

Professional Licensure/Certification Enrolled Student Disclosure

Some undergraduate and graduate students enrolled in certain programs that lead to professional licensure/certification are receiving consumer protection information to support their career planning. The disclosure is distributed via email each March and September and whenever some students enrolled in certain programs change their permanent address to a different state, or in some cases when a state licensing board revises its professional licensing requirements.

Why Are Students Contacting You?



Some students enrolled in certain programs receive the following email:

Subject Line: Professional Licensure/Certification Disclosure

Based on the location you provided to Penn State as your permanent address, Penn State has evaluated the educational requirements of the licensing board in that state for the program you selected.

We have either:

- Determined that the program's curriculum does not meet the state licensing board educational requirements for employment in the state you provided as your permanent address, or
- Not made a determination whether the program's curriculum meets the state licensing board educational requirements for employment in the state you provided as your permanent address.

It's important to understand this information and how it could impact you as you plan for your career. If you plan to pursue employment in a licensed profession, please visit the *Professional Licensure/Certification Disclosures by State** interactive map for additional information and contact your academic adviser as soon as possible.

***Web page link: <https://psu.edu/state-licensure-disclosures>**

How to Respond to Student Inquiries

If students plan to pursue employment in a licensed profession, it's important for them to understand how state licensing board requirements may impact their career. **Students with questions or concerns should contact their academic department for assistance.**



For additional information about Professional Licensure/Certification, faculty and staff members can visit the OPAIR PLC web page at: <https://opair.psu.edu/plc/>