic external defibrillator 4. Has successfully completed the examinations [...]. 446.02 (3) The examining board shall require each applicant for licensure to successfully complete the following examinations: (a) [...] An examination administered by the examining board under this paragraph. (b) Any examination required by the national board of chiropractic examiners (c) An examination approved by the examining board that tests the applicants knowledge of the laws of this state relating to the practice of chiropractic. Chir 2.025 An applicant must pass an examination on state laws (Chir 2.03), and all application materials must be filed with the board within one year from the date the first item is filed (Chir 2.025).</p> <p>Nat'l- We receive scores on a scheduled basis for most exams and set the eligibility requirements for SPEC exam which do not include degree completion. State-YES Applicant must complete all other licensure requirements prior to taking state exam including degree completion</p> <p>No - DSPS administers the state examination.</p>
Chiropractic Radiological Technician	No		No required examinations.
Chiropractic Technician	No		No required examinations.
Clinical Supervisor-In-Training	No - order of requirements not specified	SPS 161.05 (1)	<p>SPS 161.05 (1) An applicant for certification as a clinical supervisor-in-training shall submit evidence satisfactory to the department of all the following: (a) Current employment, a written offer of employment or an agreement authorizing volunteer hours at an agency providing substance use disorder treatment service [...]. (b) Successful passage of an ethics, boundaries, and jurisprudence examination developed or approved by the department. (c) Current certification as one of the following [...]. (d) Completion of 2,000 hours of patient counseling experience [...].</p> <p>Nat'l- No national examination. State- No education requirements for examination.</p>

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Independent Clinical Supervisor	No-order of requirements not specified	SPS 161.05 (3)	SPS 161.05 (3) An applicant for certification as an independent clinical supervisor shall submit evidence satisfactory to the department of all of the following: (a) Successful passage of an ethics, boundaries, and jurisprudence examination developed or approved by the department. (b) The applicant holds a current certificate listed in subd. 1 or 2, with verification of 10,000 hours of counseling experience [...]. (c) Verification of 2 years clinical supervisory experience [...]. (d) Verification of 30 hours of classroom training in clinical supervision. [...]. (e) Successful passage of the International Certification Reciprocity Consortium written clinical supervisor certification examination.	Nat'l- Must have 30 hours of clinical supervision education prior to examination. (Since this requirement is not written in statute or code, is it possible that this requirement is determined by the International Certification Reciprocity Consortium?) State- no education requirements.	We don't have a contract with IC&RC.
Intermediate Clinical Supervisor	No-order of requirements not specified	SPS 161.05 (2)	SPS 161.05 (2) An applicant for certification as an intermediate clinical supervisor shall submit evidence satisfactory to the department of all of the following: (a) Current certification as one of the following : [...]. (b) Verification of one year clinical supervisory experience [...]. (c) Verification of 30 hours of classroom training in clinical supervision [...]. (d) Completion of 2,000 hours of patient counseling experience [...]. (e) successful passage of the International Certification Reciprocity Consortium written clinical supervisor certification examination. (f) Successful passage of ethics, boundaries and jurisprudence examination developed or approved by the department.	Nat'l- Must have 30 hours of clinical supervision education prior to examination. (Since this requirement is not written in statute or code, is it possible that this requirement is determined by the International Certification Reciprocity Consortium?) State- no education requirements.	We don't have a contract with IC&RC.
Cosmetologist	Yes- graduation or completion of an apprenticeship	454.06 (2), 454.07	454.07--A person is not eligible for examination for a license unless the person has completed the requirements for licensure under s.454.06 except passing the examination. 454.06 (2)(b) Graduates from a course of instruction of at least 1,800 training hours in not less than 10 months in a school of cosmetology [...] or has successfully completed an apprenticeship [...].	YES- The state administers a national exam that requires applicants to complete coursework prior to taking the exam.	
Cosmetologist Manager	N/A	454.06 (3), 454.07	454.07--A person is not eligible for examination for a license unless the person has completed the requirements for licensure under s.454.06 except passing the examination. 454.06 (3)(b)-- Completes 4,000 hours of practice as a licensed cosmetologist [...] or completes 2,000 hours of practice as a licensed cosmetologist and 150 hours of theoretical instruction in a school of cosmetology [...].	Same as cosmetologist but with experience requirements.	
Crematory Authority	N/A		No required education or examinations.	No required education or examinations.	

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Dance Therapist	No	440.03(14) (a)3., 440.03(14) (am), SPS 141.01, SPS 141.04(2)	440.03(14)(a) 3.- The department shall grant a certificate of registration as a dance therapist to a person if all of the following apply: a. The person is certified, registered, or accredited as a dance therapist by the American Dance Therapy Association or by another national organization that certifies, registers, or accredits dance therapists. SPS 141.04(2) Every registrant who applies for a license to practice psychotherapy shall pass an examination on the Wisconsin statutes and rules that relate to the profession.	No	No
Dentist	No- order of requirements not specified	447.04 (1) 4, & 5., DE 2.01 (1)	447.04(1) The examining board shall grant a license to practice dentistry to an individual who does all of the following: 1. Submits an application for the license to the department. 2. Pays the fee specified in s.440.05 (1). 3. Submits evidence satisfactory to the examining board that he or she has graduated from an accredited dental school. 4. Submits evidence satisfactory to the examining board that he or she has passed the national dental examination and the examination of a dental testing service approved by the examining board. 5. Passes an examination administered by the examining board on the statutes and rules relating to dentistry. 6. Completes any other requirements established by the examining board by rule.	No	No
Dental Hygienist	No- order of requirements not specified	447.04 (2) 4, & 5., DE 2.01 (2)	447.04 (2)(a) The examining board shall grant a license to practice dental hygiene to an individual who does all of the following: 1. Submits an application for the license to the department [...] 2. Pays the fee specified in s. 440.05 (1). 3. Submits evidence satisfactory to the examining board that the or she has graduated from an accredited dental hygiene school. 4. Submits evidence satisfactory to the examining board that he or she has passed the national dental hygiene examination and the examination of a dental hygiene testing service approved by the examining board. 5. Passes an examination administered by the examining board on the statutes and rules relating to dental hygiene. 6. Completes any other requirements established by the board.	No	No
Designer of Engineering Systems	Yes- must have completed experience reqs	A-E 5.04 (2)	A-E 5.04 (2) To be eligible to take a written examination for a permit as a designer of engineering systems, an applicant shall have 7 years of approved experience in specialized engineering design work, up to 4 years of which may be equivalent academic training or apprenticeship as provided in 443.07 (2), Stats.	No	No

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Dietitian	No- order of requirements not specified	448.78(5), 448.84, DI 2.01, DI 2.04, DI 3.01	448.78(5) The affiliated credentialing board shall grant a certificate as a dietitian to an individual who does all of the following: (3) Submits evidence satisfactory to the affiliated credentialing board that he or she has done any of the following: (a)(b)(c) Received a bachelor's, master's, doctoral degree, or other degree in human nutrition, nutrition education, food and nutrition, dietetics or food systems management from a program approved by the credentialing board. (5) Passes the registration examination for dietitians established by the commission on dietetic registration of the American dietetic association, or passes an equivalent examination approved by the affiliated credentialing board, held under s. 448.84 to determine fitness to practice dietetics.	Nat'l- DSPS does not determine eligibility for nat'l examination. State no state examination.
Electrologist ✓	Yes- completion of coursework not graduation	454.04 (5), 454.07	454.07--A person is not eligible for examination for a license unless the person has completed the requirements for licensure under s.454.06 except passing the examination. 454.04 (5)(b) --Must complete a course of instruction in electrology of at least 450 training hours [...] in a school of cosmetology or a school of electrology [...]. Or, must complete at least 450 training hours [...] under the supervision of an electrology instructor [...] or a licensed electrologist who is also licensed as a cosmetology manager [...].	YES - The state administers a national exam that requires applicants to complete coursework prior to taking the exam.
Engineer (professional)	Yes-for second examination	443.04, A-E 4.05, A-E 4.08 (2)	<p>A-E 4.05 (1) Requirements for registration under s.443.04 (1) (a), Stats. are as follows: [...]. (c) Successful completion of the fundamentals of engineering examination and the principles and practice of engineering examination. A-E 4.05 (2) Requirements for registration under s.443.04 (1) (b), Stats. are as follows: [...]. (b) Successful completion of the fundamentals of engineering examination and the principles and practice of engineering examination. A-E 4.08 (2) (a) To be eligible to take the examination on fundamentals of engineering, the applicant shall: 1. Be of not less than senior standing in an accredited B.S. engineering program; 2. Have at least 4 years of engineering experience qualifying under A-E 4.03; or 3. Have a combination of engineering experience qualifying under s. A-E 4.03 and education qualifying under s. A-E 4.05 totaling at least 4 years. (b) To be eligible to take the examination on the principles and practices of engineering, the applicant shall: 1. Have a B.S. degree from an accredited engineering program, and at least 4 years of engineering experience qualifying under s. A-E 4.03; 2. Have at least 8 years of engineering experience qualifying under s. A-E 4.03; or 3. Have a combination of engineering experience qualifying under s. A-E 4.03 and education qualifying under s. A-E 4.05 totaling at least 8 years.</p> <p>Nat'l- DSPS determines eligibility for National Professional Engineering Exam (Principle and Practice Examination) that includes degree completion. State- No state examination</p>	<p>No- Contract states the RFB document is simply the contract. From the RFB the only real req. is 5.1.1 to "screen applicants for eligibility to sit for the examination, except for the fundamentals of engineering and land surveys."</p>

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Funeral Director	Yes- completion of coursework, not graduation.	445.045(1)(g)	<p>445.045(1)(g) To be eligible for an original funeral director's license, a person must meet all of the following requirements: (g) The person must have successfully passed a comprehensive examination conducted by the examining board as required by 445.04. The examination may be taken at any time after completion of the college and mortuary school instruction and regardless of the age of the applicant.</p>	<p>Not- National examinations are only taken through the mortuary schools. DSPS does not determine eligibility requirements. State- YES the applicant must have graduated from the mortuary school in order to take the state exam.</p>	
Geologist	Yes, but maybe N/A	470.04 (2), GHSS 2.06	<p>GHSS 2.06 (1) An applicant for initial licensure as a professional geologist shall pass examination for the professional practice of geology approved by the professional geologist section. Required examinations shall include a fundamentals examination and a principles and practice of geology examination. (2) [...] To be eligible to take the fundamentals examination, an applicant shall have done one of the following: (a) Completed at least 24 semester hours or 36 quarter hours of course credits [fewer than required to receive licensure] in geology and be of not less than second semester senior standing in a bachelor program meeting the requirements of GHSS 2.05. (b) Completed at least 4 years of experience, which is determined by the professional geologist section to be equivalent to the requirements of s. GHSS 2.04 (1). (3) [...] To be eligible to take the principles and practice examination, an applicant shall have done one of the following: (a) An applicant under 470.04 (2)(c) 1. [which requires 5 years of professional experience in geologic work] shall have all of the following: 1. Met the requirements under s. 470.04 (2) (a), Stats. [which requires that the applicant does not have an arrest or conviction record] 2. Met the requirements under s. 470.04 (2) (b), Stats., [which requires a bachelor's degree in geology] or have at least 5 years of professional experience in addition to the qualifying experience under subd. 3. [...] 3. Completed at least 4 years of professional experience in geologic work [...] (b) An applicant under s. 470.04 (2)(b) [which requires 7 years of professional experience in geologic work]. Stats., shall have done all of the following: 1. Met the requirements under s. 470.04 (2) (a), Stats. [which requires that the applicant does not have an arrest or conviction record] 2. Met the requirements under s. 470.04 (2) (b), Stats., [which requires a bachelor's degree in geology] or have at least 5 years of professional experience in addition to the qualifying experience under subd. 3. [...] 3. Completed at least 6 years of professional experience in geologic work [...].</p>	<p>Yes-The state administers national examinations. The first may be taken after the completion of some education requirements, the second may be taken after the completion of all education requirements and experience requirements.</p>	<p>No- candidate eligibility determined solely by the department.</p>
Hearing Instrument Specialist	Yes/No	459.06(1)	<p>459.06(1) Applicants may obtain a license by successfully passing a qualifying examination, provided the applicant is 18 years or older, does not have an arrest or conviction record [...] and has an education equivalent to a 4-year course in an accredited high school.</p>	<p>State- Must have high school diploma/GED prior to examination.</p>	
Home Inspector		440.972, 440.973	<p>No education requirements to take examination.</p>	<p>No education requirements to take examination.</p>	

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Hydrologist	Yes, but maybe N/A	470.04 (3), GHSS 3.05 (1)	<p>GHSS 3.05 (1) An applicant for initial licensure as a professional hydrologist shall pass examinations for the professional practice of hydrology approved by the professional geologist section. Required examinations shall include a fundamentals examination and a principles and practice of geology examination. (2) [...] To be eligible to take the fundamentals examination, an applicant shall have done one of the following: (a) Completed at least 24 semester hours or 36 quarter hours of course credits [fewer than required to receive licensure] in hydrology and be of not less than second semester senior standing in a bachelor program meeting the requirements of GHSS 3.04. (b) Completed at least 4 years of experience, which is determined by the professional geologist section to be equivalent to the requirements of s. GHSS 3.04. (3) [...] To be eligible to take the principles and practice examination, an applicant shall have done one of the following: (a) An applicant under 470.04 (3) (c) 1. [which requires 5 years of professional experience in hydrologic work] shall have all of the following: 1. Met the requirements under s. 470.04 (3) (a), Stats. [which requires that the applicant does not have an arrest or conviction record] 2. Met the requirements under s. 470.04 (3) (b), Stats. [which requires a bachelor's degree in hydrology] or have at least 5 years of professional experience in addition to the qualifying experience under subd. 3. [...] 3. Completed at least 6 years of professional experience in hydrologic work [...].</p> <p>An applicant under s. 470.04 (3)(c) [which requires 7 years of professional experience in hydrologic work] Stats., shall have done all of the following: . 1. Met the requirements under s. 470.04 (3) (a), Stats. [which requires that the applicant does not have an arrest or conviction record] 2. Met the requirements under s. 470.04 (3) (b), Stats. [which requires a bachelor's degree in hydrology] or have at least 5 years of professional experience in addition to the qualifying experience under subd. 3. [...] 3. Completed at least 6 years of professional experience in hydrologic work [...].</p>
Interior Designer	No	440.964 (1), SPS 130.02 (1)	<p>440.964(1) [...] No person may be registered as a Wisconsin registered interior designer under this subchapter unless he or she passes one of the following examinations: (a) An interior design examination administered by a national organization that establishes standards for the interior design profession and that is recognized by the department. (b) An interior design examination conducted or approved by the department under sub. (2) that is substantially equivalent to an examination specified in par. (a). SPS 130.02 (1) [...] Under s. 440.964 (1) (a), Stats., an applicant for registration as an interior designer shall pass one of the following: (a) The interior design examination of the national council for interior design qualification administered 1990 or later. (b) The building and barrier free codes section of the interior design examination of the national council for interior design qualification administered in 1990 or later, if an applicant has passed the examination of the national council for interior design qualification prior to 1990. (c) The building and barrier free codes section of the interior design examination of the national council for interior design qualification administered in 1990 or later, if the applicant has passed the interior design examination of the council for qualification of residential interior designers.</p> <p>Nat'l- DSPS does not determine eligibility for national examination. State- No state examination.</p>

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Land Surveyor	Yes- either education or experience reqs but possibly N/A	443.06 (2), A-E 6.05 (c)-(d)	<p>A-E 6.05 (c)-To be eligible to take the "fundamentals of land surveying" examination, an applicant shall have done one of the following: 1. Complied with A-E 6.04 (2) [which requires a bachelor's degree] 2. Complied with A-E 6.04 (1) [which requires a number of semester credits] 3. Have at least 5 years of practice in land surveying [...]. 4. Have completed an apprenticeship training course in land surveying. (d) To be eligible to take the "principles and practice of land surveying" examination, an applicant shall have done one of the following: 1. Complied with s.A-E 6.04 (2) and have at least one year of approved practice in land surveying. 2. Complied with s. A-E 6.04 (1) and have at least 3 years of approved practice in land surveying. 3 Have at least 9 years of approved practice in land surveying [...]. 4. Have completed an apprenticeship training course in land surveying.</p> <p>Depends on the individual situation. For the "principles and practice of land surveying" examination, the applicant should have completed the education and experience requirements.</p> <p>No- Contract states the RFB document is simply the contract. From the RFB the only real req. is 5.1.1 to "screen applicants for eligibility to sit for the examination, except for the fundamentals of engineering and land surveyors."</p>
Landscape Architect	Yes- either education or experience reqs but possibly N/A	443.035, A-E 9.05 (2)	<p>A-E 9.05 (2) To be eligible to take the examinations require under this section, an applicant shall submit to the board satisfactory evidence of having met the requirements under ss. 443.035 (1) (a) [which requires a bachelor's or master's degree in landscape architecture and at least 2 years of practical experience in landscape architecture] or (b) [which requires at least 7 years of training and experience and 4 years of practical experience] and 443.09 (2), Stats [which requires that the applicant does not have an arrest or conviction record].</p> <p>Depends on the individual situation.</p> <p>No- Contract has no specifics on candidate eligibility requirements. It is at the department's discretion.</p>
Manicurist	Yes- completion of coursework not graduation	454.04 (6), 454.07	<p>454.07--A person is not eligible for examination for a license unless the person has completed the requirements for licensure under s.454.06 except passing the examination. 454.04 (6)(b)- Must complete a course of instruction in manicuring of at least 300 training hours [...] in a school of cosmetology or a school of manicuring [...]. Or, must complete at least 300 training hours of training [...] under the supervision of a cosmetology instructor or manicuring instructor [...] or a licensed cosmetology manager in a licensed establishment [...].</p> <p>Yes- The state administers a national exam that requires applicants to complete coursework prior to taking the exam.</p>
Marriage and Family Therapy	No	MPSW 18.01	<p>MPSW 18.01 An applicant for a license as a marriage and family therapist shall successfully complete the examination consisting of the Wisconsin statutes and rules examination and the examination in marriage and family therapy of the association of marital and family therapy regulatory boards. Both parts of the examination may be taken prior to the completion of the required period of supervision.</p> <p>DSPS does not verify degree completion for nat'l or state examinations. DSPS does determine eligibility for nat'l exam, but it does not include degree completion.</p>

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Massage Therapy/ Bodywork Therapy	No order of requirements not specified	460.06, MTBT 2.01	460.06 The affiliated credentialing board may not grant a license under this chapter unless the applicant achieves a passing grade on the following examinations: (1) A nationally administered, entry-level competency examination for therapeutic massage and bodywork therapy that meets generally accepted psychometric principles and standards or a substantially equivalent examination approved by the affiliated credentialing board. (2) The examination on state laws and administrative rules governing massage therapy and bodywork therapy required under s. 460.04 (2) (g). MTBT 2.01 An individual applying for a certificate as a massage therapist or bodyworker shall submit all of the following to the department: (1) An application [...]. (2) The fee [...]. (3) Evidence [...]. (4) That he or she: (a) Has graduated from a school of massage therapy or bodywork [...]. (b) Has successfully completed at least 6 classroom hours of study in the laws of this state and rules of the department [...]. (c) Is 18 years of age or older. (d) Has graduated high school [...]. (e) Has not been convicted of an offense [...]. (f) Has not been convicted of any other offense [...]. (g) Has passed either the national certification examination for therapeutic massage and bodywork or the national certification board for therapeutic massage and bodywork [...]. (g) Has passed an examination on state laws and administrative rules governing massage therapy or bodywork. (i) Has malpractice liability insurance. (j) Has successfully completed a course consisting of 5 classroom hours in adult cardiopulmonary resuscitation and standard first aid [...].	Nat'l- DSPS does not determine eligibility for national examination. State- Applicant can submit general information prior to degree completion. Once received, DSPS sends information about the open book exam, and the applicant can take the next available open book exam	
Licensed Midwives	No no examinations	440.982 (1m), SPS 181.01	440.982 (1m) [...]. The department may grant a license to a person under this subchapter if all of the following apply: (a) The person submits an application [...]. (b) The person pays the initial credential fee [...]. (c) The person submits evidence to the department of one of the following: 1. The person holds a valid certified professional midwife credential granted by the American College of Nurse-Midwives or a successor organization. 2. The person holds a valid certified nurse-midwife credential granted by the American College of Nurse-Midwives or a successor organization. (d) The person submits evidence satisfactory to the department that the person has current proficiency in the use of an automated external defibrillator [...].	Nat'l- DSPS receives proof of credential from agency. State- no examination.	
Music Therapist	No	440.03(14) (a)1., 440.03(14) (am), SPS 141.01, SPS 141.04(2)	440.03(14)(a) 1.- The department shall grant a certificate of registration as a music therapist to a person if all of the following apply: a. The person is certified, registered or accredited as a music therapist by the Certification Board for Music Therapists, National Music Therapy Registry, American Music Therapy to perform psychotherapy unless the person is granted a license under the rules promulgated under par. (am), SPS 141.04(2) Every registrant who applies for a license to practice psychotherapy shall pass an examination on the Wisconsin statutes and rules that relate to the profession.	Nat'l- no examination. State- must only take exam if practicing psychotherapy. Degree completion is not required.	

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Registered Nurse ✓	Yes	441.04, N 2.03(1)	<p>441.04 Any person who has graduated from a high school or its equivalent as determined by the board, does not have an arrest or conviction record, subject to ss. 111.321, 111.322 and 111.335, holds a diploma of graduation from an accredited school of nursing and, if the school is located outside this state, submits evidence of general and professional educational qualifications comparable to those required in this state at the time of graduation may apply to the department for licensure by the board as a registered nurse, and upon payment of the fee specified under s. 440.05 (1) shall be entitled to examination. N 2.03(1) An applicant is eligible for the examination for registered nurses if the applicant: (a) Does not have an arrest or conviction record, subject to ss. 111.321, 111.322, 111.335, Stats.; (b) Has graduated from high school or its equivalent; and, (c) Has graduated from a board-approved school of professional nursing.</p> <p>Nat'l- YES, DSPS determines eligibility for the national exam (NCLEX) and applicants are required to have their degree completed. State- No examination.</p>
Licensed Practical Nurse ✓	Yes	441.10 (1), N 2.03(2)	<p>441.10 (1) A person who is 18 years of age or older, does not have an arrest or conviction record, subject to ss. 111.321, 111.322 and 111.335, has completed 2 years of high school or its equivalent as determined by the board and holds a diploma of graduation from an accredited school for licensed practical nurses approved by that board, may apply to the board for licensing as a licensed practical nurse, and, upon payment of the examination fee specified in s. 440.05 (1), shall be entitled to take an examination. [...] N 2.03(2) An applicant is eligible for the examination for practical nurses if the applicant: (a) Does not have an arrest or conviction record, subject to ss. 111.321, 111.322, 111.335, Stats.; (b) Has completed 2 years of high school or its equivalent; (c) Has graduated from a board-approved school of practical nursing.</p> <p>Nat'l- YES, DSPS determines eligibility for the national exam (NCLEX) and applicants are required to have their degree completed. State- No examination.</p>
Advanced Practice Nurse Prescriber	No- and possibly N/A	N 8.03	<p>N 8.03 An applicant for initial certification to issue prescription orders shall be granted a certificate by the board if the applicant complies with all of the following: (1) Has a current license to practice as a professional nurse [...] (2) Is currently certified by a national certifying body approved by the board as a nurse practitioner, certified nurse-midwife, certified registered nurse anesthetist or clinical nurse specialist (3) For applicants, who receive national certification [...] after July 1, 1998, holds a master's degree in nursing or a related field granted by a college or university [...]; (4) Has completed at least 45 contact hours in clinical pharmacology/therapeutics within 3 years preceding the application for a certificate to issue prescription orders. (5) Has passed a jurisprudence examination for advanced practice nurse prescribers.</p> <p>Nat'l- DSPS receives proof of national certification from passing national exam from outside source. State- applicants are allowed to take the state statutes and rules exam prior to degree completion.</p>

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Nurse- Midwife	No- and possibly N/A	N 4.03	N 4.03 An applicant for licensure as a nurse-midwife shall be granted licensure by the board, provided that the applicant meets all of the following: (1) Has completed an educational program in nurse-midwifery accredited by the American College of Nurse-Midwives. (2) Holds a certificate issued by the American College of Nurse-Midwives or the American College of Nurse Midwives Certification Council. (3) Is currently licensed to practice as a professional nurse in Wisconsin, or is currently licensed to practice professional nursing in another state which has adopted the nurse licensure compact.	Nat'l- DSNPs does not determine eligibility for the national exam. The Department only receives verification of their national certification. State- no state examination.
Nursing Home Administrator	Yes	456.04, NHA 2.02	456.04 The examining board shall allow any person to take the examination for licensure as a nursing home administrator who satisfies all of the following requirements: (1) Pays the fee [...]. (2) Subject to [...], does not have an arrest or conviction record. (3) Is 18 years of age. (4) Completes a regular course of study or equivalent specialized courses or a program of study which the examining board considers adequate academic preparation for nursing home administration. NHA 2.02 An applicant for examination for a license as a nursing home administrator shall apply on a form provided by the board. An applicant shall also submit to the board: Evidence satisfactory to the board of having completed any one of the following: (a) A regular course of study. (b) A program of study. (c) Specialized courses. [...]	YES- Must complete education requirements to take state and national examinations.

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Occupational Therapist and Occupational Therapy Assistant	No order of requirements not specified	448.963, 448.964, OT 2.02, OT 2.03	<p>448.963 (1) An applicant for a license granted under this subchapter shall do each of the following: (a) Submit an application [...]. (b) Pay the fee [...]. (2) The affiliated credentialing board shall grant a license as an occupational therapist to a person who does all of the following: (a) Satisfies the requirements under sub. (1). (b) Submits evidence satisfactory to the affiliated credentialing board that he or she has done any of the following: 1. Successfully completed the academic requirements and supervised internship of an educational program in occupational therapy [...]. 2. Received initial certification as an occupational therapist by the National Board for Certification in Occupational Therapy. 3. Been initially certified as a occupational therapist by the National Board for Certification in Occupational Therapy. [...]. OT 2.02 Applicants for initial licensure as an occupational therapist or occupational therapy assistant shall submit all of the following: (a) Application form. (b) Evidence that the applicant is certified as an occupational therapist or an occupational therapy assistant by the National Board for Certification in Occupational Therapy; and that the applicant has completed an occupational therapist educational program, or an occupational therapy assistant educational program. OT 2.03 (1) Applicants for licensure as an occupational therapist or occupational therapy assistant shall pass the certification examination for occupational therapist or the certification examination for occupational therapy assistant of the national board for certification in occupational therapy, and shall complete an open book examination on statutes and rules governing the practice of occupational therapy in Wisconsin.</p> <p>Part I- DSPS does not determine eligibility for national examination. State- No. Applicant can submit general information prior to degree completion. Once received, DSPS sends information about the open book exam, and the applicant can take the next available open book exam.</p>
Optometrist	Yes	449.05	<p>449.05 No person shall be examined by the board unless all of the following are satisfied: (1m) The person presents proof satisfactory to the examining board that, subject to ss. 111.321, 111.322, and 111.335, he or she does not have an arrest or conviction record. (2m) The person has graduated from an accredited college of optometry approved and recognized by the examining board. Opt 3.02 Applications for examination (1) Prior to taking the examination for licensure as an optometrist, an applicant shall file with the board a completed application on a form provided by the board. The application shall include: (a) The fee authorized in s.440.05(1), Stats. (b) Verification of the applicant's successful completion of parts I, II, III of the National Board Examination submitted directly to the board by the National Board of Examiners in Optometry. (c) A certified transcript of the coursework completed by the applicant submitted directly to the board by an accredited college of optometry approved and recognized by the board.</p> <p>Unclear processes</p>

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Perfusionist	No- order of requirements not specified	448.05 (3), Med 22.03, Med 22.04	Nat'l- DSPS does not determine eligibility for national examination. State- Applicant can submit general information prior to degree completion. Once received, DSPS sends information about the open book exam, and the applicant can take the next available open book exam.
Pharmacist ✓	Yes	450.04(3), Phar 2.01	Nat'l- YES Degree and internship hours must be completed prior to taking exam. State- no state examination.
Physical Therapy	No- order of requirements not specified	448.53 (1), 448.54, PT 2	Nat'l- Applicants can take test prior to graduation. State- applicants can take prior to graduation.
Physical Therapy Assistant	No- order of requirements not specified	448.535 (1), 448.54, PT 2	Nat'l- Applicants can take test prior to graduation. State- applicants can take prior to graduation.
Physician	No- order of requirements not specified	Med 1.02, Med. 1.06	Nat'l- Applicants can take test prior to graduation. State- applicants can take prior to graduation.

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Physician Assistant	Yes	448.05 (a), Med 8.05 (1)	<p>448.05 (5) (a) [...] The board may not grant a license as a physician assistant to an applicant unless the applicant submits evidence satisfactory to the board of all of the following: (1) That the applicant has passed the certifying examination administered by the National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants. 2. That the applicant has satisfactorily completed a physician assistant training program that is accredited by the American Medical Association's Committee on Allied Health Education and Accreditation or its successor. Med 8.05 (1) An applicant for examination for licensure as a physician assistant shall submit to the board: [...] (b) After July 1, 1993, proof of successful completion of an educational program, as defined in ss. Med 8.02(0) and 9.04. (c) Proof of successful completion of the national certifying examination. (cm) Proof that the applicant is currently certified by the national commission on certification of physician assistants or its successor agency.</p>	Unclear processes	Separate exam contract for NCCPA exam not found.
Podiatrist	No - order of requirements not specified	448.63 (1), Pod 1.03, Pod 1.06	<p>448.63 (1) The affiliated credentialing board shall grant a license as a podiatrist to a person who does all of the following: (a) Submits an application [...]. (b) Pays the fee [...]. (c) Subject to [...], submits evidence [...] that the applicant does not have an arrest or conviction record. (d) Submits evidence satisfactory to the affiliated credentialing board of all of the following: 1. That the applicant is a graduate of a school of podiatric medicine and surgery [...]. 2. That the applicant has completed 2 years of postgraduate training [...]. (e) Passes an examination under s. 448.64.</p>	Nat'l- DSPS does not determine eligibility for national examination. State- Applicant can submit general information prior to degree completion. Once received, DSPS sends information about the open book exam, and the applicant can take the next available open book exam.	
Prevention Specialist	No - order of requirements not specified	SPS 161.06 (2)	<p>SPS 161.06 (2) An applicant for certification as a prevention specialist shall submit evidence satisfactory to the department of all of the following: (a) That the applicant has a high school diploma, an HSED, or GED. (b) Successful passage of an ethics, boundaries, and jurisprudence examination developed or approved by the department. (c) Completion of 240 hours of approved education and training covering the prevention domain. (e) Successful passage of the International Certification Reciprocity Consortium written prevention specialist examination. (f) Verification of a 130 hour practicum in the prevention domain areas with no less than 10 hours in any prevention domain.</p>	Nat'l- DSPS determines eligibility. The applicant must complete 240 hours of prevention education and training. (Since this requirement is not written in statute or code, is it possible that this requirement is determined by the International Certification Reciprocity Consortium?) State- No education requirements.	We don't have a contract with IC&RC.
Prevention Specialist- In-Training	N/A	SPS 161.96 (1)	No examinations required.	No examinations required.	

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Private Detective	N/A	440.26 (2), (c), SPS 31.02 (2)	SPS 31.02 (2) An applicant for licensure as a private detective may be granted a license under s. 440.26, Stats., if the applicant: (a) Subject to [...] does not have an arrest or conviction record involving a misdemeanor or a violation [...]; (am) Has not been convicted in this state or elsewhere of a felony, unless pardoned. (b) Is not a user of drugs or alcohol to an extent dangerous to the applicant or others or to an extent which would impair the applicant's ability to perform private detective or private security activities responsibly. (c) Has passed the examination administered by the department as set forth in s. SPS 31.04. (d) Does not have physical, emotional, or mental condition that might adversely affect the applicant's ability to responsibly perform private detective or private security activities.		Education not required for examination.	
Private Practice School Psychologist	N/A		Degree completion prior to licensure is not an issue for this profession because the applicant must first be licensed as a school psychologist (and can practice as a school psychologist) by the Department of Public Instruction. After receiving licensure as a school psychologist, the applicant can apply for a private practice school psychologist license.		Nat'l- Dept. is mostly "hands-off" with regards to the national exam. We receive scores on a scheduled basis. State-YES Applicant must complete all other licensure requirements prior to taking state exam including degree completion	
Professional Counselor	No	457.12, MPSW 11.02	MPSW 11.02 An applicant for licensure as a professional counselor must take and pass the Wisconsin statutes and rules examination, and one of the following: The National Counselor Examination, the National Counselor Mental Health Certification Examination, the Certified Rehabilitation Counselor examination, or another examination approved by the section. Both parts of the examination may be taken prior to the completion of the required period of supervised practice.		Nat'l- The department does not determine the eligibility requirements for the national examination and only receives the scores on a scheduled basis. State- No degree completion required.	
Psychology	No- statute does not specify the order of requirements. Official transcripts may be provided at any point during graduate training.	455.04, 455.045, Psy 2.02 (2) & (3)	455.04 The department shall issue a psychologist license to an individual who [...] is found by the examining board to meet the following requirements: (a) Be at least 18 years of age. (b) Subject to [...] not have an arrest or conviction record. (c) Hold a doctoral degree in psychology [...]. (d) Have at least one year of appropriate experience in psychological work [...]. (e) Pass the examination under 455.045 (1)(a) [...]. (f) Pass the examination under 455.045 (1)(b). Psy 2.02 (2) No applicant may be admitted to the examination on the professional practice of psychology unless the requirements stated in s. Psy 2.01(1) to (3) have been met. [Psy 2.01 (3) requires submission of official transcripts of graduate training, properly attested to by the degree granting institution and submitted by the institution directly to the board.] Psy 2.02 (3) No applicant may be admitted to the examination on the elements of practice essential to the public health, safety or welfare unless the requirements state in s. Psy 2.01 (1) to (7) and (9) to (12) have been met at least 30 days prior to the board meeting preceding the date of examination [which requires completion of the exam in 2.02 and, again, submission of official transcripts].		Nat'l exam- YES we determine eligibility for nat'l examination which includes doctorate degree completion. State-YES Applicant must complete all other licensure requirements prior to taking state exam including degree completion	New contract with ASPPB in progress. DSPS recently made changes to the contract and suggestions have been forwarded to ASPPB for their review and approval.

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Radioographer	No-order of requirements not specified	462.03 (2), RAD 2.02, RAD 2.03	462.03 (2) Subject to sub. (1), the board shall grant a license to practice radiography to a person who passes an examination administered by the board and submits evidence satisfactory to the board that the person has completed a course of study in radiography that has been approved by the board or an equivalent course of study, as determined by the board. RAD 2.03 (1) The board-approved examination required for license under this chapter shall be the ARRT examination for radiologic technologists, or an examination by a successor organization approved by the board. (2) Active certification as a radiologic technologist from the ARRT shall be accepted as proof of passage of the examination requirement.	Nat'l- DSPS does not determine eligibility. State- no examination.	No- contract states that it is the responsibility of the State to provide the ARRT with a list of state-approved candidates. The contract does not specify what requirements the department uses to approve candidates.
Limited X-Ray Machine Operator	No-order of requirements not specified	462.03 (3), RAD 3.02, RAD 3.03	462.03 (3) Subject to sub. (1), the board shall grant a limited X-ray machine permit to perform radiography to a person who passes an examination administered by the board and submits evidence satisfactory to the board that the person has completed an appropriate course of study, as determined by the board. RAD 3.03 The board-approved examination required for a permit under this chapter shall be the Wisconsin examination for limited scope of practice in radiography developed by the ARRT, or an examination from a successor organization approved by the board.	Nat'l- DSPS determines eligibility for the national examination. The applicant must take a LXM board approved course prior to examination. State- no examination required.	No- besides pg. 1 of the contract which states that the dept screens applicants and sends the list to Pearson Vue, there is no other contractual language that specifies what the dept must review.
Real Estate Appraiser-Licensed	Yes	458.08, 458.10, SPS 81.02, SPS 82.01	SPS 81.02 [...] The application [for certification or licensure] shall include (3) Evidence of successful completion of the educational coursework required in ch. SPS 84 for licensure or certification. (5) Evidence of successful completion of the national and state examinations as specified in 82.01. (7) Roster of appraisal experience as required in s. SPS 83.01 (4) (b). SPS 82.01 (6) The only prerequisite to take the state and national examinations required under sub. (1) is submission of an application for licensure under s. SPS 81.02 and successful completion of the education class hours required under SPS 84.02, 84.03, or 84.04, as appropriate.	Nat'l- DSPS determines eligibility and requires that applicants complete their education requirements prior to examination. State- Technically must complete education requirements prior to examination, but DSPS will give flexibility if the applicant is simply waiting for the processing of their proof of education.	

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Real Estate Appraiser-Certified	Yes	458.08, 458.10, SPS 81.02, SPS 82.01	SPS 81.02 [...] The application [for certification or licensure] shall include (3) Evidence of successful completion of the educational coursework required in ch. SPS 84 for licensure or certification. (5) Evidence of successful completion of the national and state examinations as specified in 82.01. (7) Roster of appraisal experience as required in s. SPS 83.01 (4) (b). SPS 82.01 (6) The only prerequisite to take the state and national examinations required under sub. (1) is submission of an application for licensure under s. SPS 81.02 and successful completion of the education class hours required under SPS 84.02, 84.03, or 84.04, as appropriate.	Nat'l- DSPS determines eligibility and requires that applicants complete their education requirements prior to examination. State- Technically must complete education requirements prior to examination, but DSPS will give flexibility if the applicant is simply waiting for the processing of their proof of education.	No- besides pg. 1 of the contract which states that the dept screens applicants and sends the list to Pearson Vue, there is no other contractual language that specifies what the dept must review.
Real Estate Appraiser-Certified Residential Appraiser	Yes	458.08, 458.10, SPS 81.02, SPS 82.01	SPS 81.02 [...] The application [for certification or licensure] shall include (3) Evidence of successful completion of the educational coursework required in ch. SPS 84 for licensure or certification. (5) Evidence of successful completion of the national and state examinations as specified in 82.01. (7) Roster of appraisal experience as required in s. SPS 83.01 (4) (b). SPS 82.01 (6) The only prerequisite to take the state and national examinations required under sub. (1) is submission of an application for licensure under s. SPS 81.02 and successful completion of the education class hours required under SPS 84.02, 84.03, or 84.04, as appropriate.	Nat'l- DSPS determines eligibility and requires that applicants complete their education requirements prior to examination. State- Technically must complete education requirements prior to examination, but DSPS will give flexibility if the applicant is simply waiting for the processing of their proof of education.	No- besides pg. 1 of the contract which states that the dept screens applicants and sends the list to Pearson Vue, there is no other contractual language that specifies what the dept must review.
Real Estate Broker	Yes	452.09 (2) (g), REEB 12.015 (1)	452.09 (2) (e) An applicant is not eligible for examination unless the applicant has satisfied the applicable requirements under sub. (2) [which includes the educational requirements for applicants for real estate broker and salesperson licenses]. REEB 12.015 (1) Each applicant for an original real estate broker's license or an original real estate salesperson's license shall submit evidence that the educational requirements in ch. REEB 25 were completed before taking the licensing examination.	Unclear processes	
Real Estate Salesperson	Yes	452.09 (2) (e), REEB 12.015 (1)	452.09 (2) (e) An applicant is not eligible for examination unless the applicant has satisfied the applicable requirements under sub. (2) [which includes the educational requirements for applicants for real estate broker and salesperson licenses]. REEB 12.015 (1) Each applicant for an original real estate broker's license or an original real estate salesperson's license shall submit evidence that the educational requirements in ch. REEB 25 were completed before taking the licensing examination.	Unclear processes	
Time-Share Salesperson	N/A	452.025 (1)	No examination required.	No degree required to take exam	

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Respiratory Care Practitioner	No order of requirements not specified	448.05 (5r), Med 20.03	<p>448.05 (5r) An applicant for a certificate or temporary certificate to practice respiratory care shall submit evidence satisfactory to the board that the applicant is a graduate of a school with a course of instruction in respiratory care approved by the commission on accreditation of allied health education programs of the American Medical Association. Med 20.03 Every applicant for initial certification as a respiratory care practitioner shall submit: [...] (d) Written verification that the applicant has passed the national board for respiratory care certification examination required in s. Med 20.04(1). (e) Evidence of successful completion of the state board statutes and rules examination if required. (f) One of the following: Satisfactory evidence that the applicant is a graduate of a school with a course of instruction in respiratory care approved by the commission on accreditation of allied health education programs of the American Medical Association.</p> <p>Nat'l- DSPS does not determine eligibility for national examination. State- Applicant can submit general information prior to degree completion. Once received, DSPS sends information about the open book exam, and the applicant can take the next available open book exam.</p>
Registered Sanitarian	Yes	440.98 (6), SPS 175.02 (1), SPS 176.01	<p>440.98 (6) An application for a sanitarian registration under this section shall be made on a form provided by the department and filed with the department and shall be accompanied by the initial credential fee determined by the department under s. 440.03 (9) (a). The renewal date for a sanitarian registration is specified under s. 440.08 (2) (a), and the renewal fee for such registration is determined by the department under s. 440.03 (9) (a). SPS 175.02 (1) The department shall issue an approval for examination to an individual who meets the educational and qualifying work experience requirements under this chapter and whose application has been approved by the department. (2) An applicant for examination shall submit evidence, including verified college or university transcripts, and completion of one of the following combinations of education and experience: [...]. PS 176.01 (1) Each applicant for registration shall be required to pass a nationally recognized professional examination or other professional examination approved by the department. (2) Notice of eligibility to take the examination shall be provided to each applicant with a completed and approved application file. The notice of eligibility shall be presented by the applicant to gain attendance to the examination site. (3) [...].</p> <p>Nat'l- DSPS does determine eligibility for the national examination. The applicant needs some combination of education and experience in order to take the national exam. State- no state examination.</p> <p>The department is responsible for establishing the eligibility requirements for the NEHA examination. The agreement indicates that it shall remain in force from Jan. 1, 2007 until canceled in writing by either party with at least 60 days notice.</p>
Security Guard	N/A	440.26 (c), SPS 31.02 (3)	<p>SPS 31.02 (3)- An applicant for licensure as a private security person may be granted a license under s. 440.26, Stats., if the applicant: (a) Subject to [...] does not have an arrest or conviction record involving a misdemeanor or a violation [...]; (b) Has not been convicted in this state or elsewhere of a felony, unless pardoned. (c) Is not a user of drugs or alcohol to an extent dangerous to the applicant or others or to an extent which would impair the applicant's ability to perform private security activities. (d) Does not have physical, emotional, or mental condition that might adversely affect the applicant's ability to responsibly perform private security activities.</p> <p>No education or examination requirements.</p>

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Sign Language Interpreter	No-order of requirements not specified	440.032 (3)	<p>440.032 (3) (a) 1. The department shall grant license as a sign language interpreter to an applicant who submits an application [...] pays the fee [...] and submits evidence satisfactory to the department that the applicant has received an associate degree in sign language interpretation or has received a certificate of completion of an education and training program regarding such interpretation, and the applicant has one of the following: a. Any valid certification granted by the Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf, Inc., or its successor. b. A valid certification level 3, 4, or 5 granted by the National Association of the Deaf or its successor. c. Any valid certification granted by any other organization that the department determines is substantially equivalent to a certification specified in subd. 1. a. or b. 2. The department shall grant a license as a sign language interpreter to an applicant who submits an application [...] and pays the fee [...] if the applicant has a certification specified in subd. 1. a. and if the applicant provides to the department satisfactory evidence of a diagnosis by a physician that the applicant is deaf or hard of hearing. 3. The department shall grant a license as a sign language interpreter to an applicant who has not received an associate degree in sign language interpretation or a certificate of completion of an education and training program regarding such interpretation, but who otherwise satisfies the requirements in subd. 1. (intro.), if, within 24 months after establishing residency in the state, the applicant provides evidence satisfactory to the department that the applicant holds one of the certifications specified in subd. 1. a., b., or c.; that the applicant obtained the certification prior to establishing residency in the state, and that the applicant held the certification at the time the applicant established residency in the state.</p>
Sign Language Interpreter Restricted	No-order of requirements not specified	440.032 (3) (b) 2.	<p>The department shall grant a restricted license as a sign language interpreter, authorizing the holder to provide interpretation services only under the supervision of an interpreter licensed under par. (a), to an applicant who submits an application [...] pays the fee [...] and submits evidence satisfactory to the department of all of the following: a. The applicant has been diagnosed by a physician as deaf or hard of hearing. b. The applicant has completed 8 hours of training sponsored by the Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf, Inc., or its successor, on the role and function of deaf interpreters. c. The applicant has completed 8 hours of training sponsored by the Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf, Inc., or its successor, on professional ethics. d. The applicant has obtained letters of recommendation from at least 3 individuals who have held national certification for at least 5 years and who are members in good standing of the Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf, Inc., or its successor, if the letters together document that the applicant has completed at least 40 hours of mentoring, including at least 20 hours observing professional work and at least 10 hours observing certified deaf interpreters. e. The applicant has completed at least 40 hours of training consisting of workshops sponsored by the Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf, Inc., or its successor, or other relevant courses. f. The applicant is an associate or student member of the Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf, Inc., or its successor. g. The applicant has a high school diploma or an equivalent.</p>

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Social Worker (Advanced Practice, Independent, Licensed, Clinical)	No	MPSW 5.01 (1) to (5)	MPSW 5.01 An applicant for certification as a social worker, advanced practice social worker, independent social worker, or clinical social worker, may take his or her examinations prior to the completion of the required degree or period of supervised practice.	Natl- Must have degree authorized with ASWB prior to examination. State- no education requirements for examination.	No- Contract allows the Dept. to approve eligible candidates for examination as set forth in the ASWB policies. ASWB policies do not establish education requirements for examination.
Soil Scientist	Yes, but maybe N/A	470.04 (4), GHSS 4.05	GHSS 4.05 (1) All applicants for initial licensure as a professional soil scientist shall pass examinations for the professional practice of soil science approved by the professional soil scientist section. Required examinations shall include a fundamentals examination and a principles and practice examination. (2) [...] To be eligible to take the fundamentals examination, an applicant shall have done <u>one</u> of the following: (a) Be of not less than second semester senior standing in a bachelor of science program in soil science [...]. (b) Have completed at least 24 semester hours or 36 quarter hours of course credits for the degree in soil science [...]. (c) Have at least 4 years of experience [...]. (3) The principles and practice examination requires the ability to apply soil science principles and judgment to problems in the practice of professional soil science. (a) To be eligible to take the principles and practice examination, an applicant under s. 470.04 (4) (a) shall have done the following: 1. Met the requirements under s. 470.04 (4) (a), Stats., [which requires no conviction record] 2. Met the requirements under s. 470.04 (4) (b), Stats., [which requires a bachelors degree in soil science] or have at least 4 years of professional experience in soil science work of a character satisfactory to the professional soil scientist section [...]. (b) To be eligible to take the principles and practice examination, an applicant under s. 470.04 (4) (c) 2., Stats., shall have done the following: 1. Met the requirements under s. 470.04 (4) (b), Stats., [which requires a bachelors degree in soil science] or have at least 5 years of professional experience in addition to the qualifying experience under subd. 3. [...]. 3. Completed at least 6 years of professional experience in soil science work [...].	Yes-The state administers national examinations. The first may be taken after the completion of education requirements, the second may be taken after the completion of experience requirements.	

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Speech and Language Pathologists	Yes	459.26 (3), 459.24(2)(d)	Unclear processes	
Substance Abuse Counselor	No- order of requirements not specified	SPS 161.04 (2)	Nat'l- DSPS determines eligibility for national examination. The applicant must have 360 hours from an approved program. (Since this requirement is not written in statute or code, is it possible that this requirement is determined by the International Certification Reciprocity Consortium?) State- no examination required.	We don't have a contract with IC&RC.
Substance Abuse Counselor In-Training	No- order of requirements not specified	SPS 161.04 (1)	Nat'l- no examinations. State- no education requirements.	

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Clinical Substance Abuse Counselor	No order of requirements not specified	SPS 161.04 (3)	Nat'l- DSPS determines eligibility for national examination. The applicant must have 360 hours from an approved program and have a degree in a behavioral health sciences field. (Since this requirement is not written in statute or code, is it possible that this requirement is determined by the International Certification Reciprocity Consortium?) State- no examination required.
			We don't have a contract with IC&RC.
Veterinarian	Yes- with Flexibility	453.06 (1), VE 2.01 (2), VE 3.03(5)	Nat'l- DSPS determines eligibility for the national examination. The applicant must verify their degree prior to examination. State- no education requirements for examination.
			Yes- Contract requires department approval of candidates and also dictates certain educational levels needed for a candidate to achieve department approval.

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Veterinary Technician	Yes	453.06 (3), VE 8.03	<p>453.06 (3) A veterinary technician certification may be issued only to a person who is at least 18 years of age and has either: (a) Successfully completed a 4-semester course of study in animal technology or its equivalent, at a technical school or college approved by the examining board, and has passed an examination, administered by the examining board, which establishes that the applicant's knowledge of animals and their treatment is sufficient to qualify the applicant as a veterinary technician; or (b) Been an employee of a veterinarian for a total of 2 years and has passed an examination, administered by the examining board, which establishes that the applicant's knowledge of animals and their treatment is sufficient to qualify the applicant as a veterinary technician. The 2-year employment requirement of this paragraph shall include at least 50% of the applicant's time spent in practical field experience and the remainder of the applicant's time spent in laboratory work, office procedure, and technical veterinary training with a veterinarian. VE 8.03 An applicant for a veterinary technician certificate shall file a completed application with the board at least 30 days prior to the date of the scheduled examination. [...] An application is not complete unless the board receives all of the following: [...] (c) A certificate of completion of the 4 semester program in veterinary technology at a board approved technical school or college [...].</p> <p>Nat'l- DSPS determines eligibility for national examination. The applicant must verify either work experience or degree completion. State- no education requirements for examination.</p> <p>No- Contract has no specifics on candidate eligibility requirements.</p>