

Fees

This table lists the various fees associated with National Board Certification. Fees are assessed and displayed in your National Board account. **You are responsible for completing purchases and ensuring all selected components are paid, regardless of fee support.**

Fee Type	Details	Amount	2025-26 Deadline	2026-27 Deadline
Registration fee	Required when you register to purchase components for an assessment cycle. You will not be able to select a component without payment of this nonrefundable and nontransferable fee.	\$75	No later than February 28, 2026	No later than February 28, 2027
Component 2-4 Fee	Required for each attempt (initial and retake) of all portfolio components.	\$475 per component	February 28, 2026	February 28, 2027
Component 1 Fee (first attempt)	Required for the Content Knowledge assessment.	\$475	February 28, 2026	February 28, 2027
Component 1 Retake Fee	Required for each portion of Component 1 that you elect to retake.	\$125 per exercise and/or the Selected Response section	February 28, 2026	February 28, 2027
Component 1 Reauthorization Fee	If you miss your assessment center testing appointment or do not cancel within 24 hours, you must be reinstated before you can schedule a new appointment.	\$175	At the time of request – this service will be completed after receipt of payment.	At the time of request – this service will be completed after receipt of payment.

The National Board reserves the right to change the fees stated above.