



Professional Licensure or Certification Disclosure

Sufficient to Meet Licensure or Certification Requirements:

The Doctor of Nursing Practice, Nurse Anesthesia track, offered by Samford University, if successfully completed with successful completion of the National Certification Exam, has been identified as *sufficient to meet licensure and certification requirements* for Advanced Practice Nurse (Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist) in the states listed in the table below:

State	Licensure or Certification Contact Information
Alabama	https://www.abn.alabama.gov/licensing/advanced-practice/crna/crna-requirements/
Alaska	https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/cbpl/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardofNursing.aspx
Arizona	https://www.azbn.gov/licenses-and-certifications/advanced-practice-faqs
Arkansas	https://www.healthy.arkansas.gov/programs-services/topics/arsbn-adv.-practice
California	https://www.rn.ca.gov/applicants/ad-pract.shtml#na
Colorado	https://dpo.colorado.gov/Nursing/APNApplications
Connecticut	https://portal.ct.gov/dph/practitioner-licensing--investigations/aprn/aprn-licensure-requirements
Delaware	https://dpr.delaware.gov/boards/nursing/apnlicense/
District of Columbia	https://dchealth.dc.gov/node/323062
Florida	https://floridasnursing.gov/licensing/advanced-practice-registered-nurse/
Georgia	https://sos.ga.gov/how-to-guide/how-guide-aprn-crna
Guam	https://guamnursing.org/gbne/forms
Hawaii	https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/files/2024/03/Advanced-Practice-Registered-Nurses_03.24R.pdf
Idaho	https://dopl.idaho.gov/bon/bon-licensing/
Illinois	https://idfpr.illinois.gov/profs/nursing.html http://www.ilga.gov/commission/jcar/admincode/068/068013000D04000R.html
Indiana	https://www.in.gov/pla/professions/nursing-home/
Iowa	https://dial.iowa.gov/i-need/licenses/medical/nursing-professional-midwifery/nursing-practice/arnp-role-and-scope
Kansas	https://ksbn.kansas.gov/wp-content/uploads/2019/07/APRNInstructions.pdf
Kentucky	https://kbn.ky.gov/advanced-practice-registered-nurse/Pages/default.aspx
Louisiana	https://www.lsbns.state.la.us/wp-content/uploads/aprn/APRNEndorsementApplication.pdf
Maine	https://www.maine.gov/boardofnursing/licensing/index.html

	https://www.maine.gov/boardofnursing/docs/Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Initial Licensure Requirements.pdf
Maryland	https://mbon.maryland.gov/Pages/adv-prac-nurse-anesthetist-index.aspx
Massachusetts	https://www.mass.gov/how-to/apply-for-aprn-authorization
Michigan	https://www.michigan.gov/documents/lara/Nursing_517651_7.pdf
Minnesota	https://mn.gov/boards/nursing/advanced-practice/advanced-practice-registered-nurse-(aprn)-licensure-general-information/
Mississippi	https://www.msbn.ms.gov/licensure/advanced-practice-registered-nurse
Missouri	https://www.pr.mo.gov/nursing.asp
Montana	https://boards.bsd.dli.mt.gov/nursing/license-information/aprn
Nebraska	http://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Documents/APRNCRNAApp.pdf
Nevada	https://nevadanursingboard.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/11/CRNA-Instructions.pdf
New Hampshire	https://www.oplc.nh.gov/new-hampshire-board-nursing https://www.oplc.nh.gov/applications-aprn
New Jersey	https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/nur/Pages/Advanced-Practice-Nurses.aspx https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/nur/Pages/APN-Certification.aspx
New Mexico	https://www.bon.nm.gov/crna/
New York	https://nysana.memberclicks.net/assets/docs/Practicing%20in%20NYS%20FAQs.pdf https://regs.health.ny.gov/content/section-40513-anesthesia-services https://regs.health.ny.gov/content/section-7002-definitions
North Carolina	https://www.ncbon.com/licensure-listing-advanced-practice-registered-nurse-aprn-certified-registered-nurse-anesthetist
North Dakota	https://www.ndbon.org/ https://www.ndbon.org/NurseLicensure/APRN/Index.asp
Northern Mariana Is.	https://nmibon.info/licensure-documents/
Ohio	https://nursing.ohio.gov/ https://dam.assets.ohio.gov/image/upload/nursing.ohio.gov/uploads/2021/04/CRNA-Sample-APP.pdf
Oklahoma	https://oklahoma.gov/nursing/practice.html
Oregon	https://www.oregon.gov/osbn/Documents/FAQ_APRN.pdf https://secure.sos.state.or.us/oard/viewSingleRule.action?ruleVrsnRsn=279205
Pennsylvania	https://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/Documents/State%20Board%20of%20Nursing.pdf https://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/Nursing/Pages/default.aspx
Rhode Island	https://health.ri.gov/licenses/ https://health.ri.gov/applications/NurseAPRN.pdf
South Carolina	https://lir.sc.gov/nurse/aprn.aspx https://lir.sc.gov/nurse/Online/APRNLEAD.aspx
South Dakota	https://www.sdbon.org/CRNA/Apply/NewLicenseIndex.asp
Tennessee	https://www.tn.gov/health/health-program-areas/health-professional-boards/nursing-board/nursing-board/applications.html https://www.tn.gov/content/dam/tn/health/healthprofboards/nursing/applications/Nursing%20APRN%20App%20Instructions.pdf
Texas	http://www.bon.state.tx.us/ https://www.bon.texas.gov/applications_advanced_practice_registered_nurse.asp.html

Utah	https://dopl.utah.gov/nurse/index.html https://dopl.utah.gov/wp-content/uploads/2022/10/endorsement-to-utah-aprn-crna.pdf
Vermont	https://sos.vermont.gov/nursing/ https://sos.vermont.gov/nursing/apply-renew/
Virginia	https://www.dhp.virginia.gov/Boards/Nursing/PractitionerResources/AdvancedPracticeRegisteredNurse/
Washington	http://www.doh.wa.gov/LicensesPermitsandCertificates/NursingCommission.aspx https://nursing.wa.gov/licensing/apply-license/arnp-license
West Virginia	https://wvrnboard.wv.gov/Pages/default.aspx https://wvrnboard.wv.gov/licensing/Documents/RN%20and%20APRN%20licensure%20requirements%20WV%206-5-20.pdf
Wisconsin	https://dsps.wi.gov/pages/BoardsCouncils/Nursing/Default.aspx http://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/code/admin_code/n/8.pdf
Wyoming	https://wsbn.wyo.gov/ https://drive.google.com/open?id=1hUyYziVhCEfHELDEnlvYxWztDTcaVHo

Licensure and Certification After Graduation – Nurse Anesthesia

To receive initial Advanced Practice Nursing licensure in Alabama as a certified registered nurse anesthetist (CRNA), one must have an unencumbered license as a Registered Nurse (RN) in Alabama or a VALID multi-state license (MSL-RN) from a compact state, an earned Master’s or higher degree in nursing from an educational institution in a curriculum designed to prepare nurse anesthetists, and certification from the National Board of Certification and Recertification for Nurse Anesthetists (NBCRNA). The nurse anesthesia program offering the Doctor of Nursing Practice degree is accredited by the Council on Accreditation of Nurse Anesthesia Educational Programs (COA), a specialized accrediting body recognized by the Council on Higher Education Accreditation and the United States Department of Education. The Moffett & Sanders School of Nursing and the Doctor of Nursing Practice degree are accredited by the Commission of Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE).

As of May 20, 2024, Samford has investigated to confirm that the program meets the educational requirements leading to professional licensure in all states. If you intend to practice in any state other than Alabama, you should contact the appropriate licensing agency to independently verify whether Samford’s program satisfies the educational requirements for licensure in a particular state before beginning the program. It is important to note that state licensure requirements may change from time to time and that states may have conditions for licensure in addition to educational requirements. The following site contains links to state licensing boards in nursing <https://www.ncsbn.org/contact-bon.htm>. An additional resource is the American Association of Nurse Anesthesiology website: <https://www.aana.com/practice/practice-in-your-state/>.