Canadian Trained Route to Licensure

Licensing Policy

All applicants must meet the minimum certification and examination requirements applicable to their discipline of practice to be eligible for a Licence to Practice Medicine in Newfoundland and Labrador.

Scope

This policy applies to all applicants for a Licence to Practice Medicine who completed their postgraduate training program within Canada.

Policy

In addition to satisfying all other licensing requirements, an applicant who completed discipline appropriate postgraduate training in Canada may be eligible for a Licence to Practice Medicine if they meet the following certification and examination requirements:

Family Medicine Practice

a. Full Licence:
    i. College of Family Physicians of Canada Certification (CCFP), **or** Collège des Médecins du Québec (CMQ) certification; **and**
    ii. Licentiate of the Medical Council of Canada (LMCC) or acceptable alternative

b. Provisional Licence:
    i. CCFP or CMQ Certification; **or**
    ii. Medical Council of Canada Qualifying Examination (MCCQE) Part I or acceptable alternative

Specialty Practice

a. Full Licence:
    i. Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada (RCPSC) Certification; **and**
    ii. LMCC or acceptable alternative

b. Provisional Licence
    i. RCPSC Certification; **or**
    ii. RCPSC examination eligibility and MCCQE Part I or acceptable alternative

References

Medical Regulations, 2023 – Section 3(1)(b), 3(1)(d)(i)(A), 3(1)(d)(ii)(A) and 6(1)(b), 6(1)(d)(i)(A) and (C), 6(1)(d)(ii)(A)

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