**State Nursing Boards**

**National**

[National Council of State Boards of Nursing](https://www.ncsbn.org/14730.htm)

[NCLEX Exam](https://www.ncsbn.org/nclex-application-and-registration.htm)

Completion of East Central University’s [ACEN](https://www.acenursing.org/) accredited [Bachelor of Science in Nursing program](https://www.ecok.edu/academics/colleges-and-schools/college-health-and-sciences/school-nursing) meets the educational requirements to apply for the NCLEX Exam for Registered Nurses (RNs).

The U.S. Department of Education has implemented regulations (Regulation 34 CFR 668.43 (a) (5) (v)), which requires East Central University’s Bachelors Degree Nursing program to provide a list of all states/jurisdictions where:

1. the curriculum meets state educational requirements for professional licensure or certification
2. the curriculum does not meet state educational requirements for professional licensure or certification
3. a determination has not been made on whether the curriculum meets state educational requirements for professional licensure or certification

This information refers only to initial licensure by examination requirements, and does not apply to transferring Oklahoma RN licensure to another state. Please refer to the [National Council of State Boards of Nursing](https://www.ncsbn.org/14730.htm) (NCBSN) website for additional state licensure requirements. Students should contact the Board of Nursing in the state they wish to be initially licensed in for questions and additional information.

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| **STATE** | **STATUS** |
| Alabama | Meets |
| Alaska | Meets |
| Arizona | Meets |
| Arkansas | Meets |
| California | California BON reviews transcripts at the time of application for licensure to determine eligibility; therefore, ECU SoN is undetermined |
| Colorado | Meets |
| Connecticut | Meets |
| Delaware | Meets |
| District of Columbia | Undetermined |
| Florida | Meets |
| Georgia | Meets |
| Hawaii | Meets |
| Idaho | Meets |
| Illinois | Undetermined |
| Indiana | Meets |
| Iowa | Meets |
| Kansas | Meets |
| Kentucky | Meets |
| Louisiana | Louisiana BON reviews transcripts at the time of application for licensure to determine eligibility; therefore, ECU SoN is undetermined |
| Maine | Meets |
| Maryland | Meets |
| Massachusetts | Meets |
| Michigan | Meets w/ additional requirement - As of January 6, 2022 completion of training to identify victims of human trafficking is required for initial licensure |
| Minnesota | Meets |
| Mississippi | Undetermined |
| Missouri | Meets |
| Montana | Meets |
| Nebraska | Meets |
| Nevada | Meets |
| New Hampshire | Meets |
| New Jersey | Meets |
| New Mexico | Meets |
| New York | Meets w/ additional requirements – Must complete (1) New York Child Abuse Reporting & (2) Infection Control Coursework or qualify for exemptions |
| North Carolina | Meets |
| North Dakota | Meets |
| Ohio | Meets |
| Oklahoma | Meets |
| Oregon | Undetermined |
| Pennsylvania | Meets |
| Rhode Island | Meets |
| South Carolina | Meets |
| South Dakota | Meets |
| Tennessee | Meets |
| Texas | Meets |
| Utah | Meets |
| Vermont | Meets |
| Virgin Islands | VI BON reviews transcripts at the time of application for licensure to determine eligibility therefore, ECU SoN is undetermined |
| Virginia | Undetermined |
| Washington | Undetermined |
| West Virginia | Meets |
| Wisconsin | Meets |
| Wyoming | Undetermined |