

WILL MY DEGREE/CERTIFICATE PROGRAM QUALIFY ME TO WORK IN MY STATE OF RESIDENCE?



Northwest Florida State College offers a number of degree and certificate programs that prepare students to be eligible for professional licensure or certification that qualify them for their chosen career. If your future plans include achieving licensure or certification, you should know that requirements for professional employment vary by state.

The chart below provides some information about how the degree/certificate programs offered at NWFSC meet state/territory requirements across the nation. Even when graduates are eligible for a national certification exam, there are instances when individual states have requirements beyond those that Florida has mandated.

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- **“Yes”** - Northwest Florida State College has determined that the program’s curriculum meets educational requirements for professional licensure or certification for these states/US territories.
- **“No”** - Northwest Florida State College has determined that the program’s curriculum does not meet educational requirements for professional licensure or certification for these states/US territories.
- **“Unknown”** - Northwest Florida State College cannot determine if the program’s curriculum meets educational requirements for professional licensure or certification for these states/US territories.

	HEALTH SCIENCES					PUBLIC SAFETY					TEACHER EDUCATION	
	Dental Assisting	Medical Laboratory Technologist	Nursing (RN)	Physical Therapist Assistant	Radiography	Corrections	Law Enforcement	Firefighter	EMT	Paramedic	Early Childhood Education	Elementary Education
Alabama	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Alaska	Unknown	Yes	Unknown	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown
American Samoa	Unknown	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown
Arizona	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Arkansas	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
California	Unknown	Yes	Unknown	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Colorado	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Connecticut	Unknown	Yes	Unknown	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Delaware	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
District of Columbia	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown
Florida	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Georgia	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Guam	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown
Hawaii	Unknown	Yes	Unknown	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Idaho	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Yes
Illinois	Unknown	Yes	Unknown	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Indiana	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Iowa	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown

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Kansas	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Kentucky	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Louisiana	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Maine	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Maryland	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Massachusetts	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Michigan	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Minnesota	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Mississippi	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Missouri	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Montana	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Nebraska	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Nevada	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
New Hampshire	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
New Jersey	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
New Mexico	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
New York	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Yes
North Carolina	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
North Dakota	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Northern Mariana Islands	Unknown	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown
Ohio	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Oklahoma	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Oregon	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Pennsylvania	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Puerto Rico	Unknown	Yes	Unknown	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown
Rhode Island	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
South Carolina	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
South Dakota	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Tennessee	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Texas	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Utah	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Vermont	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Virgin Islands	Unknown	Yes	Unknown	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown
Virginia	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Washington	Unknown	Yes	No	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
West Virginia	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Wisconsin	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Wyoming	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes