

## State of Maine Department of Professional & Financial Regulation Office of Professional & Occupational Regulation

# **INDIVIDUAL LICENSE APPLICATION**

APPLICANT INFORMATION (please print)					
FULL LEGAL NAM	E:				
FIRST	MIDDLE INITIAL	LAST			
ANY OTHER NAM	ES EVER USED:				
DATE OF BIRTH			SOCIAL SEC	URITY NUMBER	
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MAILING ADDRES	S				
CITY	STATE	ZIP	(	COUNTY	
PHONE #	FAX #		E-MAIL		
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Board of Occupational Therapy Practice					

Select license type:	ТА	Office Use Only:
Temporary Occupational Therapy Assistant (TA1421) Required fees: \$41.00 (includes criminal history)	<b>Office Use Only:</b> 1421 - \$20.00	Check #
records check fee)	2619 - \$21.00 <b>TO</b>	Amount:
	Office Use Only:	Cash #
Temporary Occupational Therapist (TO1421)	1421 - \$25.00	
Required fees: \$46.00 (includes criminal history records check fee)	2619 - \$21.00	Lic. #

Make checks payable to "Maine State Treasurer" – if you wish to pay by credit or debit card, fill out the following:

NAME OF CARDHOLDER (please print)	
ADDRESS OF CARDHOLDER (please print)	
I authorize the Department of Professional and Financial Regula Regulation to charge my card the following amount: \$ I understand that fees are non-refundable	tion, Office of Professional & Occupational
Card number:	Expiration Date /
SIGNATURE	DATE

DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL & FINANCIAL REGULATION - OFFICE OF PROFESSIONAL & OCCUPATIONAL REGULATION **Mailing Address:** 35 State House Station, Augusta, Maine 04333 **Courier/Delivery address**: 76 Northern Avenue, Gardiner, Maine 04345 Phone: (207)624-8603 (TTY users call Maine relay 711) Fax: (207) 624-8637 web: www.maine.gov/professionallicensing

#### **Frequently Asked Questions:**

- Where do I send my application? Our mailing address is 35 State House Station, Augusta, Maine 04333-0035
- Where are you located? 76 Northern Avenue, Gardiner, Maine.
- What hours are you open? Due to the Covid-19 pandemic, and until further notice, the Gardiner Annex that houses the Office of Professional and Occupational Regulation and other agencies is closed to the public. OPOR staff members work remotely from 8 am to 5 pm to review and process license applications. We advise you to mail paper applications to 35 State House Station, Augusta, ME 04333
- Can I come to Gardiner to drop off my application? No, the Gardiner Annex is closed to the public until further notice due to the Covid-19 pandemic. Please mail your paper application to our mailing address-35 State House Station, Augusta, ME 04333
- Can I come to Gardiner to pick up my license? No. Your license will be emailed to you.

What if I have other questions? Visit our website at: <u>http://www.maine.gov/pfr/professionallicensing/</u> professions/occupational/ or contact the office at Tel. 207-624-8603 or e-mail: <u>occ.board@maine.gov</u>

#### NOTICES

BACKGROUND CHECK: Pursuant to 5 M.R.S.A. §5301 - 5303, the State of Maine is granted the authority to take into consideration an applicant's criminal history record. The Office of Professional & Occupational Regulation requires a criminal history records check as part of the application process for all applicants.

PUBLIC RECORD: This application is a public record for purposes of the Maine Freedom of Access Law (1 MRSA §401 et seq). Public records must be made available to any person upon request. This application for licensure is a public record and information supplied as part of the application (other than social security number and credit card information) is public information. Other licensing records to which this information may later be transferred will also be considered public records. Names, license numbers and mailing addresses listed on or submitted as part of this application will be available to the public and may be posted on our website.

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: The following statement is made pursuant to the Privacy Act of 1974 ( $\S7(B)$ ). Disclosure of your Social Security Number Is mandatory. Solicitation of your Social Security Number is solely for tax administration purposes, pursuant to 35 MRSA \$175 as authorized by the Tax Reform Act of 1975 (42 USC \$405(C)(2)(C)(1)). Your Social Security Number will be disclosed to the State Tax Assessor or an authorized agent for use in determining filing obligations and tax liability pursuant to Title 36 of the Maine Revised Statutes. No further use will be made of your Social Security Number and it shall be treated as confidential tax information pursuant to 36 MRSA \$191.

#### Before you seal the envelope, did you:

- Complete every item on the application
- Sign and date your application
- Include correct amount (payable to Maine State Treasurer) *or* credit card information (plus signature)
- Include any required transcripts or exam results
- Make a copy of your application to keep for your records
- DO NOT SEND CASH.

Credentialing History			
Have you ever held a professional license/certification/registration in this or any other state/country?	[]YES[]NO		
Has any jurisdiction taken disciplinary action against any professional license you hold or have held, or denied your application for licensure?	[]YES []NO		
If yes:			

## **Background Check Notice**

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# Affirmation

By my signature, I hereby certify that the information provided on this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief. By submitting this application, I affirm that the Office of Professional and Occupational Regulation will rely upon this information for issuance of my license and that this information is truthful and factual. I also understand that sanctions may be imposed including denial, fines, suspension or revocation of my license if this information is found to be false.

SIGNATURE: DATE:

# Please read the laws governing the licensure and practice of occupational therapy prior to submitting your application. These are available at the following website:

#### http://www.maine.gov/pfr/professionallicensing/professions/occupational/laws.htm

A temporary license may be granted to a person who has completed the education and experience requirements. This temporary license allows the person to practice occupational therapy under the supervision of a licensed occupational therapist. If you have passed the certification exam, you are not eligible for temporary licensure.

#### Licensure as an Temporary Occupational Therapy Assistant

- Completed application;
- Payment of \$20.00 license fee;
- Payment of \$21.00 criminal history records check fee;
- Official confirmation of exam registration from NBCOT;
- Official Transcript or completed verification of education form (see page 5);
- Completed verification of supervision form (see page 6); and
- Verification of licensure for each license you hold or have held (see verification of license instructions on page 7).

#### Licensure as an Temporary Occupational Therapist

- Completed application;
- Payment of \$25.00 license fee;
- Payment of \$21.00 criminal history records check fee;
- Official confirmation of exam registration from NBCOT;
- Official Transcript or completed verification of education form (see page 5);
- Completed verification of supervision form (see page 6); and
- Verification of licensure for each license you hold or have held (see verification of license instructions on page 7).

#### **Requirements for change of status, Occupational Therapy Assistant**

- Completed application for permanent licensure;
- Payment of \$30.00 license fee;
- Official Transcript, if not previously submitted;
- Official score report from NBCOT (only for applicants applying within 3 months of having passed the exam) **or** official verification of certification form from NBCOT;
- Completed verification of supervision form (see page 6); and
- Verification of licensure for each license you hold or have held (see verification of license instructions on page 7).

#### **Requirements for change of status, Occupational Therapist**

- Completed application for permanent licensure;
- Payment of \$35.00 occupational therapist license fee; or
- Official Transcript, if not previously submitted;
- Official score report from NBCOT (only for applicants applying within 3 months of having passed the exam) **or** official verification of certification form from NBCOT; and
- Verification of licensure for each license you hold or have held (see verification of license instructions on page 7).



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## VERIFICATION OF EDUCATION FORM

This verification form must be completed by an appropriate official (Dean or Director) from the educational institution where the applicant received the occupational therapy degree. If the institution does not use a school seal, the official signing the verification must sign in the presence of a Notary Public. After completion, please mail this document directly to the Maine Board of Occupational Therapy at the above address.

I hereby certify	has completed all didactic and				
I hereby certify has completed all didactic and (Name, please print) clinical education requirements of the Occupational Therapy Program on the					
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Occupational Therapy or Occupational Therapy Ass (circle one)	istant onday				
of20by:					
Name of Educational Institution					
Street					
City State Zip					
Signature     Title					
	DATE				
Print Name Here Telephone Numb	er				
If a Notary Public is used in place of a school seal, this statement must be completed:					
Subscribed and sworn to before me thisda	ıy of20				
Signature of Notary Public					
My Commission Expires:	SEAL				



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# **VERIFICATION OF SUPERVISION FORM**

All OTA and Temporary OT/OA applicants must practice under the supervision of a Maine licensed OT. A license cannot be issued until the form signed by both the applicant and the supervising OT is received by the Board.

Please provide a separate form for each practice setting.

Name of Applicant:				
Name of Practice Setting:				
Address:				
City:	State:		Zip Code:	
By signing this form, I understand that, upon licensure, it is my responsibility to obtain supervision and to practice occupational therapy pursuant to the laws of the State of Maine and all rules of the Board of Occupational Therapy Practice. I also understand that if this supervisory relationship changes, it is my responsibility to notify the Board within ten (10) days of the change.				
Signature of Applicant:		Date:		
Name of Supervisor:		Maine License Num	ber:	
By signing this form, I agree that, upon licensure of the above named applicant, I will provide supervision pursuant to the laws of the State of Maine and all rules of the Board of Occupational Therapy Practice. Further, I understand that I am legally and ethically responsible for the professional activities for this and other occupational therapy assistant(s) and/or temporary occupational therapist(s) under my supervision. I also understand that if this supervisory relationship changes, it is my responsibility to notify the Board within ten (10) days of the change.				
Signature of Supervisor:		Date:		

# VERIFICATION OF LICENSURE

If you hold or have held a professional license in another state or jurisdiction, you must submit evidence from the State of licensure in the form of a License Verification.

Please contact the state of licensure to request an official License Verification. At a minimum, the license verification must contain:

Name of State providing the License Verification Your name License number and expiration date Status of your license i.e. active, inactive, lapsed, probation, restricted, suspended, revoked Type of license issued to you Date your license was issued Disciplinary action(s) against your license, if any

Please direct the licensing jurisdiction to send the License Verification report to you directly and in turn you must submit this verification with your completed Maine application.

You may also obtain an electronically produced License Verification directly from the State Board website. For electronic License Verifications please be sure that it contains the State web -address, date the License Verification was printed, and any indication of disciplinary history, e.g. no discipline or discipline. If discipline is indicated, please submit a copy of the discipline imposed such as the Board Order or Agreement.

A copy of your license is not acceptable as a license verification.