



State of Louisiana

Louisiana State Board of Cosmetology
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Dear applicant,

The Louisiana State Board of Cosmetology accepts transfers from inside and outside of the United States. We would like the transfer to be as simple as possible, so we have outlined some important information as well as requirements that must be met before we can transfer your license.

Foreign reciprocity applicants must take the complete exam. (National, State, and Practical) Your education must be evaluated by an approved company. To have this done, you must choose from the approved list of evaluation companies and follow the procedure according to that company. You must have the evaluations sent directly to this office, attention: Kiwan Wade, and a copy sent to you, for your records. You must have both your high school education evaluated, as well as your license. The high school education will require a basic/general evaluation. The license will require a professional credential evaluation.

Some evaluations may suggest that the license, you've received is not equivalent to a license issued from the Louisiana State Board of Cosmetology. For example, we do not issue hair dresser licenses. Some evaluations may suggest that the training you've received is not equivalent to training from a Louisiana cosmetology school. An example would be if your evaluation states that equivalency is "training from an unaccredited school in the US". If this happens, your application to test will be required to go before the Board.

~~You must submit the testing applications, the fees, a copy of your social security card, a copy of your state issued identification, and the two evaluations, along with your original current license.~~

You will receive your national testing information by email, and your practical and state examination dates by mail. Study material for the national, and practical is included with this packet, and state examination information can be found by downloading the laws and rules from our website.

Good luck,

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Jeff Landry

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Foreign Reciprocity Checklist

_____ Original current license and an original professional evaluation of your license. Must be an approved organization. (List attached)

_____ Proof of completion of the 10th grade, or high school diploma, or GED and an original general evaluation of your high school education by an approved organization. (Same list as mentioned above)

_____ Copy of drivers liens or state issued card. (We will not accept passports or immigrant card / Visa)

_____ Copy of Social Security Card

_____ Proper fee \$85 for a LA (LA driver's license of LA State ID).
The national testing fees will be paid through the testing company at <https://www.iqttesting.com/>

_____ Foreign reciprocity practical and test and state application

_____ Foreign reciprocity national application

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UPDATED FOREIGN CREDENTIAL EVALUATION LIST 2019

Please choose from one of the following companies and follow their individual procedure for evaluation of your high school and/or license credentials.

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| 1. <u>Center for Applied Research, Evaluations, & Education, Inc</u> | http://www.iescaree.com/ |
| 2. <u>Educational Perspectives, nfp.</u> | https://www.edperspective.org/ |
| 3. <u>International Academic Credential Evaluators, Inc.</u> | http://www.iacei.net/ |
| 4. <u>International Education Research Foundation, Inc.</u> | http://www.ierf.org/ |
| 5. <u>Josef Silny & Associates, Inc. International Education Consultants</u> | http://www.jsilny.org/ |
| 6. <u>Transcript Research</u> | https://transcriptresearch.com/ |
| 7. <u>World Education Services, Inc.</u> | http://www.wes.org/ |
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| 8. <u>Academic Credentials Evaluation Institute, Inc</u> | https://www.acei-global.org/ |
| 9. <u>American Education Research Corporation</u> | http://www.aerc-eval.com/ |
| 10. <u>Globe Language Services, Inc.</u> | http://www.globelanguage.com/ |



APPLICATION FOR FOREIGN RECIPROCITY NATIONAL EXAM

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Please check one

- ☐ Cosmetology
☐ Manicurist
☐ Esthetician

****Select language****

- ☐ English
☐ Vietnamese
☐ Spanish

*****PLEASE PRINT*****

Full Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Birthdate: _____ Social Security #: _____

Applicant's Individual Email Address: _____

Applicant's Telephone Number: _____

Country where currently licensed _____

Name of the school attended _____

Please make sure the following is included along with this application:

- ☐ Recent COLOR photo of applicant (passport sized)

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

NO MONEY REQUIRED WITH THIS APPLICATION

****THE NATIONAL TESTING FEES WILL BE PAID THROUGH THE TESTING COMPANY AT WWW.IQTTesting.com****



Louisiana State Board of Cosmetology
FOREIGN RECIPROCITY APPLICATION FOR PRACTICAL AND STATE EXAM

INSTRUCTIONS/PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT LEGIBLY

1. INCLUDE APPROPRIATE FEE OF \$75.00 (LA ID OR DL) OR \$100.00. (OUT OF STATE ID OR DL) FEE INCLUDES INITIAL LICENSE FEE (RESIDENT OR NONRESIDENT), AND THE FEE FOR THE PRACTICAL AND STATE EXAMS
2. MAIL COMPLETED APPLICATION AND REQUIRED FEES TO: LOUISIANA STATE BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY, 11622 SUNBELT COURT, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA 70809.

APPLICANT PERSONAL DATA

I hereby submit the application for license

transfer by examination to practice: ☐ COSMETOLOGY ☐ MANICURIST ☐ ESTHETICAN

*****PLEASE PRINT*****

Full Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Social Security Number: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Gender: Male ☐ Female ☐ Telephone Number _____

Email Address: _____

Country where currently licensed _____

Name of the school attended _____

I UNDERSTAND THAT IF I FAIL TO SHOW FOR MY SCHEDULED EXAMINATION WITHOUT PROPER NOTIFICATION, A SEVEN DAY NOTICE OR 24 HOURS EMERGENCY NOTICE, I WILL BE REQUIRED UPON REAPPLICATION TO SUBMIT A \$25.00 ADMINISTRATIVE FEE.

Applicant

Date

If you have a disability and may require some accommodation in taking this examination, be sure to fill out the "Request for Accommodation" form along with the application. If accommodation is not requested in advance, we cannot guarantee the availability of accommodations on-site.