



# Credential Verification Service for New York State Authorization for Verification of Academic Records/Transcripts



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My name when I attended your school, English spelling \_\_\_\_\_

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My current name (if different than above), English spelling \_\_\_\_\_

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Licensing authority's name \_\_\_\_\_

Licensing authority's address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

My current name, English spelling \_\_\_\_\_

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## 14 Terms and Conditions of the CGFNS Credential Verification Service for New York State

This section clarifies CGFNS's obligations and your obligations regarding the Credential Verification Service for New York State. It also explains how this service is delivered.

- CGFNS may choose to review only the documents it considers relevant to this application.
- Verification will not be performed until CGFNS receives a completed, signed and notarized\* application, full payment and appropriate authorization forms.
- Fees are subject to change and are found at <http://www.cgfns.org/sections/apply/fees.shtml#4>
- Any payment sent to CGFNS will be applied first to any unpaid balance from previous orders for products or services before it is applied as payment for a newer order.
- The response time for Canadian applicants is limited to 90 days. For all other countries it is limited to 180 days. When the response time has elapsed a final review is performed and a report is prepared and sent to the New York State Education Department.
- If you would like to be verified for New York State for another occupation, you will have to complete an entirely new application.
- No refund is given after an application is submitted.
- Documents that CGFNS receives for its other services cannot be used for the Credential Verification Service for New York State.
- **If your application has been forged, altered or falsified, that information will be provided in the report to the New York State Education Department.**

\* Authenticated, legalized or notarized by the country's approved channels for authentication

## 15 Attestation

**Please note:** Each applicant must sign his/her full name in English on the applicant's signature line.

I certify that all information which CGFNS has received as part of this application or in the past, from me or from a third party on my behalf, is true and complete. I also certify that all documents which have been submitted to CGFNS for any purpose have not been falsified, altered or tampered with by any person.

I understand that CGFNS and others will rely on this application and on the documents and information submitted, and that if any of it is falsified, altered or tampered with, or if I misrepresent a copy as an original, CGFNS may take action against me as it deems appropriate, including barring me from participation in any CGFNS programs or to otherwise take action against me as appropriate. The consequences could adversely affect my professional license, immigration status, employment and other matters, from which I release CGFNS from all liability.

I authorize CGFNS to disclose the information and documents in this application, the status of any reports or evaluations prepared by CGFNS, any other information obtained by CGFNS and the results and reasons for any adverse action taken against me by CGFNS, to any person or organization I designate in writing or to any other recipient which CGFNS may determine has a legitimate interest in receiving the same, such as government agencies or potential employers.

**You must sign and date this application in order for it to be processed.**

Your signature	CGFNS ID number
_____	_____
Sign entire name	
Print your name	Date
_____	_____
	Month / Day / Year
Notary (authenticating official) signature	
_____	
Sign entire name	
Print name of notary	Date
_____	_____
	Month / Day / Year

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**22 CHILD ABUSE IDENTIFICATION AND REPORTING COURSEWORK REQUIREMENT – RN Applicants Only (check one):**

- I graduated from a NYS registered nursing program after September 1, 1990 and completed the coursework during my studies.
- I completed the child abuse coursework and have enclosed a certificate of completion from an approved provider.
- I completed the child abuse coursework online and the approved provider will report that to you electronically.
- I am filing for an exemption to the requirement and have enclosed the Certification of Exemption (Form 1CE\*).

\*Form 1CE is available on the Office of the Professions' Web site at [www.op.nysed.gov/documents/form1ce.pdf](http://www.op.nysed.gov/documents/form1ce.pdf).

**23 INFECTION CONTROL TRAINING REQUIREMENT (check one):**

- I graduated from a NYS registered nursing program after September 1, 1993 and completed the infection control training during my studies.
- I completed the infection control training and have enclosed a certificate of completion from an approved provider.
- I completed the infection control training online and the approved provider will report that to you electronically.
- I am filing for an exemption to the requirement and have enclosed an Attestation of Infection Control Training (Form 1IC\*).

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**24 EDUCATION PROGRAM REVIEW**

I give permission to the New York State Education Department to release my examination results to my professional school for the confidential purposes of program review and institution research and planning. I may rescind this authority at any time by notifying the Division of Professional Licensing Services in writing.

- Yes  No

Please initial: \_\_\_\_\_

**25 GENDER AND ETHNICITY: (This item is optional.)**

Information on gender and ethnicity is sought solely to allow the New York State Education Department to collect and analyze data concerning diversity in the licensed professions. The ethnic and gender data you provide will be used only for statistical, research, and program evaluation purposes. It will not be released to the public. This information has absolutely no bearing on your qualification for licensure.

GENDER:  Male  Female

ETHNICITY:  White (not Hispanic)  Black (not Hispanic)  Asian  Hispanic  Native American

**26 AFFIDAVIT WITH ACKNOWLEDGMENT (Notarization required.)**

**Applicant**

I declare and affirm that the statements made in this application, including accompanying documents, are true, complete and correct. I understand that any false or misleading information in, or in connection with, my application may be cause for denial or loss of licensure and may result in criminal prosecution.

*Applicant's signature* \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
Month Day Year

**Notary**

State of \_\_\_\_\_ County of \_\_\_\_\_

On the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ in the year \_\_\_\_\_ before me, the undersigned, personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to this application and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the application and swore that the statements made by him/her in the application and all supporting materials are true, complete, and correct.

Notary Public's signature \_\_\_\_\_

Notary ID number \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration date \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
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Notary Stamp

**Mail this form and appropriate fee to: New York State Education Department, Office of the Professions, PO Box 22063, Albany, NY 12201. DO NOT SEND CASH. Make check or money order payable to the New York State Education Department.**

## CERTIFICATION OF EXEMPTION

### IDENTIFICATION AND REPORTING CHILD ABUSE and MALTREATMENT TRAINING

Applicants for licensure and licensees applying for re-registration as **physicians, chiropractors, dentists, registered nurses, podiatrists, optometrists, psychologists, dental hygienists, licensed master social workers, licensed clinical social workers, creative arts therapists, marriage and family therapists, mental health counselors, and psychoanalysts** must complete two hours of Department approved coursework or training in the identification and reporting of child abuse and maltreatment. A limited exemption from this requirement is available if the nature of the applicant's/licensee's practice excludes contact with children. Any licensee who asks for an exemption must notify the Department in writing, within 30 days, when the nature of the practice changes and an exemption is no longer valid.

#### APPLICANT INSTRUCTIONS

1. If you are certain that you qualify for an exemption, complete items 1-6 by printing clearly in ink in the spaces provided. Be sure to sign and date Item 7
2. Send the completed form to the address shown above to the attention of the unit for your profession (for example: Attention Medicine Unit). See item 6 for listing.

**Properly completed forms will be accepted. You will only receive notice from the Department if a request is insufficient to grant an exemption. Please retain a photocopy of this Certification of Exemption.**

**1 Social Security Number**  
 (Leave this blank if you do not have a U.S. Social Security Number)

**5 N.Y.S. License Number**  
 (If applicable)

**2 Birth Date** Month   Day   Year

**3 Print Your Name Exactly As It Appears On Your Licensure Application Or Registration**

Last

First

Middle

**6 Profession (check one)**

- Medicine
- Chiropractic
- Dentistry
- Dental Hygiene
- Registered Nurse
- Podiatry
- Optometry
- Psychology
- Licensed Master Social Worker
- Licensed Clinical Social Worker
- Creative Arts Therapist
- Marriage and Family Therapist
- Mental Health Counselor
- Psychoanalyst

**4 Mailing Address** (You must notify the Department promptly of any address or name changes.)

Line 1

Line 2

Line 3

City

State  Zip Code

Country/Province

**7 ATTESTATION**

**59.12 (b)** The department may exempt an applicant or licensee from the coursework or training requirement of subdivision (a) of this section upon receipt of a written application for such exemption establishing that there would be no need to complete the coursework or training because the nature of the applicant's/licensee's practice excludes contact with children. It is the professional responsibility of the licensee who holds an exemption to notify the department in writing, within 30 days, when the nature of the practice changes to the extent that the basis for exemption ceases to exist.

*I, the undersigned, have read regulation 59.12(b) above and the explanation on this form. I understand the terms and conditions contained therein, and hereby declare that the nature of my practice is such that I do not treat or otherwise have professional contact either with children under the age of 18 years or persons 18 years of age and older with a handicapping condition who reside in a residential care school or facility. Therefore, I claim an exemption from the required training in child abuse and maltreatment identification and reporting pursuant to Section 59.12, Regulations of the Commissioner.*

*I also understand that should the nature of my practice change to the extent that the basis for the exemption ceases to exist, I am obligated to notify the department in writing and complete the required training within 30 days.*

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Date



**ATTESTATION OF INFECTION CONTROL TRAINING**

**INSTRUCTIONS**

Complete Items 1-8 and return this form to the address printed above. Keep a photocopy of this completed and signed form with other pertinent documentation (i.e. copy of any course completion certificate) in your personal files.

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**7 INFECTION CONTROL TRAINING**  
 Complete either section 1 or section 2 below:

**Section 1. COMPLIANCE BY COMPLETION OF APPROVED COURSE WORK.**

Within the four years prior to the date of this attestation I completed approved infection control course work appropriate to my professional practice given by:

\_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_  
 Provider name mo. day yr.

**Section 2. EXEMPTION BASED ON LOCATION, NATURE OF PRACTICE, OR EQUIVALENT COURSE WORK.** (check one)

(a) I will not be engaged in the practice of my profession within New York State during the period indicated on my registration application.

**OR**

(b) The nature of my practice does not require the use of infection control techniques or barrier precautions.

I understand that, if I return to my professional practice in New York State or change the nature of my practice thus requiring the use of infection control techniques, I will inform the Education Department in writing within 30 days and, within 90 days of the change in practice, both obtain the required course work and notify the Department of my compliance with this requirement.

**OR**

(c) **I am exempt** from the infection control course work requirement for the duration of my next registration period **because**, within the four years prior to the date of this attestation, **I completed infection control course work appropriate to my professional practice that covered all six core elements cited in the instructions.** I will maintain, for the next four years, documentation of the infection control course content, including syllabi and curricular materials, and, if training was taken outside a professional program, a certification of course work completion that is dated and signed by the provider. I completed this course work given by:

\_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_  
 Provider name mo. day yr.

**8** I swear that this attestation is true and I understand that any false statement may be considered fraud or perjury and a form of professional misconduct which will result in disciplinary action against my professional license by the New York State Education Department.

\_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_  
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<p><b>3</b> PRINT FULL NAME EXACTLY AS IT APPEARS ON YOUR APPLICATION</p> <p>Last <input style="width: 100%; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/></p> <p>First <input style="width: 100%; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/></p> <p>Middle <input style="width: 100%; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/></p>	<p><b>4</b> LICENSE NUMBER <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/> <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/> <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/> <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/> <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/> <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/> <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/> <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/></p>
<p><b>5</b> ADDRESS</p> <p>Apt./Bldg. <input style="width: 100%; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/></p> <p>Street <input style="width: 100%; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/></p> <p>City <input style="width: 100%; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/></p> <p>State <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/> Zip Code <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/> <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/> <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/></p> <p>Province/Country If not U.S. <input style="width: 100%; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/></p>	<p><b>6</b> CHECK YOUR PROFESSION</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> DENTISTRY</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> DENTAL HYGENE</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> LIC. PRACT. NURSING</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> REG. PROF. NURSING</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> NURSE PRACTITIONER</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> OPTOMETRY</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> PODIATRY</p>

**7 INFECTION CONTROL TRAINING**  
 Complete either section 1 or section 2 below:

**Section 1. COMPLIANCE BY COMPLETION OF APPROVED COURSE WORK.**

Within the four years prior to the date of this attestation I completed approved infection control course work appropriate to my professional practice given by:

\_\_\_\_\_ *Provider name* \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
*mo. day yr.*

**Section 2. EXEMPTION BASED ON LOCATION, NATURE OF PRACTICE, OR EQUIVALENT COURSE WORK.** (check one)

(a) I will not be engaged in the practice of my profession within New York State during the period indicated on my registration application.

**OR**

(b) The nature of my practice does not require the use of infection control techniques or barrier precautions.

I understand that, if I return to my professional practice in New York State or change the nature of my practice thus requiring the use of infection control techniques, I will inform the Education Department in writing within 30 days and, within 90 days of the change in practice, both obtain the required course work and notify the Department of my compliance with this requirement.

**OR**

(c) **I am exempt** from the infection control course work requirement for the duration of my next registration period **because**, within the four years prior to the date of this attestation, **I completed infection control course work appropriate to my professional practice that covered all six core elements cited in the instructions.** I will maintain, for the next four years, documentation of the infection control course content, including syllabi and curricular materials, and, if training was taken outside a professional program, a certification of course work completion that is dated and signed by the provider. I completed this course work given by:

\_\_\_\_\_ *Provider name* \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
*mo. day yr.*

**8** I swear that this attestation is true and I understand that any false statement may be considered fraud or perjury and a form of professional misconduct which will result in disciplinary action against my professional license by the New York State Education Department.

\_\_\_\_\_ *Signature* \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
*mo. day yr.*