

## Chapter Phar 2

### APPLICATION FOR PHARMACIST LICENSE

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**Note:** Chapter Phar 2 as it existed on January 31, 1983, was repealed and a new chapter Phar 2 was created effective February 1, 1983.

**Phar 2.01 Qualifications for original licensure.** An applicant for original licensure as a pharmacist may be admitted to examination under ch. 450, Stats., 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 completed an internship program approved by the pharmacy internship board under s. 450.045, Stats.

**Note:** The Pharmacy Internship Board is located at 425 North Charter Street, Madison, Wisconsin 53706.

**History:** Cr. Register, January, 1983, No. 325, eff. 2-1-83; am. (2), Register, August, 1991, No. 428, eff. 9-1-91; am. (1), Register, January, 1996, No. 481, eff. 2-1-96; am. (intro.), Register, December, 1998, No. 516, eff. 1-1-99.

**Phar 2.02 Application procedure for original licensure.** (1) Each applicant for original licensure as a pharmacist shall submit a completed notarized application no later than 45 days prior to the examination date on forms provided by the board. The application shall include all of the following:

- (a) The signature of the applicant.
- (b) A statement from the dean of the school of pharmacy or the academic records office of the respective educational institution that the applicant has graduated from the pharmacy school.
- (c) A recent notarized photograph.
- (d) The fees required under s. 440.05 (1), Stats.

**Note:** Applications are available upon request to the board office located at 1400 East Washington Avenue, P. O. Box 8935, Madison, WI 53708.

(2) Any change of name made prior to admission to examination shall be supported by an affidavit satisfactory to the board.

**History:** Cr. Register, January, 1983, No. 325, eff. 2-1-83; am. (1) (intro.) and (d), Register, December, 1998, No. 516, eff. 1-1-99.

**Phar 2.03 Examinations for original licensure.** (1) An applicant for original licensure as a pharmacist is required to pass the examinations identified in s. Phar 4.02 (1), (4) and (5).

(2) The coverage and conduct of examinations administered by the board are specified in ch. Phar 4.

(4) An applicant for licensure as a pharmacist may not be admitted to the NAPLEX or the multi-state pharmacy jurisprudence examination prior to 60 days before completion of the applicant's internship. Except as provided in sub. (5), an applicant may not be admitted to the laboratory practical examination before the test date which immediately follows completion of the applicant's internship.

(5) An applicant may make a written request for early admittance to the laboratory practical examination if the applicant's internship completion date is within 15 days of the scheduled examination date. However, an applicant shall successfully complete an approved internship program and all other requirements before a license to practice may be issued.

**History:** Cr. Register, January, 1983, No. 325, eff. 2-1-83; am. (1) and (3), cr. (4) and (5), Register, August, 1991, No. 428, eff. 9-1-91; am. (1), (4) and (5) and r. (3), Register, December, 1998, No. 516, eff. 1-1-99.

**Phar 2.04 Qualifications for persons licensed in another state.** 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:** Renum. from Phar 3.01, Register, December, 1998, No. 516, eff. 1-1-99.

**Phar 2.05 Application procedure for persons licensed in another state.** (1) Each applicant licensed as a pharmacist in another state 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:** Renum. from Phar 3.02 and am. (1) (intro.), Register, December, 1998, No. 516, eff. 1-1-99.

**Phar 2.06 Examinations for persons licensed in another state.** (1) ACTIVE PRACTICE. An applicant licensed as a pharmacist in another state who is engaged in the active practice of pharmacy, shall take the multi-state pharmacy jurisprudence examination described in s. Phar 4.02 (1), 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:

- (a) State practice of pharmacy.
- (b) Laboratory practice.
- (c) Multi-state pharmacy jurisprudence.

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

**History:** Renum. from Phar 3.04 and am. (1) (3) (intro.), (a), (b), and (c), Register, December, 1998, No. 516, eff. 1-1-99.