



Physicians with Postgraduate Training taken in a country other than the United States or Canada in a specialty recognized by the RCPSC, but who are not eligible to challenge the certification examinations of the RCPSC

This section applies to physicians who:

- a) have International Postgraduate Training in a Specialty recognized by the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada;
- b) do not have a ruling from the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada that they are eligible to challenge the Royal College examination;
and,
- c) do not qualify for a provisional licence on the basis that they currently hold a licence to practise medicine in Canada.

To qualify for a provisional licence, such a physician must:

- a) Demonstrate that the physician meets the requirements that apply to all applicants for licensure;
 - English Language Proficiency*, and
 - Credential Verification*, and
 - Examinations, and
 - Currency Of Practice, and
 - Good Character, and
 - Good Standing;

(Please see the requirements page for details regarding the above points)

and,

- b) Have successfully completed a residency program including at least 4 years of discipline-specific postgraduate training;
and,
- c) Have obtained certification in their specialty if such certification is available in their country of training;
and,
- d) Have received an independent or full licence or certificate to practise without restrictions in their country of training;
and,
- e) Have been successful in an assessment which demonstrates to the satisfaction of the Council that the applicant has appropriate skill, knowledge and suitability to enter into a supervised practise in their specialty.

Conditions related to provisional licensure for Physicians with International Postgraduate Training in a Specialty Recognized by the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada but who are not eligible to challenge the certification examinations of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada:

- a) The physician must successfully practise with a supervisor for a period of at least one year in Saskatchewan;
and,
- b) If the physician has not met the requirements for a regular licence and is not practising under supervision, or the supervision does not comply with the requirements for supervision established by the Council, the Registrar will notify the physician of the Registrar's intention to suspend the physician's licence. The Registrar may suspend the physician's licence if the physician is not practising under supervision within 15 days after notice is given;
and,
- c) The physician must successfully complete an assessment which demonstrates to the satisfaction of the Council that the applicant has appropriate skill, knowledge or suitability to practise independently;
and,
- d) The physician's licence will automatically be revoked and cease to be valid if the physician fails to successfully complete the supervised practice or the assessment.

** Required if you are a physician with a foreign medical degree.*