

NC BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY EXAMINERS

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North Carolina Board of Physical Therapy Examiners

Fiscal Year 2023
July 1, 2022 - June 30, 2023

| 93B 2 (a) | Information requested | NCBPTE Response |
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| (1) | The address of the board, and the names of its members and officers. | See attached – Attachment 1 |
| (1a) | <p>The total number of licensees supervised by the board:</p> <p>(listed below all have the same privileges and responsibilities as a licensee)</p> <p>Licensees PT Compact Privilege holders Military privilege holders Military Permits</p> | <p>Total number of both PT and PTA licensees with an “active” license: 14,622</p> <p>Total number of PT/PTA PT Compact Privilege holders: 435</p> <p>Total number of PT/PTA Military privilege holders: 3</p> <p>Total number of PT/PTA Military Permits: 14</p> |
| (2) | The number of persons who applied to the board for examination | 446 |
| (3) | The number who were refused examination | 0 |
| (4) | The number who took the examination. | 748 |
| (5) | The number to whom initial licenses were issued. | 628 |
| (5a) | The number who failed the examination. | 159 |
| (6) | The number who applied for license by reciprocity or comity. | 554 |
| (7) | The number who were granted licenses by reciprocity or comity. | 596 |
| (7a) | The number of official complaints received involving licensed and unlicensed activities | Total number of complaints: 50 |
| (7b) | The number of disciplinary actions taken against licensees, or other actions taken against non-licensees, including injunctive relief. | Disciplinary Actions: 2 Other actions: 0 |
| (8) | The number of licenses suspended or revoked. | Licenses suspended or revoked: 1 |

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| (9) | The number of licenses terminated for any reason other than failure to pay the required renewal fee. (Including: revocation and voluntarily surrendered licenses) | Number of licenses terminated (including revocation and voluntary surrenders): 0 |
| (9a) | The number of applicants for a license and, of that number, the number granted a license. (Includes: Military privileges – Public Law No: 117-333 Military permits 93B-15.1 | Applicants for Licensure: 1,000 Number granted a license: 821 Applicants for Military Privileges: 6 Number granted a license: 4 Applicants for Military Permits: 44 Number granted a license: 43 (of the 43 - 33 became licensed) |
| (9b) | The number of applicants with a conviction record and, of that number, the number granted a license, denied a license for any reason, and denied a license because of a conviction. | Applicants with conviction record: 37 Number granted a license: Number denied a license for any reason: 0 Number denied a license because of conviction: 0 |
| (9c) | The number of applicants who are active-duty military or military veterans, the number granted a license, the number denied a license for any reason, and a summary of the reasons for denial. The information provided in accordance with this subdivision shall not disclose any identifying information of any applicant. | Active Military applicants: 11 Granted a license: 5 Denied a license: 0 Military Veteran applicants: 27 Granted a license: 22 Denied a license: 0 Military trained veterans applicants: 0 Granted a license: 0 Denied a license: 0 |
| (9d) | The number of applicants who are military spouses (or military veteran spouses), the number granted a license, the number denied a license for any reason, and a summary of the reasons for denial. The information provided in accordance with this subdivision shall not disclose any identifying information of any applicant. | Military spouse applicants: 46 Military spouse granted license: 37 Denied a license: 0 Reason for denial: N/A Military veteran spouse applicants: 17 Military veteran spouses granted license: 16 Denied a license: 0 Reason for denial: N/A |
| (10) | The substance of any anticipated request by the occupational licensing board to the General Assembly to amend statutes related to the occupational licensing board. | NONE |

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| (11) | The substance of any anticipated change in rules adopted by the occupational licensing board or the substance of any anticipated adoption of new rules by the occupational licensing board. | NONE |
| 93B-2(e) | | |
| (1) | The number of applicants for a license and, of that number, the number granted a license. Military privilege holders Military Permits | Applicants for a license: 1,000 Number granted a license: 821 Military Applicants for privilege: 6 Number granted a privilege: 4 Military Applicants for a permit: 44 Number granted a permit: 43 (of the 43 - 33 became licensed) |
| (2) | The number of applicants with a conviction record and, of that number, the number granted a license, denied a license for any reason, and denied a license because of a conviction | Applicants with conviction record: 37 Number granted a license: Number denied a license for any reason: 0 Number denied a license because of conviction: 0 |
| (3) | The number of applicants who are active duty military or military veterans, the number granted a license, the number denied a license for any reason, and a summary of the reasons for denial. The information provided in accordance with this subdivision shall not disclose any identifying information of any applicant. | Active Military applicants: 11 Granted a license: 5 Denied a license: 0 Military Veteran applicants: 27 Granted a license: 22 Denied a license: 0 Military trained veterans applicants: 0 Granted a license: 0 Denied a license: 0 |
| (4) | The number of applicants who are military spouses (or military veteran spouses), the number granted a license, the number denied a license for any reason, and a summary of the reasons for denial. The information provided in accordance with this subdivision shall not disclose any identifying information of any applicant. (1957, c. 1377, s. 2; 1969, c. 42; 2006-70, s. 1; 2007-323, s. 23.2; 2009-125, s. 2; 2011-291, ss. 2.19, 2.20; 2014-120, s. 4; 2019, s. 3; 2020-87, s. 2(a)) | Military spouse applicants: 46 Military Spouse granted License: 37 Denied a license: 0 Reason for denial: N/A Military veteran spouse applicants: 17 Military Veteran spouses granted License: 16 Denied a license: 0 Reason for denial: N/A |

*Upon application and with qualifying credentials and an active license in another state, military members (military trained, active duty, veterans and active-duty spouses and veteran spouses) are granted either a military privilege via Section 19 of the Veterans Auto and Education Improvement Act of 2022 Public Law No: 117-333 or a military permit (veteran and veteran spouses) per NCGS 93B-15.11.

Attachment 1

NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY EXAMINERS – effective 10/11/2023

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