Virginia Beach School of Practical Nursing

Student Attestation Form for Professional Licensure

Virginia Residents

Students who intend to seek licensure and employment in a different state may be eligible for enrollment at Virginia Beach School of Practical Nursing, providing that their chosen program meets the educational requirements for licensure in that different state and provided that they submit a formal Student Attestation.

Student Information:

- **Name:** _____
- **Legal State of Residence: Virginia**
- **Intended State of Licensure and Employment:** _____

Licensure in Virginia

VBSPN meets all Virginia Board of Nursing curriculum requirements, including a minimum of 400 direct patient care hours. Graduates are eligible to apply to take the National Council Licensure Examination – Practical Nurse (NCLEX-PN) for licensure in Virginia. VBSPN only accepts applicants who are residents of Virginia (allows an exception for military dependent spouses).

State Authorization and Professional Licensure

The purpose of this Student Attestation is to ensure compliance with Federal regulations 34 CFR § 668.43. Licensure requirements vary by state and territory. VBSPN has **not determined** if its curriculum meets requirements outside of Virginia. Currently, 43 jurisdictions are part of the Nurse Licensure Compact (NLC), meaning a nurse who lives in a compact state can apply for a multistate license if they meet the licensure requirements (i.e. criminal background check, valid social security number, etc). The following jurisdictions are either pending, partial or awaiting implementation: AK, CT, HI, IL, MI, MN, NY, NV, RI, Washington DC, Guam, and the Virgin Islands. At this time, American Samoa, California, and the Northern Mariana Islands, have elected not to participate in NLC. Students should contact the state board of nursing of interest for the most up-to-date information:

- NCSBN State BON Directory
- Nurse Licensure Compact Information

Attestation Statement:

- Educational Goal: The student intends to graduate from Virginia Beach School of Practical Nursing with a certificate of completion.
- Intended State for Licensure/Employment: The student affirms that upon completion of this program, the student intends to seek professional licensure and employment as a Licensed Practical Nurse in the state of _____.
- The student understands this attestation is required because licensure is sought outside their state of residence of Virginia.
- By signing, the student affirms their plan to seek licensure and employment in the intended state upon program completion and understands that this attestation allows enrollment despite their current state's requirements. Please note that this information does not account for changes in state laws or regulations related to licensure or certification that occur after this disclosure has been made. Continue to stay abreast of information by regularly reviewing the Board of Nursing of your intended state of licensure and employment.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Nursing Director Signature: _____ Date: _____