

JURISDICTIONS THAT HAVE PASSED THE 150-HOUR EDUCATION REQUIREMENT

State	Enacted	Effective
Alabama	1989	1/1/95
Alaska	1991	1/1/2001
Arizona	1999	6/30/2004
Arkansas	1990	1/1/98
Connecticut	1992	1/1/2000
District of Columbia	1995	1/2/2000
Delaware		
Florida	1979	8/1/83
Georgia	1991	1/1/98
Guam	1994	6/1/2000
Hawaii	1997	12/31/2000
Idaho	1993	7/1/2000
Illinois	1991	1/1/2001
Indiana	1992	1/1/2000
Iowa	1992	1/1/2001
Kansas	1990	6/30/97
Kentucky	1990	1/1/2000
Louisiana	1990	12/31/96
Maine	1997	10/2/2002
Maryland	1993	7/1/99
Massachusetts	1998	7/1/2002
Michigan	1998	7/1/2003
Minnesota	2000	7/1/2006
Mississippi	1990	2/1/95
Missouri	1993	6/30/99
Montana	1989	7/1/97
Nebraska	1991	1/1/98
Nevada	1993	1/1/2001
New Jersey	1995	7/2/2000

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New Mexico	1999	7/1/2004
New York	1998	8/1/2009
North Carolina	1997	1/1/2001
North Dakota	1993	1/1/2000
Ohio	1992	1/1/2000
Oklahoma	1998	7/1/2003
Oregon	1997	1/1/2000
Pennsylvania*	2008	1/1/2012
Puerto Rico	1994	1/1/2000
Rhode Island	1992	7/1/99
South Carolina	1991	7/1/97
South Dakota	1992	1/1/98
Tennessee	1987	4/14/93
Texas	1989	8/31/97
Utah	1981	7/1/94
Virginia	1999	7/1/2006
Washington	1995	7/1/2000
West Virginia	1989	2/15/2000
Wisconsin	1996	1/1/2001
Wyoming	1993	1/1/2000
Currently in Effect		47
Effective at a Future Date		<u>2</u>
TOTAL		49

- *Currently six jurisdictions do NOT have the 150 hour requirement in place: California, Colorado, Delaware, New Hampshire, Vermont and the Virgin Islands.*
- *22 states allow candidates to sit at 120 hrs, but require 150 for certification. They are: AK, AZ, CT, FL, GA, HI, ID, IA, KY, MA, ME, MI, MN, MO, NC, ND, NJ, PA*, RI, SC, VA, WA*

• *Note: PA is still an optional 150 state, but legislation passed in 2008 will require 150 hours for licensure beginning in 2012.*