

Chapter Phar 3

PHARMACIST LICENSURE BY RECIPROCITY

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Note: Chapter Phar 3 as it existed on January 31, 1983 was repealed and a new chapter Phar 3 was created effective February 1, 1983.

Phar 3.01 Qualifications. A pharmacist holding a license to practice pharmacy in another state may become licensed in Wisconsin if the applicant:

(1) Has been graduated from a school or college of pharmacy approved by the board, or has taken and passed the foreign pharmacy graduate equivalency examination given by the foreign pharmacy graduate examination commission.

(2) Has passed the required examinations administered by the board.

History: Cr. Register, January, 1983, No. 325, eff. 2-1-83; am. (1), Register, January, 1996, No. 481, eff. 2-1-96.

Phar 3.02 Application procedure. (1) Each applicant shall file with the board, no later than 30 days prior to the examinations, the following:

- (a) Completed application form.
- (b) The fee specified under s. 440.05 (2), Stats.

(2) Verification of license shall be forwarded from the original state of licensure by examination.

(3) Credentials received in a name other than that on the original application shall be supported by a change of name affidavit satisfactory to the board.

History: Cr. Register, January, 1983, No. 325, eff. 2-1-83; am. (1) (b), Register, August, 1991, No. 428, eff. 9-1-91.

Phar 3.03 Ineligibility of licensees from foreign countries. Any applicant who is licensed in a foreign country, but who is not licensed in any state of the United States, shall not be eligible for licensure under this chapter.

History: Cr. Register, January, 1983, No. 325, eff. 2-1-83.

Phar 3.04 Examinations. (1) **ACTIVE PRACTICE.** An applicant licensed as a pharmacist in another state who is engaged in the active practice of pharmacy, shall take the state law examination described in s. Phar 4.02 (2), and the patient consultation portion of the laboratory practical examination described in s. Phar 4.02 (4). The applicant shall submit, on forms furnished by the board, information describing his or her practice experience preceding the filing of the application. The board shall review requests for reciprocity.

(2) **DEFINITION.** In this section, "active practice of pharmacy" means having engaged in at least 2,000 hours of the practice of pharmacy within the 12 months preceding application for licensure in Wisconsin or at least 2,000 hours of the practice of pharmacy comprised of no less than 500 hours in each of 3 of the 4, 12-month periods preceding application for licensure in Wisconsin.

(3) **EQUIVALENCY EXAMINATION.** Any applicant who has not engaged in the active practice of pharmacy shall take and pass each of the following examinations by a minimum score of 75.0:

- (a) State practice of pharmacy;
- (b) Laboratory practice; and,
- (c) State law examination.

(4) **COVERAGE AND CONDUCT.** The coverage and conduct of examinations administered by the board are specified in ch. Phar 4.

History: Cr. Register, January, 1983, No. 325, eff. 2-1-83; emerg. r. and recr. (2), eff. 5-21-85; r. and recr. (2), Register, November, 1985, No. 359, eff. 12-1-85; am. (1) (intro.), renum. (1) (a), (2) and (3) to be (2) to (4) and am. (3) (c), Register, August, 1991, No. 428, eff. 9-1-91; am. (1), Register, January, 1996, No. 481, eff. 2-1-96.