

# EMERITUS LICENSE

## Application Instructions To Practice Medicine

Emeritus licenses are available for physicians holding a current Wyoming license to practice medicine and who reside in Wyoming but do not engage in active clinical practice, or who are retired or who wish to provide clinical care without remuneration. The Board may grant an emeritus license to practice medicine to be used solely for the provision of medical services to low income, uninsured persons at nonprofit healthcare facilities in this state.

Those seeking an emeritus license but do not hold a current Wyoming license shall complete to the satisfaction of a majority of the Board members a personal interview consisting of inquiry and oral response to medical knowledge, personal and professional history and intentions for practicing medicine in this state as described in Chapter 1, Section 5 of the Rules and Regulations.

1. All applicants must have graduated from a school of medicine accredited by the Liaison Committee on Medical Education (LCME) or a school of osteopathy accredited by the American Osteopathic Association (AOA). Applicants who graduated from a school not accredited by the LCME or AOA may be eligible under separate criteria.
2. All applicants must have practiced for at least ten (10) years in the United States or Canada and produce certification from that jurisdiction's board of medical licensure that, upon retirement, the applicant's license was in good standing, and without any disciplinary encumbrances of any kind.
3. Certification documents are provided for the applicant's convenience. These documents, verifying medical education, postgraduate training and medical licensure, should be sent by the applicant to the jurisdiction in which he/she practiced. **The applicant must request that the above documents must be returned directly to the Wyoming Board of Medicine. Documents from the applicant will not be accepted.**
4. There is no application fee or annual renewal fee for an emeritus license.
5. Please email or call the Board staff should you have any questions, or if we may be of assistance.
6. FAXES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

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