

<i>Official Use Only</i>
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Date Approved/Denied: _____
Approved/Denied By: _____

Certified Social Worker

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Full Legal Name: _____
First Middle Last

All Previous Legal Names: _____

Other DOPL Licenses Held: _____

SSN: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Gender: Male Female

Address: _____
Street Address (including Apt/Unit/Ste #) and/or PO Box

City State ZIP Code

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Please Select ONE:

- I am a United States citizen OR a non-citizen of the United States who is lawfully present.
- I am a foreign national not physically present in the United States.
- None of the above, please explain: _____

**Drivers License
or State ID Card**

State of Issue License Number Expiration Date

NOTE: If you do not hold a US Drivers License or a US State ID, you must present a legible copy of your current and valid government issued document(s) showing evidence of authorization to work in the United States.

AFFIDAVIT AND RELEASE

1. I certify that I am qualified in all respects for the license for which I am applying in this application.
2. I certify that to the best of my knowledge, the information contained in the application and all supporting document(s) are true and correct, discloses all material facts regarding the applicant, and that I will update or correct the application as necessary, prior to any action on my application.
3. I authorize all persons, organizations, governmental agencies, or any others not specifically listed, which are set forth directly or by reference in this application, to release to the Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing, State of Utah, any files, records, or information of any type reasonably required for the Division to properly evaluate my qualifications for licensure/certification/registration by the State of Utah.
4. I understand that it is the continuing responsibility of applicants and licensees to read, understand, and apply the requirements contained in all statutes and rules pertaining to the occupation or profession for which I am applying, and that failure to do so may result in civil, administrative, or criminal sanctions.
5. I certify that I do not currently pose a direct threat to myself, to my clients, or to the public health, safety or welfare because of any circumstance or condition.
6. I understand that I am responsible to update the Division of any changes relating to my license/certification/registration.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date _____

QUALIFYING QUESTIONNAIRE

Read thoroughly, and answer each question. Do not leave any question blank.

A "yes" answer does not necessarily mean you will not be granted a license; however, DOPL may request additional documentation if the information submitted is insufficient.

1. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Have you ever had a license, certificate, permit, or registration to practice a regulated profession denied, conditioned, curtailed, limited, restricted, suspended, revoked, reprimanded, or disciplined in any way?
2. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Have you ever been permitted to resign or surrender your license, certificate, permit, or registration to practice in a regulated profession while under investigation or while action was pending against you by any professional licensing agency or criminal or administrative jurisdiction?
3. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Are you currently under investigation or is any disciplinary action pending against you now by any <i>local, state or federal licensing, enforcement or regulatory agency</i> ?
4. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Have you ever been declared by any court to be incompetent by reason of mental defect or disease and not restored?
5. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Have you ever had a documented case in which you were involved as the abuser in any incident of verbal, physical, mental, or sexual abuse?
6. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Have you been terminated, suspended, reprimanded, sanctioned, or asked to leave voluntarily from a position because of drug or alcohol use or abuse within the past five (5) years?
7. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Are you currently using or have you recently (<i>within 90 days</i>) used any drugs (<i>including recreational drugs</i>) without a valid prescription, the possession or distribution of which is unlawful under applicable state or federal laws?
8. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Have you ever unlawfully used any drugs for which you have not successfully completed, or are not now participating in a supervised drug rehabilitation program, or for which you have not otherwise been successfully rehabilitated?
9. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Do you currently have any criminal action pending?*
10. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Have you pled guilty to, no contest to, entered into a plea in abeyance or been convicted of a misdemeanor in any jurisdiction within the past ten (10) years? *
11. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Have you ever pled guilty to, no contest to, or been convicted of a felony in any jurisdiction?*
12. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Have you ever been incarcerated for any reason in any correctional facility (<i>domestic or foreign</i>) in any jurisdiction or on probation/parole in any jurisdiction?*

***NOTE: Charges that were later dismissed and motor vehicle offenses such as driving while impaired or intoxicated must be disclosed; however, minor traffic offenses such as parking or speeding violations need not be listed.**

If you answered "Yes" to any of the above questions, enclose with this application complete information with respect to all circumstances and the final result, if such has been reached.

If you answered "Yes" to Questions 9,10,11 or 12 you must submit the following for **EACH** and **EVERY** incident:

- Personal account of the incident
- police report(s)
- court record(s)
- probation/parole officer report(s)

If you are unable to obtain any of the records required above, you must submit documentation on official letterhead from the police department and/or court indicating that the information is no longer available.

PROFESSIONAL LICENSES

List all other licenses, registrations or certification issued by any state which you now hold or have ever held in any profession. (*Use additional sheets if necessary.*)

Profession: _____ License Number: _____

Issuing State: _____ License Status: _____ Issue Date: _____

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EXAM REQUIREMENTS

Select one:

- I have passed the ASWB Masters Exam for Utah.
- I have passed the ASWB Clinical Exam for Utah
- I have passed either the ASWB Masters or Clinical Exam in another state.

State: _____ **Exam Date:** _____

MEDICAL QUALIFYING QUESTIONNAIRE

Read thoroughly, and answer each question. Do not leave any question blank.

A "yes" answer does not necessarily mean you will not be granted a license; however, DOPL may request additional documentation if the information submitted is insufficient.

1. Have your rights, privileges, and/or participation ever been denied, conditioned, curtailed, limited, restricted, suspended or revoked in any way by:

- Yes No a hospital or health care facility
- Yes No Medicaid, Medicare or any other state or federal health care payment reimbursement program
- Yes No the Federal Drug Enforcement Administration or any state drug enforcement agency
- Yes No malpractice insurance coverage
- Yes No other entity: _____

2. Have you ever been permitted to resign or surrender any rights, privileges and/or participation while under investigation or while action was pending against you from:

- Yes No a hospital or health care facility
- Yes No Medicaid, Medicare or any other state or federal health care payment reimbursement program
- Yes No the Federal Drug Enforcement Administration or any state drug enforcement agency
- Yes No malpractice insurance coverage
- Yes No other entity: _____

3. Is any action pending against you now by:

- Yes No a hospital or health care facility
- Yes No Medicaid, Medicare or any other state or federal health care payment reimbursement program
- Yes No the Federal Drug Enforcement Administration or any state drug enforcement agency
- Yes No malpractice insurance coverage
- Yes No other entity: _____

4. Yes No Have you been named as a defendant in a malpractice suit?

5. Yes No Have you ever had office monitoring, practice curtailments, individual surcharge assessments based upon specific claims history, or other limitation, restrictions or conditions imposed by any malpractice carrier?

If you answered "**Yes**" to question 4 you must submit a complete narrative of the circumstances and a National Practitioner Data Bank report outlining all professional liability claims made against your license and any settlements paid by or on your behalf. *NPDB website: <http://www.npdb.hrsa.gov>.*

If you answered "**Yes**" to any of the above questions, enclose with this application complete information with respect to all circumstances and the final result, if such has been reached.

Verification of Active Practice as an CSW

*For endorsement applicants only.
Each employer must complete a separate form.*

APPLICANT INFORMATION

To be completed by the applicant.

Full Legal Name: _____
First Middle Last

Mailing Address: _____
Street/PO Box City State/Zip

License Number: _____ **State of Issue:** _____

EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION

To be completed by the Employer or Human Resources.

Name of Establishment: _____

Establishment Address: _____
Street/PO Box City State/Zip

Telephone Number _____ **Email:** _____

Dates of Employment: _____ to _____
MM/DD/YYYY MM/DD/YYYY

How many hours did the applicant work per week? _____

Number of hours practicing mental health therapy: _____

Total number of hours practiced as an CSW: _____

Describe the applicant's duties: _____

Was the applicant a W-2 employee or contracted labor? _____

Is the applicant still employed? Yes No

If no, is the applicant re-hirable? Yes No: **Please explain:** _____

I do hereby certify that the applicant for licensure as a certified social worker was actively engaged in the lawful practice as a CSW at the above named establishment for the number listed.

I further certify that the applicant is qualified and competent to practice as a licensed certified social worker.

Signature of Supervisor: _____ **Date:** _____

Relationship to Applicant: _____

APPLICATION CHECKLIST AND INSTRUCTIONS

This checklist is for your convenience, you do not need to include it with your application.

NOTE: Incomplete applications will be denied.

Your application is classified as a public record and may be available for inspection by the public, except with regard to the release of information which is sub-classified as controlled, private, or protected under the Government Records Access and Management Act or restricted by other law.

The following items are required to complete your application:

- \$120.00 non-refundable application-processing fee, made payable to DOPL.
- Supporting documentation for any “yes” answers provided on either of the qualifying questionnaires. See page 2 and 3 of the application for more information.
- If you applied for exam approval from ASWB in your last semester and provided a letter from your school in lieu of transcripts showing your degree, you must submit official transcripts documenting completion of your master’s degree. **Note:** Transcripts are considered “official” when they are sent directly from the school to DOPL or sealed in an envelope bearing the school’s stamp/seal on the envelope flap.

LICENSURE BY ENDORSEMENT

If you are currently licensed as the equivalent of a certified social worker in another state, and have been engaged in lawful practice for not less than 4,000 hours, of which at least 1,000 hours are in mental health therapy, you may apply for **Licensure by Endorsement**. *In addition* to the items required by all applicants, you must submit the following:

- Official verification of license from one or more states in which you are currently licensed. Verifications must cover the time period used to qualify for endorsement outlined above.
- Official verification of passing the ASWB Exam. This may be included on the official verification above or from ASWB directly.
- Verification of Active Practice as a CSW. See page 4 of this application. **NOTE:** *You must have each employer complete a separate form, and the hours from all forms must total 4,000.*

Submit the above items with your completed application to:

In person or via express delivery:

Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing
Heber M Wells Building, 1st Floor Lobby
160 E 300 S
Salt Lake City, UT 84111

US Postal Service:

Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing
PO BOX 146741
Salt Lake City, UT 84114-6741

If you have questions, please contact the Division via our direct email address, doplureau3@utah.gov, or via the phone or fax listed below.