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Subject: Surrounding state comparison of occupational regulations administered by the State Medical Board

This memorandum compares the law governing occupations that are regulated by the State Medical Board of Ohio to the law governing those occupations in each of the surrounding states. It assesses whether an occupational license is required to engage in the profession and, if so, describes any (1) education and training requirements, (2) experience requirements, (3) exam requirements, (4) continuing education requirements, (5) initial licensure fees, (6) the duration of the license, and (7) renewal fees.

Physician license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes (R.C. 4731.41)	Yes (Ind. Code Ann. 25-22.5-8-1)	Yes (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.560)	Yes (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.17011)	Yes (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 422.10)	Yes (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3-13)
Education or training	Generally, hold a diploma from an accredited medical school and at least 12 months of graduate medical education (R.C. 4731.09) ¹	Generally, possess the degree of doctor of medicine or doctor of osteopathy from an approved medical school (Ind. Code Ann. 25-22.5-3-1)	Generally, has graduated from an approved medical or osteopathic school and completed a prescribed course of postgraduate training (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.571)	Possess a degree from an approved medical school and complete a minimum of 2 years of postgraduate clinical training (Mich. Admin. Code R. 338.2423)	Has received an academic degree in medicine and surgery from a medical college and at least 2 years of approved postgraduate medical training (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 422.28 and 422.29)	Has received a doctor of medicine degree from a medical school and completed at least 1 year of postgraduate clinical training (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3-10)
Experience	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

¹ Ohio law provides for an expedited physician's license by endorsement (R.C. 4731.299). This license is available to a physician who holds a current license to practice issued by another state. The licensure requirements are largely the same as the requirements described in this table.

Physician license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Exam	Yes (R.C. 4731.09)	Yes (Ind. Code Ann. 25-22.5-5-1)	Yes (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.571)	Yes (Mich. Admin. Code R. 338.2423)	Yes (63 P.S. 422.29)	Yes (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3-10)
Continuing education	50 hours every two years (R.C. 4731.282)	None	60 hours every three years (201 KAR 9:310)	150 hours every three years (Mich. Admin. Code R. 338.2441)	100 hours every two years (49 Pa. Code 16.19)	50 hours every two years (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3-12)
Initial licensure fee	\$305 (R.C. 4731.09)	\$250 (844 IAC 4-2-2)	\$300 (\$150 if a graduate of a Kentucky medical school remaining in Kentucky for postgraduate training) (201 KAR 9:041)	\$367.70 ²	\$35 (49 Pa. Code 16.13)	\$400 (W. Va. Code R. 11-4-2.1)
License duration	Two years (R.C. 4731.281)	Two years (844 IAC 4-6-1)	One year (201 KAR 9:041)	Three years (Mich. Admin. Code R. 338.2441)	Two years (49 Pa. Code 16.13)	Two years (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3-12)

² https://www.michigan.gov/documents/lara/MD_Licensing_Guide_654158_7.pdf.

Physician license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Renewal fee	\$305 (R.C. 4731.281)	\$200 (844 IAC 4-2-2)	\$150 (201 KAR 9:041)	\$308.25 ³	\$360 (49 Pa. Code 16.13)	\$400 (W. Va. Code R. 11-4-2.4)

Podiatrist license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes (R.C. 4731.60)	Yes (Ind. Code Ann. 25-29-9-1)	Yes (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.400)	Yes (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.18011)	Yes (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann.42.12)	Yes (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3-13)
Education or training	Hold a degree from a college of podiatric medicine and surgery and complete 1 year of postgraduate training in a podiatric internship,	Graduate with a degree of doctor of podiatric medicine from a college or school of podiatric medicine (Ind. Code Ann. 25-29-3-1)	Has completed a course in and graduated from a school or college of podiatry (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.420)	Must have a degree as a doctor of podiatric medicine and complete a period of postgraduate education (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.18031)	Must be a graduate of an accredited school of podiatric medicine and surgery.(63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 42.4)	Has successfully completed at least 1 year of graduate clinical training in an approved program (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3-10)

³ *Id.*

Podiatrist license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
	residency, or clinical fellowship program (R.C. 4731.52)					
Experience	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Exam	Yes (R.C. 4731.52)	Yes (Ind. Code Ann. 25-29-3-1 and 25-29-3-4)	Yes (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.420)	Yes (Mich. Admin. Code R. 338.8104)	Yes (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 42.8)	Yes (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3-10)
Continuing education	50 hours every two years (R.C. 4731.282)	30 hours every two years (845 IAC 1-5-1)	20 hours every year (201 KAR 25:031)	150 hours every three years (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.18033)	50 hours every two years (49 Pa. Code 29.61)	50 hours every two years (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3-12)
Initial licensure fee	\$305 (R.C. 4731.52)	\$150 (845 IAC 1-6-9)	\$250 (201 KAR 25:011)	\$335.25 ⁴	\$30 (49 Pa. Code 29.13)	\$400 (W. Va. Code R. 11-4-2.2)
License duration	Two years (R.C. 4731.281)	Two years (Ind. Code Ann. 25-29-6-1)	One year (201 KAR 25:021)	Three years (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.18033)	Two years (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 42.9)	Two years (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3-12)

⁴ https://www.michigan.gov/documents/lara/POD_Licensing_Guide_654146_7.pdf.

Podiatrist license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Renewal fee	\$305 (R.C. 4731.281)	\$100 (845 IAC 1-6-9)	\$175 (201 KAR 25:021)	\$308.25 ⁵	\$395 (49 Pa. Code 29.13)	\$400 (W. Va. Code R. 11-4-2.4)

Massage therapy						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes – license required to treat disorders of the human body using massage therapy (as opposed to massage for relaxation) and to use certain titles, including “massage therapist” and “licensed massage therapist” (R.C. 4731.41, 4731.04, and 4731.15; Ohio Administrative Code (O.A.C.) 4731-1-05)	Yes (Ind. Code Ann. 25-21.8-4-1)	Yes (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 309.353)	Yes (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.17957)	Yes (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 627.14)	Yes (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-37-1)

⁵ *Id.*

Massage therapy						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Education or training	Must have a diploma or certificate from an approved school, college, or institution showing the completion of at least 750 hours, including 325 hours in anatomy and physiology, 325 hours in massage therapy theory and practical, 25 hours in ethics and 25 hours in business and law (R.C. 4731.19 and O.A.C. 4731-1-16)	Has successfully completed a massage therapy school or program that requires at least 500 hours of instruction (Ind. Code Ann. 25-21.8-4-2)	Has successfully completed an approved massage therapy training program consisting of at least 600 hours (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 309.358)	Has successfully completed a massage therapy program consisting of at least 625 hours of classroom instruction (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.17959)	Has completed an approved massage program of at least 600 hours of in-class, postsecondary education instruction that includes training in the human immunodeficiency virus and related risks and training in cardiopulmonary resuscitation (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 627.5)	Has completed an approved massage education program (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-37-7)
Experience	No	No	No	No	No	No
Exam	Yes (R.C. 4731.19)	Yes (Ind. Code Ann. 25-21.8-4-2)	Yes (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 309.358)	Yes (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.17959)	Yes (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 627.5)	Yes (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-37-1)
Continuing education	No	24 hours every four years (Ind. Code Ann. 25-21.8-6-2)	24 hours every two years (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 309.361)	18 hours every three years (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.17965)	24 hours every two years (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 627.6)	25 hours every two years (W. Va. Code R. 194-1-3)

Massage therapy						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Initial licensure fee	\$150 (R.C. 4731.19)	\$100 (847 IAC 2-1-1)	\$125 (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 309.357) ⁶	\$95 (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.16334)	\$100 (49 Pa. Code 20.3)	\$350 (W. Va. Code R. 194-4-2)
License duration	2 years (R.C. 4731.15)	4 years (Ind. Code Ann. 25-21.8-6-1)	2 years (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 309.357)	3 years (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.17965)	2 years (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 627.6)	2 years (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-37-7)
Renewal fee	\$150 (R.C. 4731.15(C)(1))	\$150 (847 IAC.2-1-1)	\$100 (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 309.357) ⁷	\$243.30 ⁸	\$125-\$175 (49 Pa. Code 20.3)	\$200 (W. Va. Code R. 194-4-2)

⁶ Massage Practice Exams, *Kentucky Massage Therapy Licensure Requirements and Examination*, <https://www.massage-exam.com/kentucky-massage.php>.

⁷ *Id.*

⁸ Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs, *License Renewal Fees*, https://www.michigan.gov/lara/0,4601,7-154-89334_72600-365326--,00.html.

Cosmetic therapy certificate						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes (R.C. 4731.41; <i>see also</i> R.C. 4731.15 and 4731.17)	No separate license; laser hair removal is included in the definition of the practice of medicine (Ind. Code Ann. 25-22-5-1-1.1) ⁹	No separate license; there must be a physician responsible for each patient undergoing laser hair removal, a delegatee must undergo formal training to ensure competence and provide written documentation of training completion, and must recognize unexpected adverse reactions as part of an annual competence review	No separate license; laser hair removal is included in the practice of medicine and may be delegated to a licensed or unlicensed individual under a physician's supervision if certain conditions are met, including that the physician acknowledges that the delegatee has appropriate education, training, or	No separate license; generally, physicians may delegate medical services if certain conditions are met, including that the physician has knowledge that the delegatee has education, training, experience, and continued competency to safely perform the medical service being delegated,	No separate license; laser hair removal is considered surgery and may be delegated to nonphysician health practitioners with supervision if certain conditions are met, including physician assurance that the individual is appropriately trained,

⁹ See also IN.gov, *Practice Related FAQ's*, <https://www.in.gov/pla/2879.htm>.

Cosmetic therapy certificate						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
			by the medical director ¹⁰	experience to use the laser ¹¹	however, it does not appear cosmetic therapy is necessarily a medical service subject to these restrictions (Pa. Code 18.402)	licensed by the state in which they practice, practicing within the scope of licensure, and provided written protocols ¹²

¹⁰ Kentucky Board of Medical Licensure, *Board Opinion Relating to Laser Surgery*, <https://kbml.ky.gov/board/Documents/Board%20Opinion%20Laser%20Surgery.pdf>.

¹¹ Michigan.gov, Position Statement of the Michigan Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs, *Use of Laser Equipment by Health Professionals*, https://www.michigan.gov/documents/lara/lara_laser_equipment_position_statement_477918_7.pdf; see also Mich. Comp. Laws. Ann. 333.16215 (regarding delegation).

¹² West Virginia Board of Medicine, *Public Policy Statement on Surgery Using Laser, Pulsed Light, Radiofrequency Devices, or Other Techniques*, available at: https://wvbom.wv.gov/Position_Statementsnew.asp (under Position Statements, select “The Use of Lasers in Surgery 5/10/2010”).

Cosmetic therapy certificate						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Education or training	Must have a diploma or certificate from an approved school, college, or institution showing the completion of at least 750 hours, including 325 hours in anatomy and physiology, 325 hours in cosmetic therapy theory and practical, 25 hours in ethics and 25 hours in business and law (R.C. 4731.19 and O.A.C. 4731-1-09)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Experience	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Exam	Yes (R.C. 4731.19)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Continuing education	12 hours every two years (O.A.C. 4731-1-08)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Initial licensure fee	\$150 (R.C. 4731.19)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Cosmetic therapy certificate						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License duration	2 years (R.C. 4731.15)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Renewal fee	\$100 (R.C. 4731.15)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Physician training certificate						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes. A training certificate is required to pursue a medical residency, internship, clinical fellowship program, or elective clinical rotation. (R.C. 4731.291)	Yes. A temporary medical permit is required to obtain postgraduate medical education or training in an Indiana medical education institution or hospital. (Ind. Code Ann. 25-22.5-5-4(a))	Yes – must have either a residency training license or a fellowship training license (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.571)	Yes – educational limited license (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.17012)	Yes. A graduate license authorizes the holder to participate in a year of graduate medical training. (49 Pa. Code 17.5)	Yes – educational permit (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3-16)

Physician training certificate						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Education or training	N/A	Has completed the academic requirements for the degree of doctor of medicine or doctor of osteopathy from an approved medical school (Ind. Code Ann. 25-22.5-5-4(a))	N/A	N/A	Have graduated from a medical college (49 Pa. Code 17.5)	Have graduated from an allopathic or medical college or completed a recognized alternate pathway (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3-16)
Experience	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Exam	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Yes. Must have completed specified examinations to participate in graduate medical education at the second-year level or higher. (49 Pa. Code 17.5)	N/A
Continuing education	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Physician training certificate						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Initial licensure fee	\$130 (R.C. 4731.291)	\$100 (844 IAC 4-2-2)	\$75 (201 KAR 9:041)	\$91.85 ¹³	\$30 (accredited medical school graduate) or \$85 (unaccredited medical school graduate) (49 Pa. Code 16.13)	\$100 (W. Va. Code R. 11-4-2.3)
License duration	Three years (R.C. 4731.291)	One year (Ind. Code Ann. 25-22.5-5-4(a))	One year (201 KAR 9:051)	One year (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.17012)	One year (49 Pa. Code 17.5)	One year (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3-16)
Renewal fee	\$100 (R.C. 4731.291)	\$50 (844 IAC 4-2-2)	\$65 (201 KAR 9:041)	\$91.85	\$15 (49 Pa. Code 16.13)	\$100 (W. Va. Code R. 11-4-2.3)

¹³ https://www.michigan.gov/documents/lara/MD_Educational_Ltd_Licensing_Guide_654157_7.pdf.

Podiatrist training certificate						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes. A training certificate is required to pursue a residency, internship, or clinical fellowship program. (R.C. 4731.573)	Yes. A limited license authorizes participation in a graduate training program. (Ind. Code Ann. 25-29-5-3)	No	Yes. An educational limited license is required to participate in postgraduate education. (Mich. Admin. Code R. 338.8109)	No	No
Education or training	N/A	N/A	N/A	Have graduated from an approved school of podiatric medicine (Mich. Admin. Code R. 338.8109)	N/A	N/A
Experience	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Exam	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Continuing education	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Podiatrist training certificate						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Initial licensure fee	\$130 (R.C. 4731.573)	\$50 (845 IAC 1-6-9)	N/A	\$54 ¹⁴	N/A	N/A
License duration	Three years	Limited to the duration of the postgraduate education program in which the applicant is employed, assigned, or enrolled (845 IAC 1-8.1-2)	N/A	One year ¹⁵	N/A	N/A
Renewal fee	\$100 (R.C. 4731.573)	N/A	N/A	\$27 ¹⁶	N/A	N/A

¹⁴ https://www.michigan.gov/documents/lara/POD_ED_LTD_Licensing_Guide_654145_7.pdf.

¹⁵ *Id.*

¹⁶ *Id.*

Podiatrist visiting faculty certificate						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes. A visiting podiatric faculty certificate authorizes a podiatrist licensed in another state to practice podiatric medicine incidental to teaching duties at a podiatric medical college and affiliated hospital. (R.C. 4731.572)	No	No	No	No	No
Education or training	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Experience	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Exam	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Continuing education	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Initial licensure fee	\$125 (R.C. 4731.572)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
License duration	The shorter of one year or the duration of the holder's appointment to the academic staff (R.C. 4731.572)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Renewal fee	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Physician clinical research faculty certificate						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes. A clinical research faculty certificate authorizes a physician licensed in another state to teach and perform research activities at a medical school. (R.C. 4731.293)	Yes. A temporary medical teaching permit authorizes a physician licensed in another state to teach medicine at a medical educational institution. (Ind. Code Ann. 25-22.5-5-4(b))	Special faculty license authorizes a physician licensed in another state to practice at a medical teaching institution and its affiliated hospitals. (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.571(6))	Clinical academic limited license authorizes a physician licensed in another state to teach or perform research at an academic institution. (Mich. Admin. Code R. 338.2435)	Institutional license authorizes a physician licensed in another state to teach and practice medicine at a medical college, including its affiliates and hospitals. (49 Pa. Code 17.3)	License to practice as medical school authorizes a physician licensed in another state to practice at a medical school's medical center. (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3-11a)
Education or training	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Experience	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Exam	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Continuing education	75 hours every three years (R.C. 4731.293)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Physician clinical research faculty certificate						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Initial licensure fee	\$375 (R.C. 4731.293)	\$100 (844 IAC 4-2-2)	\$300 (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.571(6); 201 KAR 9:041)	\$91.85 ¹⁷	\$35 (49 Pa. Code 16.13)	\$150 (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3-11a)
License duration	Three years (R.C. 4731.293)	One year (Ind. Code Ann. 25-22.5-5-4(b))	One year (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.571(6))	One year ¹⁸	Three years (49 Pa. Code 17.3)	One year (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3-11a)
Renewal fee	\$375 (R.C. 4731.293)	\$50 (844 IAC 4-2-2)	\$150 (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.571(6); 201 KAR 9:041)	\$32.40 ¹⁹	N/A	N/A

¹⁷ https://www.michigan.gov/documents/lara/MD_Clinical_Academic_Ltd_Licensing_Guide_654156_7.pdf.

¹⁸ *Id.* According to the Michigan Bureau of Professional Licensing, an individual may not practice under a clinical academic limited license for more than five years.

¹⁹ *Id.*

Physician visiting clinical professional development certificate						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes. The certificate authorizes a physician licensed in another country to practice medicine as part of participation in a clinical professional development program conducted at a medical school or hospital. (R.C. 4731.298)	No	No	No	No	No
Education or training	Is an international medical graduate who holds a medical degree from an institution listed in the international medical education directory	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Experience	Has practiced medicine for at least 5 years after completing graduate medical education (R.C. 4731.298)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Exam	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Continuing education	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Initial licensure fee	\$375 (R.C. 4731.298)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
License duration	The shorter of one year or the duration of the program in which the holder is participating	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Renewal fee	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Physician special activity certificate						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes. The certificate authorizes a physician licensed in another state or country to practice medicine in conjunction with a special activity, program, or event. (R.C. 4731.294)	Yes. A limited scope temporary medical permit authorizes a physician licensed in another state or jurisdiction to practice medicine as part of a specific activity, function, series of events, or purpose. (844 IAC 4-4.5-17)	No	No	Yes. A temporary license permits a physician licensed in another jurisdiction to (1) teach and demonstrate advanced medical and surgical techniques, (2) participate in a procedure necessary for the well-being of a specified patient, (3) practice medicine in a camp or resort for no more than 3 months, (4) attend to the medical needs of a person visiting Pennsylvania, or (5) be a short-term replacement of a physician employed by the federal government in a National Health Service Corps Clinic, under Project U.S.A. arrangements. (49 Pa. Code 17.6)	No

Physician special activity certificate						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Education or training	Within 2 years before application, the applicant must have actively practiced medicine, have participated in accredited graduate medical education, or passed the federation licensing examination established by the Federation of State Medical Boards. (R.C. 4731.294)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Experience	See above	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Exam	See above	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Continuing education	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Initial licensure fee	\$125 (R.C. 4731.294)	\$100 (844 IAC 4-2-2)	N/A	N/A	\$45 (49 Pa. Code 16.13)	N/A

Physician special activity certificate						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License duration	The shorter of 30 days or the duration of the special activity, program, or event (R.C. 4731.294)	No longer than 30 days (844 IAC 4-4.5-17)	N/A	N/A	Not specified, duration depends on the reason for the license (49 Pa. Code 17.6)	N/A
Renewal fee	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Physician volunteer license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes. The license authorizes a retired physician to provide services only to the indigent and uninsured. (R.C. 4731.295)	Indiana's health care volunteer registry authorizes licensed physicians to volunteer their services outside of traditional health care facilities. (Ind. Code Ann. 34-30-13-1.2)	No	Yes. A special volunteer license authorizes a retired physician to treat indigent and needy individuals. (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.16184)	Yes. A volunteer license authorizes a retired physician or a licensed physician who is not practicing to volunteer in approved clinics for the indigent or in medically underserved areas. (35 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 449.41 to 449.53)	Yes. The special volunteer license authorizes retired physicians to treat indigent and needy patients in free clinics (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3-10a)

Physician volunteer license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Education or training	N/A	N/A	N/A	If the applicant has been out of practice for 3 or more years, must have during the 3 years immediately preceding the application, completed 100 hours of continuing education. (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.16184)	N/A	N/A
Experience	Must have been licensed for at least 10 years before retirement or practiced medicine in a branch of the U.S. armed services for at least 10 years before retirement. (R.C. 4731.295)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Physician volunteer license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Exam	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Continuing education	150 hours every three years (R.C. 4731.295)	N/A	N/A	150 hours every three years (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.16184, Mich. Admin. Code R. 338.2441)	N/A	50 hours every two years (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3-12)
Initial licensure fee	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
License duration	Three years (R.C. 4731.295)	N/A	N/A	Statute provides for license renewals, but does not specify the license's duration. (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.16184)	Two years (49 Pa. Code 16.18)	One year (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3-10a)
Renewal fee	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Conceded eminence certificate ²⁰						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes (R.C. 4731.297)	None	None	None	None	None
Education or training	Must be an international medical graduate who holds a medical degree from an educational institution listed in the International Medical Education Directory. (R.C. 4731.297)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Experience	Must demonstrate having unique talents and extraordinary abilities not generally found within the applicant's specialty by meeting specified criteria. (R.C. 4731.297)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Exam	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Continuing education	50 hours every two years (R.C. 4731.297 and 4731.282)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Initial licensure fee	\$1,000 (R.C. 4731.297)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
License duration	Two years (R.C. 4731.297)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

²⁰ It appears that just three other states – Maryland, New York, and Texas – along with the District of Columbia – have similar certificates. Note that Ohio's certificate of conceded eminence authorizes its holder to practice medicine only within the clinical setting of an academic medical center. See <https://med.ohio.gov/Apply/Special-Certificates/Certificate-of-Conceded-Eminence>.

Conceded eminence certificate ²⁰						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Renewal fee	\$1,000 (R.C. 4731.297)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Medical marijuana						
	Ohio	Indiana ²¹	Kentucky ²²	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Certificate to recommend ²³ (R.C. 4731.22 and 4731.30)	N/A	N/A	While the use of marijuana for medical purposes is permitted under state law, it does not appear that a physician needs specific authority to recommend treatment. (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.26423)	Practitioner registry (35 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 10231.401)	Practitioner registry (W. Va. Code Ann. 16A-4-1)
Education or training	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Must demonstrate by training or expertise being qualified to

²¹ Indiana law does not permit the use of marijuana for medical purposes.

²² Kentucky law does not permit the use of marijuana for medical purposes.

²³ The certificate to recommend medical marijuana issued by the State Medical Board of Ohio is considered an addition to an existing physician license. See <https://med.ohio.gov/Apply/Certificate-to-Recommend-CTR>.

Medical marijuana						
	Ohio	Indiana ²¹	Kentucky ²²	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
						treat the applicable serious medical condition and complete a 4-hour training course. (W. Va. Code Ann. 16A-4-1) ²⁴
Experience	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Exam	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Continuing education	Two hours every year (R.C. 4731.30)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Initial licensure fee	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
License duration	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Renewal fee	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

²⁴ The application and course for physicians is not yet available (<https://dhr.wv.gov/bph/Documents/MedicalCannabis/FAQ%20-%20Physicians.pdf>).

Physician assistant license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes (R.C. 4730.02)	Yes (Ind. Code Ann. 25-27.5-4-1 and 25-27.5-7-1)	Yes (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.840 and 311.844)	Yes (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.17011)	Yes (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 422.36)	Yes (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3E-4)
Education or training	Yes, certified by the National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants (NCCPA) and a master's degree or higher from an accredited program or a program with clinical relevance (R.C. 4730.11)	Yes, complete an accredited educational program for physician assistants (Ind. Code Ann. 25-27.5-4-1)	Yes, graduate of an accredited educational and training program (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.844 and 311.846)	Yes, graduate of an accredited physician assistant educational program (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.17062 and Mich. Admin. Code R. 338.6201)	Yes, graduate of a recognized physician assistant program (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 422.36 and 49 Pa. Code 18.131)	Yes, certified by the NCCPA and obtain a baccalaureate or master's degree from an accredited program (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3E-4 and W. Va. Code R. 11-1B-3)
Experience	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Physician assistant license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Exam	Yes (R.C. 4730.11) ²⁵	Yes (Ind. Code Ann. 25-27.5-4-1)	Yes (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.844 and 311.846)	Yes (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.17064 and Mich. Admin. Code R. 338.6301)	Yes (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 422.36 and 49 Pa. Code 18.141)	Yes (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3E-4 and W. Va. Code R. 11-1B-3)
Continuing education	100 hours every 2 years (O.A.C. 4730-1-06)	100 hours every 2 years ²⁶	100 hours every 2 years (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.844)	100 hours every 2 years ²⁷	100 hours every 2 years as required by the NCCPA (49 Pa. Code 18.145) ²⁸	100 hours every 2 years (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3E-6)
Initial licensure fee	\$400 (R.C. 4730.10)	\$100 (844 IAC 2.2-2-8)	\$100 (201 KAR 9:084)	\$50 plus a \$30 processing fee (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.16337)	\$30 (49 Pa. Code 16.13)	\$250 (W. Va. Code R. 11-4-3)

²⁵ Ohio law does not expressly require an examination, but NCCPA certification requirements include an examination, NCCPA, <https://www.nccpa.net/BecomingCertified>.

²⁶ Indiana and Pennsylvania do not specify continuing education requirements in law, but both require physician assistants to provide evidence of current NCCPA certification when applying for license renewal (844 IAC 2.2-2-3). The NCCPA certification includes this requirement. See <https://www.nccpa.net/continuingmedicaleducation>.

²⁷ Michigan Academy of Physician Assistants, *Categories of Continuing Medical Education*, <https://www.michiganpa.org/page/cmecategories>.

²⁸ See supra note 8.

Physician assistant license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License duration	2 years (R.C. 4730.14)	2 years (Ind. Code Ann. 25-27.5-4-5 and 844 IAC 2.2-2-3)	2 years (201 KAR 9:084)	2 years (Mich. Admin. Code R. 338.6311)	2 years (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 422.36 and 49 Pa. Code 18.145)	2 years (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3E-6 and W. Va. Code R. 11-1B-3)
Renewal fee	\$200 (R.C. 4730.14)	\$50 (844 IAC 2.2-2-8)	\$150 (201 KAR 9:084)	\$50 per year (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.16337)	\$40 (49 Pa. Code 16.13)	\$150 (W. Va. Code R. 11-4-3)

Dietetics license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes (R.C. 4759.02)	License required only to use certain titles, including “Certified Dietician” and “Licensed Dietician”; a dietician registered by the Commission	Yes ³⁰ (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 310.070)	No, licensure law repealed in 2014.	Dietitian-nutritionist license required only to hold self out as a licensed dietitian-nutritionist (P.S. 213.1)	License required only to use titles “dietitian” and “licensed dietitian” (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-35-1)

³⁰ Kentucky has dual licensure for dieticians and nutritionists, as well as a certified nutritionist only certification.

Dietetics license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
		on Dietetic Registration may use the title “Registered Dietician” (Ind. Code Ann. 25-14.5-7-1 and 25-14.5-7-3) ²⁹				
Education or training	Has received a baccalaureate or higher degree from an approved institution of higher education and has completed a program consistent with the academic standards for dietitians established by the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics. ³¹ (R.C. 4759.06)	Has received a baccalaureate or higher degree from an approved institution of higher education and has completed a major course of study in human nutrition, nutrition education, food and nutrition, and dietetics or food systems management (Ind. Code Ann. 25-14.5-3-1 and 844 IAC 19-1-3)	Be a graduate of an approved baccalaureate or post-baccalaureate degree program, with a major course of study in human nutrition, food and nutrition, dietetics, food systems management, or equivalent (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 310.021)	N/A	Has received a baccalaureate or higher degree from an approved college or university, including a major course of study in human nutrition, food and nutrition, dietetics, or food systems management (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 216)	Has completed a major course of study in human nutrition, dietetics, food systems management, or the equivalent thereof and possesses a baccalaureate or post-baccalaureate degree. (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-35-7)

²⁹ See also IN.gov, *Instructions & Application for Licensure*, <https://www.in.gov/pla/2412.htm>.

³¹ Education requirement may be waived if the applicant is a registered dietitian with the Commission on Dietetic Registration.

Dietetics license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Experience	Has successfully completed an approved pre-professional dietetic experience ³² (R.C. 4759.06)	The board may require an applicant to have completed a documented, supervised practice experience of at least 900 hours (Ind. Code Ann. 25-14.5-3-3 and 844 IAC 19-1-3)	Have successfully completed a documented supervised practice experience (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 310.021)	N/A	Has completed a planned continuous pre-professional experience component in dietetic practice of at least 900 hours (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann.216)	Has completed a planned continuous professional experience component of at least 900 hours (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-35-7)
Exam	Yes ³³ (R.C. 4759.06)	Yes (Burns Ind. Code Ann. 25-14.5-4-1 and 844 IAC 19-1-1)	Yes (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 310.021)	N/A	Yes (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 216)	Yes ³⁴ (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-35-7)
Continuing education	Yes, 75 units every five years (O.A.C. 4759-4-04)	Yes, 30 hours every two years (844 IAC 19-1-6)	Yes, 15 hours annually (201 KAR 33:030)	N/A	Yes, 30 hours every two years (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 221)	Yes, 20 hours every two years (W. Va. Code R. 31-1-7)
Initial licensure fee	\$225 (R.C. 4759.08(A)(1))	\$20 (844 IAC 19-3-1)	\$50 (201 KAR 33:010)	N/A	\$95 (49 Pa. Code 21.705)	\$75 (W. Va. Code R. 31-1-4)

³² Experience requirement may be waived if the applicant is a registered dietitian with the Commission on Dietetic Registration.

³³ Exam requirement may be waived if the applicant is a registered dietitian with the Commission on Dietetic Registration.

³⁴ Exam requirement may be waived if the applicant is a registered dietitian with the Commission on Dietetic Registration.

Dietetics license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License duration	2 years (R.C. 4759.06)	2 years (Ind. Code Ann. 25-14.5-6-3)	1 year (KRS 310.050)	N/A	2 years (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 221)	1 year (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-35-8)
Renewal fee	\$180 (R.C. 4759.08(A)(2))	\$20 (844 IAC 19-3-1)	\$50 (201 KAR 33:010)	N/A	\$71 (49 Pa. Code 21.705)	\$75 (W. Va. Code R. 31-1-4)

Limited permit to practice dietetics						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	A limited permit is for applicants who have applied to take dietetics licensing exam. It authorizes the holder to engage in the full scope of practice (R.C. 4759.06(G)) ³⁵	No	No	No	No	A provisional permit authorizes practice as a licensed dietitian for individuals who have completed education but not experience requirements (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-35-6)
Education or training	Has received a baccalaureate or higher degree from an approved institution of higher education and has completed a program consistent with the academic standards for dietitians	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Has completed a major course of study in human nutrition, dietetics, food systems management, or the equivalent thereof and possesses a baccalaureate or post-baccalaureate

³⁵ See also State Medical Board of Ohio, *Dietitians FAQ*, <https://med.ohio.gov/FAQs/Dietitians-FAQs>.

Limited permit to practice dietetics						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
	established by the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics (R.C. 4759.06)					degree. (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-35-6)
Experience	Has successfully completed an approved pre-professional dietetic experience (R.C. 4759.06)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No ³⁶
Exam	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No
Continuing education	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	10 hours per year W. Va. Code R. 31-1-6)
Initial licensure fee	\$65 (R.C. 4759.08(A)(3))	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	\$50 (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-35-6)
License duration	Expires the following October 31 for those issued between April 1 and September 30 and the following April 30 for those issued between October 1 and March 31 (O.A.C. 4759-4-08)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1 year (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-35-6)

³⁶ West Virginia Code states that a provisional permit may be issued to any person who has not met the experience requirements in Code; West Virginia rules state that the purpose of the provisional permit is to allow an individual who has not yet passed the required examination to practice dietetics after completing the education and post-graduate professional experience required in Code. (W. Va. Code R. 31-1-6).

Limited permit to practice dietetics						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Renewal fee	\$65 (R.C. 4759.08(A)(3))	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	\$50 (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-35-6)

Anesthesiologist assistant certificate to practice						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes (R.C. 4760.02)	Yes (Ind. Code Ann. 25-3.7-2-1 and 25-3.7-3-1)	Yes (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.862 and 311.844)	No	No	No
Education or training	Meet both of the following: -- Be certified by the National Commission for Certification of Anesthesiologist Assistants (NCCAA) -- Complete a baccalaureate or higher degree program that includes specified courses (R.C. 4760.031)	Meet all of the following: -- Be certified by the NCCAA -- Complete a bachelor's degree -- Complete an accredited anesthesiologist assistant program (Ind. Code Ann. 25-3.7-2-1)	Meet both of the following: -- Graduate from an approved 4-year program -- Graduate from a 2-year approved and accredited program that consists of academic and clinical training in anesthesiology (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.862, 311.844, and 311.846)	N/A	N/A	N/A

Anesthesiologist assistant certificate to practice						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Experience	No, but there are enhanced supervision requirements during the first four years of practice (R.C. 4760.08 and O.A.C. 4731-24-02)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Exam	Yes (R.C. 4760.03) ³⁷	Yes (Ind. Code Ann. 25-3.7-2-1) ³⁸	Yes (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.862, 311.844, and 311.846)	N/A	N/A	N/A
Continuing education	Yes, 40 hours every 2 years ³⁹	Yes, 40 hours every 2 years (Ind. Code Ann. 25-3.7-2-2) ⁴⁰	100 hours every 2 years (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.844)	N/A	N/A	N/A

³⁷ Ohio and Indiana law require that an anesthesiologist assistant hold a current certificate from the National Commission for Certification of Anesthesiologist Assistants. In addition to the licensing examination, NCCAA certification requires that a practitioner pass the examination for Continued Demonstration of Qualifications (CDQ) every six years, American Academy of Anesthesiologist Assistants, https://www.anesthetist.org/assets/docs/factsheets/aa%20training%20and%20education%20fact%20sheet_no%20header_51317.pdf.

³⁸ See footnote 4.

³⁹ While Ohio and Indiana law do not specify continuing education requirements, the NCCAA requires that these requirements be completed to maintain certification, American Academy of Anesthesiologist Assistants, https://www.anesthetist.org/assets/docs/factsheets/aa%20training%20and%20education%20fact%20sheet_no%20header_51317.pdf.

⁴⁰ See footnote 5.

Anesthesiologist assistant certificate to practice						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Initial licensure fee	\$100 (R.C. 4760.03)	\$100 (844 IAC 15-1-6)	\$100 (201 KAR 9:084)	N/A	N/A	N/A
License duration	2 years (R.C. 4760.04)	2 years (844 IAC 15-1-4)	2 years (201 KAR 9:084)	N/A	N/A	N/A
Renewal fee	\$100 (R.C. 4760.06)	\$50 (844 IAC 15-1-6)	\$150 (201 KAR 9:084)	N/A	N/A	N/A

Respiratory care						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes (R.C. 4761.10)	Yes (Ind. Code Ann. 25-34.5-3-1)	Yes (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 314A.110 and 314A.990)	Yes (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.18707)	Yes ⁴¹ (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 422.13a)	Yes (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-34-1)

⁴¹ It appears respiratory therapists in Pennsylvania can be licensed by either the PA State Board of Medicine or the PA State Board of Osteopathic Medicine. The Pennsylvania Society for Respiratory Care indicates there is no substantive difference between the licensures. This table cites licensure by the PA State Board of Medicine. Pennsylvania Society for Respiratory Care, *Obtaining An RT License In PA - Holders of Out of State RT License*, <https://www.psrc.net/obtaining-rt-license-for-out-of-state>.

Respiratory care						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Education or training	Has successfully completed an approved educational program that includes instruction in the biological and physical sciences, pharmacology, respiratory care theory, procedures, and clinical practice, and cardiopulmonary rehabilitation techniques (R.C. 4761.04)	Has (1) graduated from a school or program of respiratory care that meets standards set by the board; (2) completed a U.S. military training program in respiratory care; or (3) completed sufficient postsecondary education to be credentialed by an approved national respiratory care practitioner organization. (Ind. Code Ann. 25-34.5-2-8)	Must have a registered respiratory therapist (RRT) or certified respiratory therapist (CRT) credential issued by the National Board for Respiratory Care (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann.314A.110) ⁴²	Must (1) complete an approved respiratory therapist training program; (2) have at least a 2-year associate's degree; and (3) have a respiratory care credential from the National Board for Respiratory Care (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.18709)	Has graduated from an approved respiratory care program (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 422.13a)	Has completed an approved respiratory care educational program (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-34-8)

⁴² See also The National Board for Respiratory Care, *Certified Respiratory Therapist (CRT)*, <https://www.nbrc.org/examinations/crt/#admission-requirements>.

Respiratory care						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Experience	No	No	No	No	No	No
Exam	Yes (R.C. 4761.04)	Yes (Ind. Code Ann. 25-34.5-2-8)	Yes (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 314A.110) ⁴³	Yes (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.18709)	Yes (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 422.13a)	Yes (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-34-8)
Continuing education	Yes, 20 hours every two years (O.A.C. 4761-9-02)	An average of 7.5 hours every two years (844 IAC 11-5-3)	Yes, 24 hours every two years (201 KAR 29:050)	No ⁴⁴	Yes, 30 hours every two years (49 Pa. Code 18.309a)	Yes, 20 units every two years (W. Va. Code R. 30-3-3)
Initial licensure fee	\$75 (R.C. 4761.07(A)(1))	\$50 (844 IAC 11-2-1.1)	\$150 (201 KAR 29:015)	\$102.70 ⁴⁵	\$30 ⁴⁶	\$200 (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-34-7)
License duration	2 years (R.C. 4761.06)	2 years (Ind. Code Ann. 25-34.5-2-10)	2 years (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 314A.110)	2 years ⁴⁷	2 years (49 Pa. Code 18.309)	1 year (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-34-7)

⁴³ *Id.*

⁴⁴ See Licensing and Regulatory Affairs, *Respiratory Care FAQ*, https://www.michigan.gov/documents/lara/Respiratory_Care_FAQ__7-15-2016_531047_7.pdf.

⁴⁵ Licensing and Regulatory Affairs, *Application for a Respiratory Therapist License*, https://www.michigan.gov/documents/lara/Application_For_A_Respiratory_Therapist_License_530681_7.pdf.

⁴⁶ Department of State, *application checklist* >> State Board of Medicine >> Respiratory Therapist, <https://www.pals.pa.gov/#>.

⁴⁷ *Respiratory Care FAQ*.

Respiratory care						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Renewal fee	\$75 (R.C. 4761.07(A)(2))	\$50 (844 IAC 11-2-1.1)	\$90 (201 KAR 29:015)	\$150 ⁴⁸	\$25 ⁴⁹	\$65 (W. Va. Code R. 30-2-3)

Limited permit to practice respiratory care						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Limited permit authorizes a student in good standing in a respiratory care educational program to provide respiratory care under the supervision of a licensed respiratory care professional (R.C. 4761.05)	Student permit authorizes a student in good standing in a respiratory care school or program to perform certain respiratory care procedures (Ind. Code Ann. 25-34.5-2-14)	Limited mandatory certificate authorizes students actively enrolled in an accredited program to perform for compensation certain respiratory care procedures under the direct supervision of a respiratory therapist who holds a mandatory certificate (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 314A.110)	No	No	Temporary student permit authorizes the practice of respiratory care for a period of up to six months by a student enrolled in a respiratory care educational program (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-34-9)

⁴⁸ American Association for Respiratory Care, *Respiratory Therapist State Licensure Information*, <https://www.aarc.org/advocacy/state-society-resources/state-licensure-information/>.

⁴⁹ *Id.*

Limited permit to practice respiratory care						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Education or training	Must be enrolled and in good standing in an approved respiratory care educational program (R.C. 4761.05) ⁵⁰	Must be a student in good standing in an approved respiratory care school or program (Ind. Code Ann. 25-34.5-2-14)	Must be actively enrolled in an accredited respiratory care program (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 314A.110)	N/A	N/A	Must be enrolled in an approved respiratory care educational program (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-34-9)
Experience	No (R.C. 4761.05)	No	No	N/A	N/A	No
Exam	No	No	No	N/A	N/A	No
Continuing education	10 hours per year (O.A.C. 4761-9-02)	No	No	N/A	N/A	Nine satisfactory semester hours in respiratory care curriculum (W. Va. Code R. 30-9-2)
Initial licensure fee	\$20 (R.C. 4761.07(A)(3))	\$25 (844 IAC 11-2-1.1)	\$60 (201 KAR 29:015)	N/A	N/A	\$75 (W. Va. Code R. 30-9-2)
License duration	1 year (R.C. 4761.06)	Two years (Ind. Code Ann. 25-34.5-2-14)	Not to exceed three years (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 314A.110)	N/A	N/A	Six months (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-34-9)

⁵⁰ Ohio law regarding limited permits to practice respiratory care includes a grandfathering provision exempting from its educational requirements any person who, since at least March 14, 1984, has been employed as a provider of respiratory care in Ohio for at least 25 hours per week.

Limited permit to practice respiratory care						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Renewal fee	\$10 for the first three renewals, \$35 for renewals thereafter (R.C. 4761.07(A)(4) and (C))	\$25 (844 IAC 11-2-1.1)	Not renewable (201 KAR 29:015)	N/A	N/A	\$40 (W. Va. Code R. 30-9-2)

Acupuncturist Certificate to Practice						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes (R.C. 4762.02)	Yes (Ind. Code Ann. 25-2.5-2-1)	Yes (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.674)	Yes (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.16513)	Yes (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 1803)	Yes (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-36-1 and 30-36-9)
Education or training	Be certified as a diplomate in acupuncture by the National Certification Commission for	Be certified as a diplomate in acupuncture by NCCOAM, complete an accredited 3 year postsecondary	Graduate from an approved program including at least 1,800 hours of training, including at least	TBD ⁵²	Complete an accredited acupuncture education program (49 Pa. Code 18.11 and 18.13)	Graduate from an approved program including at least 1,800 hours of training, including 300 clinical hours

⁵² A new law, effective March 4, 2020, changed the profession of acupuncture in Michigan from registration to a license. The Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs (LARA) has one year to develop licensure rules. Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.16525; LARA, *Acupuncture Profession - Frequently Asked Questions*, March 3, 2020, available at https://www.michigan.gov/documents/lara/Acupuncture_FAQs_538258_7.pdf.

Acupuncturist Certificate to Practice						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
	Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine (NCCAOM) (R.C. 4762.03)	training or acupuncture college program, and complete an approved clean needle technique course (Ind. Code Ann. 25-2.5-2-1) ⁵¹	300 clinical hours (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.674)			(W. Va. Code Ann. 30-36-10)
Experience	None specified ⁵³ (R.C. 4762.03)	None specified ⁵⁴ (Ind. Code Ann. 25-2.5-2-1)	None specified	TBD	None specified	Instead meeting education requirements, apprentice for 2,700 hours within 5 years (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-36-10)

⁵¹ The latter two requirements are likely duplicative of the NCCAOM's certification requirements. <https://www.nccaom.org/certification/nccaom-certification-eligibility/>.

⁵³ Ohio and Indiana acupuncturists are required to be certified by NCCAOM, which establishes education, experience, exam, and continuing education requirements for certification.

⁵⁴ *Id.*

Acupuncturist Certificate to Practice						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Exam	Yes (R.C. 4762.03)	Yes (Ind. Code Ann. 25-2.5-2-1)	Yes (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.674)	TBD	Yes (49 Pa. Code 18.13)	Instead of meeting education requirements, pass exam given by NCCAOM or equivalent (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-36-10) ⁵⁵
Continuing education	Not specified in state law (R.C. 4762.06)	Not specified in state law (Ind. Code Ann. 25-2.5-2-5)	30 hours every two years (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.682)	TBD; meeting NCCAOM requirements will satisfy the requirement (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.16517)	2 hours of child abuse recognition and reporting training (23 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 6383)	48 hours (W. Va. Code R. 32-9-7)
Initial licensure fee	\$100 (R.C. 4762.03)	\$150 (844 IAC 13-2-6)	\$150 (201 KAR 9:450)	\$200 (plus \$75 application)	\$30 (49 Pa. Code 16.13)	\$425 (plus \$75 application fee)

⁵⁵ While examination is presented in the West Virginia Code as an alternate pathway to licensure, from a practical perspective, an applicant would not be eligible to take the NCCAOM examination without completing education requirements. <https://www.nccaom.org/certification/board-examination-process/>.

Acupuncturist Certificate to Practice						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
				processing fee) (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.16322)		(W. Va. Code R. 32-4-3)
License duration	2 years (R.C. 4762.04)	2 years (844 IAC 13-4-1)	2 years (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.674)	Not specified	2 years (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 1803)	2 years (W. Va. Code R. 32-4-3)
Renewal fee	\$100 (R.C. 4762.06)	\$100 (844 IAC 13-2-6)	\$150 (201 KAR 9:450)	\$200 (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.16322)	\$40 (49 Pa. Code 16.13)	\$425 (W. Va. Code R. 32-4-3)

Oriental Medicine Practitioner Certificate to Practice						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes (R.C. 4762.02)	No ⁵⁶	No ⁵⁷	No (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.16513(2)(d))	Yes (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 1803)	Yes, within acupuncturist scope of practice (W. Va. Code R. 32-10-4.)
Education or training	Must be certified as a diplomate in oriental medicine or acupuncture and Chinese herbology by the NCCAOM and complete one course approved by the Commission on Federal Food and Drug Administration Dispensary and Compounding Guidelines and Procedures. (R.C. 4762.03)	N/A	N/A	N/A	In addition to meeting requirements that apply to acupuncturists, complete an education program that includes the study of Chinese herbology or be certified by NCCAOM in Chinese herbology or Oriental medicine (49 Pa. Code 18.13a)	Graduate from an approved program including at least 1,800 hours of training, including 300 clinical hours (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-36-10)

⁵⁶ NCCAOM, *States That Include Chinese Herbs in the Scope of Practice for Acupuncturists*, available at <https://www.nccaom.org/advocacy-regulatory/state-relations/>.

⁵⁷ *Id.*

Oriental Medicine Practitioner Certificate to Practice						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Experience	None specified ⁵⁸ (R.C. 4762.03)	N/A	N/A	N/A	None Specified	Instead meeting education requirements, apprentice for 2,700 hours within 5 years (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-36-10)
Exam	Yes (R.C. 4762.03)	N/A	N/A	N/A	Yes (49 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 18.13a.)	Instead of meeting education requirements, pass exam given by NCCAOM or equivalent (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-36-10) ⁵⁹

⁵⁸ Ohio oriental medicine practitioners are required to be certified by NCCAOM, which establishes education, experience, exam, and continuing education requirements for certification.

⁵⁹ While examination is presented in the West Virginia Code as an alternate pathway to licensure, from a practical perspective, an applicant would not be eligible to take the NCCAOM examination without completing education requirements. <https://www.nccaom.org/certification/board-examination-process/>.

Oriental Medicine Practitioner Certificate to Practice						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Continuing education	Not specified in statute ⁶⁰ (R.C. 4762.06)	N/A	N/A	N/A	2 hours of child abuse recognition and reporting training (23 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 6383]	48 hours (W. Va. Code R. 32-9-7)
Initial licensure fee	\$100 (R.C. 4762.03)	N/A	N/A	N/A	\$30 (49 Pa. Code 16.13.)	\$425 (plus \$75 application fee) (W. Va. Code R. 32-4-3)
License duration	2 years (R.C. 4762.04)	N/A	N/A	N/A	2 years (49 Pa. Code 16.13.)	2 years (W. Va. Code R. 32-4-3)
Renewal fee	\$100 (R.C. 4762.06)	N/A	N/A	N/A	\$40 (49 Pa. Code 16.13.)	\$425 (W. Va. Code R. 32-4-3)

⁶⁰ *Id.*

Radiologist assistant						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes (R.C. 4774.02)	No	Yes (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311B.090) ⁶¹	No	No	Yes, certification (W. Va. Code Ann. 30-3-7a; W. Va. Code R. 11-9)
Education or training	Have attained a baccalaureate degree or post-baccalaureate certificate from a recognized radiologist assistant program (R.C. 4774.03)	N/A	Yes ⁶²	N/A	N/A	Yes ⁶³

⁶¹ See also Kentucky Board of Medical Imaging and Radiation Therapy, *Announcements*, <https://kbmirt.ky.gov/Pages/default.aspx>.

⁶² Kentucky law does not appear to specify education requirements, but it defines radiologist assistant as “an individual certified by the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists (ARRT) as a registered radiologist assistant (R.R.A.) who works under the supervision of a radiologist, in accordance with supervision guidelines jointly established by the American College of Radiology (ACR), the American Society of Radiologic Technologists (ASRT), and ARRT. ARRT has education requirements. 201 KAR 46:010; ARRT, *REGISTERED RADIOLOGIST ASSISTANT ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS*, <https://www.arrt.org/earn-arrt-credentials/requirements/r-r-a-requirements>.

⁶³ West Virginia law does not appear to specify education requirements, but requires documentation that the applicant is currently certified by ARRT as a radiologic technologist and as a radiologist assistant. ARRT has education requirements. W. Va. Code R. 11-9-4; *REGISTERED RADIOLOGIST ASSISTANT ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS*.

Radiologist assistant						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Experience	Educational curriculum above must include a radiologist-directed clinical preceptorship (R.C. 4774.03)	N/A	Yes ⁶⁴	N/A	N/A	Yes ⁶⁵
Exam	Yes (R.C. 4774.03)	N/A	Yes ⁶⁶	N/A	N/A	Yes ⁶⁷
Continuing education	Yes, ARRT requirements (R.C. 4774.06)	N/A	Yes, likely 24 hours every two years ⁶⁸ (201 KAR 46:060)	N/A	N/A	50 hours every two years (W. Va. Code R. 11-9-15)

⁶⁴ Kentucky law does not appear to specify experience requirements, but ARRT requires clinical experience. *REGISTERED RADIOLOGIST ASSISTANT ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS*.

⁶⁵ West Virginia law does not appear to specify experience requirements, but ARRT requires clinical experience. *REGISTERED RADIOLOGIST ASSISTANT ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS*.

⁶⁶ Kentucky law does not appear to specify exam requirements, but ARRT requires passage of an exam. *REGISTERED RADIOLOGIST ASSISTANT ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS*.

⁶⁷ West Virginia law does not appear to specify exam requirements, but ARRT requires passage of an exam. *REGISTERED RADIOLOGIST ASSISTANT ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS*.

⁶⁸ Kentucky law is not entirely clear regarding continuing education for radiologist assistants, but nationally, continuing education is required by ARRT.

Radiologist assistant						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Initial licensure fee	\$200 (R.C. 4774.06)	N/A	\$100 (201 KAR 46:020)	N/A	N/A	\$100 (W. Va. Code R. 11-9-16)
License duration	2 years (R.C. 4774.04 and 4774.06)	N/A	1 year (201 KAR 46:020)	N/A	N/A	2 years (see W. Va. Code R. 11-9-15 and 16)
Renewal fee	\$200 (R.C. 4774.06 and O.A.C. 4774-1-03)	N/A	\$50 (201 KAR 46:020)	N/A	N/A	\$100 (W. Va. Code R. 11-9-16)

Genetic counselor license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan ⁶⁹	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes (R.C. 4778.02)	Yes (Ind. Code Ann. 25-17.3-4-1 and 25-17.3-5-1)	Yes (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.691)	Yes (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.17093 and 333.17095)	Yes (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 271.10c)	No

⁶⁹ Michigan's law regulating genetic counselors was enacted in 2019 and requires LARA to adopt rules specifying standards for licensure of genetic counselors. To date, those rules have yet to be finalized.

Genetic counselor license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan ⁶⁹	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Education or training	Both of the following: -- Hold a master's degree or higher from a genetic counseling graduate program accredited by the American Board of Genetic Counseling (ABGC) or a closely related field -- Be a certified genetic counselor (R.C. 4778.03)	Either of the following: -- Hold a master's degree from an accredited genetic counseling program -- Hold a doctoral degree from an accredited medical genetics program (Ind. Code Ann. 25-17.3-4-1)	Be certified by ABGC or ABMGG as a genetic counselor or medical geneticist (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.695)	Be certified by a nationally recognized certifying agency as genetic counselor or medical geneticist (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.17092)	Hold a master's degree or higher in human genetics or genetic counseling from an accredited program (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 271.10c)	N/A
Experience	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Genetic counselor license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan ⁶⁹	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Exam	Yes ⁷⁰	Yes (Ind. Code Ann. 25-17.3-4-1)	Yes ⁷¹	Yes ⁷²	Yes (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 271.10c)	N/A
Continuing education	30 hours every 2 years (R.C. 4778.06)	50 hours or completion of a reading assignment and proctored exam every 2 years (Ind. Code Ann. 25-17.3-4-6)	30 hours every 2 years (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.697)	Not specified	30 hours every 2 years (49 Pa. Code 18.709)	N/A
Initial licensure fee	\$200 (R.C. 4778.03)	\$40 (844 IAC 14-3-1)	\$150 (201 KAR 9:480)	\$284 (Mich. Comp Laws Ann. 333.16338)	\$50 (49 Pa. Code 16.13(m))	N/A
License duration	2 years (R.C. 4778.05)	2 years (Ind. Code Ann. 25-17.3-4-5)	2 years (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.697)	Not specified (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.17096)	2 years (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 271.10c)	N/A

⁷⁰Ohio, Kentucky, and Michigan law require that a genetic counselor be certified. Both the ABGC ABMGG require that an applicant pass a national certifying examination. <https://www.abgc.net/becoming-certified/> and http://www.abmgg.org/2021/cert_generalinfo.shtml.

⁷¹ *Id.*

⁷² *Id.*

Genetic counselor license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan ⁶⁹	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Renewal fee	\$150 (R.C. 4778.06)	\$30 (844 IAC 14-3-1)	\$150 (201 KAR 9:480)	\$54 per year (Mich. Comp Laws Ann. 333.16338)	\$75 (49 Pa. Code 16.13(m))	N/A

Genetic counselor supervised practice license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan ⁷³	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes (R.C. 4778.08)	Yes, referred to as a temporary license (Ind. Code Ann. 25-17.3-4-2)	Yes, referred to as a temporary license (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.695)	Yes (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.17094)	Yes, referred to as a provisional license (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 271.10c)	No

⁷³ Michigan law, effective March 28, 2019, requires LARA to adopt rules specifying standards for licensure of genetic counselors, including temporary licenses. To date, those rules have yet to be finalized.

Genetic counselor supervised practice license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan ⁷³	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Education or training	Meet both of the following: -- Hold a master's degree or higher from a genetic counseling program -- Be in active candidate status for certification as a genetic counselor (R.C. 4778.08)	Meet both of the following: -- Hold a master's degree or higher from a genetic counseling program -- Be in active candidate status for certification as a genetic counselor (Ind. Code Ann. 25-17.3-4-2)	Has been granted active candidate status by the ABGC (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.695)	Not specified	Meet both of the following: -- Hold a master's degree or higher in human genetics or genetic counseling -- Be in active candidate status for certification as a genetic counselor or medical geneticist (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 271.10c)	N/A
Experience	N/A	N/A	N/A	Not specified	N/A	N/A
Exam	N/A	N/A	N/A	Not specified	N/A	N/A
Continuing education	N/A	N/A	N/A	Not specified	N/A	N/A
Initial licensure fee	\$200 (R.C. 4778.03)	\$10 (844 IAC 14-3-1)	\$150 (201 KAR 9:480)	\$50 (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.16338)	\$50 (49 Pa. Code 16.13(m))	N/A

Genetic counselor supervised practice license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan ⁷³	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License duration	Valid for one year or until the holder receives a genetic counselor license, whichever is earlier (R.C. 4778.08)	Valid until the earliest of the following: -- The date the holder receives a genetic counselor license; -- 30 days after the holder fails the certification exam; -- The date listed on the license expires (Ind. Code Ann. 25-17.3-4-2)	Valid until the earliest of the following: -- The date the holder receives a genetic counselor license; -- 30 days after the holder fails the certification exam; -- The date listed on the license expires (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.695)	Not specified	Valid until the holder is certified or two exam cycles have passed, whichever occurs first (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 271.10c)	N/A
Renewal fee	This license may not be renewed	This license may not be renewed	This license may not be renewed	Not specified	This license may not be renewed	N/A

Genetic counselor special activity license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes (R.C. 4778.09)	No	No	No	No	No
Education or training	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Experience	Must be licensed to practice genetic counseling in another state, or if that state does not license genetic counselors, must be a certified genetic counselor -- Must have actively practiced genetic counseling for 2 years immediately preceding application (R.C. 4778.09)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Exam	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Genetic counselor special activity license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Continuing education	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Initial licensure fee	\$25 (R.C. 4778.09)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
License duration	The shorter of 30 days or the duration of the genetic counseling associated with a rare disease for which the license was issued (R.C. 4778.09)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Renewal fee	This license may not be renewed	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Genetic counselor supervised practice license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan ⁷⁴	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes (R.C. 4778.08)	Yes, referred to as a temporary license (Ind. Code Ann. 25-17.3-4-2)	Yes, referred to as a temporary license (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.695)	Yes (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.17094)	Yes, referred to as a provisional license (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 271.10c)	No
Education or training	Meet both of the following: -- Hold a master's degree or higher from a genetic counseling program -- Be in active candidate status for certification as a genetic counselor (R.C. 4778.08)	Meet both of the following: -- Hold a master's degree or higher from a genetic counseling program -- Be in active candidate status for certification as a genetic counselor (Ind. Code Ann. 25-17.3-4-2)	Has been granted active candidate status by the ABGC (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.695)	Not specified	Meet both of the following: -- Hold a master's degree or higher in human genetics or genetic counseling -- Be in active candidate status for certification as a genetic counselor or medical geneticist (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 271.10c)	N/A

⁷⁴ Michigan law, effective March 28, 2019, requires LARA to adopt rules specifying standards for licensure of genetic counselors, including temporary licenses. To date, those rules have yet to be finalized.

Genetic counselor supervised practice license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan ⁷⁴	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Experience	N/A	N/A	N/A	Not specified	N/A	N/A
Exam	N/A	N/A	N/A	Not specified	N/A	N/A
Continuing education	N/A	N/A	N/A	Not specified	N/A	N/A
Initial licensure fee	\$200 (R.C. 4778.03)	\$10 (844 IAC 14-3-1)	\$150 (201 KAR 9:480)	\$50 (Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. 333.16338)	\$50 (49 Pa. Code 16.13(m))	N/A
License duration	Valid for one year or until the holder receives a genetic counselor license, whichever is earlier (R.C. 4778.08)	Valid until the earliest of the following: -- The date the holder receives a genetic counselor license; -- 30 days after the holder fails the certification exam; -- The date listed on the license expires (Ind. Code Ann. 25-17.3-4-2)	Valid until the earliest of the following: -- The date the holder receives a genetic counselor license; -- 30 days after the holder fails the certification exam; -- The date listed on the license expires (Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. 311.695)	Not specified	Valid until the holder is certified or two exam cycles have passed, whichever occurs first (63 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. 271.10c)	N/A

Genetic counselor supervised practice license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan ⁷⁴	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
Renewal fee	This license may not be renewed	This license may not be renewed	This license may not be renewed	Not specified	This license may not be renewed	N/A

Genetic counselor special activity license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
License required?	Yes (R.C. 4778.09)	No	No	No	No	No
Education or training	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Experience	-- Must be licensed to practice genetic counseling in another state, or if that state does not license genetic counselors, must be a certified genetic counselor -- Must have actively practiced genetic counseling	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Genetic counselor special activity license						
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Michigan	Pennsylvania	West Virginia
	for 2 years immediately preceding application (R.C. 4778.09)					
Exam	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Continuing education	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Initial licensure fee	\$25 (R.C. 4778.09)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
License duration	The shorter of 30 days or the duration of the genetic counseling associated with a rare disease for which the license was issued (R.C. 4778.09)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Renewal fee	This license may not be renewed	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A