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License Renewal and Change of Status Requirements

To maintain an active license all Naturopathic physicians licensed under ORS Chapter 685, must annually complete a renewal application furnished by the Board. Specific requirements for renewal, to change a license status, reactivate or restore a license are as follows:

(1) Renewal of an active or inactive license:
   (a) Complete a renewal application furnished by the Board;
   (b) Pay renewal fee per 850-030-0035;
   (c) Report to the Board completion of CE, as required under OAR 850-040-0210.

(2) Renewal of a certificate to practice natural childbirth:
   (a) Report to the Board completion at least 14 hours of CE in obstetrics
   (b) Provide proof of current certification in neonatal resuscitation.
   (c) Pay annual renewal fee for a certificate of special competency in natural childbirth per OAR 850-030-0035.

(3) Change license status from active to inactive:
   (a) Complete a change of status application furnished by the Board;
   (b) Pay change of status fee per OAR 850-030-0035;
   (c) Report to the Board completion of CE, as required for an active license under OAR 850-040-0210.

(4) Change license status from inactive or active to retired, or renew a retired status license:
   (a) Complete a change of status application or renewal application furnished by the Board,
   (b) Pay change of status fee or annual renewal fee for a retired license per OAR 850-030-0035.

(5) Reactivate a license from inactive to active status:
   (a) Complete the reactivation application furnished by the Board;
   (b) Pay license renewal fee for an active license per ORS 685.100 and OAR 850-030-0035, and
   (c) Report to the Board completion of the annually required continuing education credits for an inactive license per OAR 850-040-0195.
   (d) If a license is inactive for five or more calendar years, an applicant must:
      (i) Take and pass the state jurisprudence examination required by the Board
      (ii) Submit a reactivation application.
      (iii) Pay license renewal fee for an active license per ORS 685.100 and OAR 850-030-0035.
      (iv) Report to the Board completion of the annually required continuing education credits for an inactive license per OAR 850-040-0195.

(6) Restore a Lapsed License for Individuals Holding an Active License in another State: See OAR 850-030-0070 – License by Reciprocity
(7) Restore a lapsed license:

(a) If a license has lapsed for less than one calendar year, an applicant must:
   (A) Submit a report to the Board confirming completion of continuing education
       as annually required for an active license per OAR 850-040-0210, and
   (B) Submit a completed restoration application, and
   (C) Pay license renewal fees for an active license and a restoration fee per ORS
       685.100 and OAR 850-030-0035.

(b) If a license has lapsed for one (1) to (5) five calendar years, an applicant must:
   (A) Submit a report to the Board confirming completion of continuing education
       as required for an active license per OAR 850-040-0210, for each calendar year
       the license has been lapsed.
   (B) Submit a completed restoration application.
   (C) Pay license renewal fees for an active license and a restoration fee per ORS
       685.100 and OAR 850-030-0035.

(c) If a license has been lapsed for five (5) or more years, the applicant must:
   (A) Take and pass the examinations administered by the North American Board
       of Naturopathic Examiners
   (B) Take and pass the state jurisprudence examination required by the Board
   (C) Submit a restoration application to the Board per ORS 685.070
   (D) Submit a report to the Board confirming completion of continuing education
       as required for an active license per OAR 850-040-0195, for each calendar year
       the license has been lapsed.

(8) The Board will annually audit a number of license renewals. Audited licensees shall provide
CE records and verifications that document compliance with the renewal requirements and CE
record provided in the renewal application.

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