

## New Hampshire

### Processing time

Table NH1 describes application processing times, portrays whether temporary or provisional licenses were granted, and lists if military spouse applications were expedited. Processing time information was available for two of the examined boards in New Hampshire. Dental Hygiene and Pharmacy Technician boards met the DoD's goal of granting a license within 30 days.

**Table NH1**  
*New Hampshire Application Processing Times*

	Processing time		Temporary/ Provisional	Expedited for military spouses
Accounting				
Cosmetology				
Dental Hygiene	•		•	
Massage Therapy				
Pharmacy Technician	•			
Teacher				

Legend	
•	Military spouses can work within 30 days
▲	License processing takes over 30 days
-	Variable processing time
✓	Board approves applications at board meetings
▷	Expedited for military spouses
★	Applicable if spouse has an employment offer
	Data unknown

Note: Temporary/Provisional column is marked when these licenses are issued by a board.

### Documentation requirements

Tables NH2 and NH3 display the documents that are needed by each board and should be viewed together to determine a board's paperwork requirements. The majority of the New Hampshire boards that were examined required proof that the applicant holds an occupational license in another state. The amount of documentation required by boards varies; for example, Dental Hygiene applicants must submit 11 documents, and Pharmacy Technicians are only required to submit one.

**Table NH2**  
*New Hampshire Documentation Requirements*

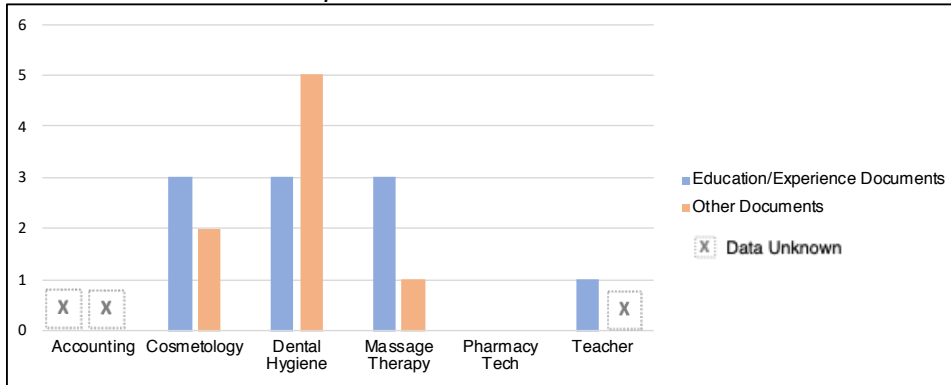
	Previous license	Background check	National exam results	State/Regional exam results
Accounting			•	
Cosmetology	•	N/A		
Dental Hygiene	•		•	•
Massage Therapy	•		•	
Pharmacy Technician	•			
Teacher (Education)	•			

Legend	
•	Documentation must be submitted with application
	Not required to be submitted
N/A	Not applicable
	Data unknown

Note: Cosmetology boards did not require applicants to submit background checks or clearance information, so these data were not collected.

**Table NH3**

*Number of Education/Experience Documents or Other Documents*



Note: "Other documents" include documents such as a driver's license, marriage license, or military ID card. Dental Hygiene "other documents" also include medical-related documents, such as CPR certification, radiation safety training, or a malpractice insurance letter; thus, these numbers may be higher than in other occupations.

**Application Process**

Table NH4 presents key elements of the application process. The majority of the examined boards in New Hampshire defined the application process and provided clear instructions.

**Table NH4**

*New Hampshire Application Process*

	Process was defined	Instructions were clear	Number of steps to complete
Accounting			1-3
Cosmetology	•	•	4-6
Dental Hygiene	•	•	4-6
Massage Therapy	•	•	more than 7
Pharmacy Technician	•	•	more than 7
Teacher (Education)	•	•	1-3

Legend	
•	The board meets the listed criteria
	Data unknown or cannot access the information

**Information Accessibility**

Figure NH1 illustrates how easily one can locate specific licensing information that pertained to military spouses on examined occupational board websites. See page 38 for information on how this result was determined.

**Figure NH1**

*State-Wide Website Information Accessibility*

