

Professional Licensure and Certification Information

Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN)

Upon completion of the program, University of North Georgia graduates will have **satisfied all educational requirements** and be eligible to **sit for the NCLEX-RN exam**. After passing the NCLEX, graduates can submit credentials **to a state nursing board for licensure** in the state they intend to legally reside and/or practice.

The State of Georgia is a member of the Nurse License Compact (NLC), which allows graduates who pass the NCLEX-RN exam to apply for one multi-state license with the privilege to practice in states that belong to the compact.

Professional Licensure Disclosure, By State

The following chart shows locations where the UNG program meets, or does not meet, the educational requirements for RN licensure.

State	Meets	Does Not Meet
Alabama	Yes	
Alaska	Yes	
Arizona	Yes	
Arkansas	Yes	
California	Yes	
Colorado	Yes	
Connecticut	Yes	
Delaware	Yes	
District of Columbia	Yes	
Florida	Yes	
Georgia	Yes	
Hawaii	Yes	
Idaho	Yes	
Illinois	Yes	
Indiana	Yes	
Iowa	Yes	
Kansas	Yes	
Kentucky	Yes	
Louisiana	Yes	

Maine	Yes	
Maryland	Yes	
Massachusetts	Yes	
Michigan	Yes	
Minnesota	Yes	
Mississippi	Yes	
Missouri	Yes	
Montana	Yes	
Nebraska	Yes	
Nevada	Yes	
New Hampshire	Yes	
New Jersey	Yes	
New Mexico	Yes	
New York	Yes	
North Carolina	Yes	
North Dakota	Yes	
Ohio	Yes	
Oklahoma	Yes	
Oregon	Yes	
Pennsylvania	Yes	
Rhode Island	Yes	
South Carolina	Yes	
South Dakota	Yes	
Tennessee	Yes	
Texas	Yes	
Utah	Yes	
Vermont	Yes	
Virginia	Yes	
Washington	Yes	
West Virginia	Yes	
Wisconsin	Yes	
Wyoming	Yes	
Guam		X
Puerto Rico		X
American Samoa		X
US Virgin Islands		X
CNMI		X

Out-of-State Student Information

If this UNG degree program you intend to enroll in does not meet the licensure or certification requirements in your home state (see the Professional Licensure Disclosure chart), there are two options:

- Sign the UNG attestation letter that you do not intend to return to your home state after graduation and will seek licensure/employment in a state that licensure requirements are met.
- Attend an institution in your home state.

Go to the [State Authorizations page](#) for attestation letter details.

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National Council of State Boards of Nursing

Learn more about NCLEX and the National Council of State Boards of Nursing.

- [NCLEX Exam Process](#)
- [Nurse Practice Act: Specific jurisdiction's rules, by state](#)
- [Global Regulatory Atlas](#)

Nurse Licensure Compact (NLC)

The state of Georgia participates in the Nurse Licensure Compact (NLC). The NLC allows RNs to apply for one multi-state license with the privilege to practice in other NLC states. You may only hold a compact license if you legally declare residency in a compact state.

- [NLC Frequently Asked Questions](#)
- [Map of Participating NLC Jurisdictions \(PDF\)](#)
- [New Nursing Graduates & the NLC](#)

Discipline-Specific Accreditation or Approval Agency

The University of North Georgia's nursing program is accredited by the [Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing \(ACEN\)](#).

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