

Professional Licensing Boards and Complaint Resources

Below is the contact information for professional licensing boards and certification organizations that can help you learn about the appropriate ones and their requirements.

| Area | Agency / Organization | Link | Purpose |
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| ACCOUNTING | National Association of State Boards of Accountancy | Boards of Accountancy / State Board Directory | State board contact directory. |
| ATHLETIC TRAINING | National Athletic Trainers' Association | Athletic Training State Regulatory Boards | State regulatory board directory. |
| EDUCATION / TEACHING | U.S. Department of Education | State Education Agency Contacts | State education agency contact directory. |
| NURSING | National Council of State Boards of Nursing | Filing a Complaint | Complaint guidance; complaints go to the applicable board of nursing. |
| NURSING | National Council of State Boards of Nursing | Contact a Board of Nursing | State board of nursing contact directory. |
| NURSING | American Nurses Credentialing Center | Complaints Against a Certificant, Applicant, or NonCertificant | ANCC certification complaint process. |
| OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY | National Board for Certification in Occupational Therapy | Voice a Concern | NBCOT certification concern/complaint process. |
| OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY | National Board for Certification in Occupational Therapy | State Board Contacts | State occupational therapy board directory. |
| PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS | National Board for Certified Counselors | State Board Directory | Professional counselor state board directory. |
| PUBLIC HEALTH | National Commission for Health Education Credentialing | Disciplinary Policy and Appeals Process | NCHCEC disciplinary policy for credential holders. |
| SCHOOL COUNSELOR | American School Counselor Association | State/Territory Certification and Degree Programs | School counselor credentialing requirements by state/territory. |
| SOCIAL WORK | Association of Social Work Boards | How to File a Complaint | Complaint guidance; complaints go to the applicable social work board. |
| SOCIAL WORK | Association of Social Work Boards | Licensing Board Websites / Directory | Social work board website directory. |

Note: Professional licensure complaints are usually handled by the relevant state licensing board. National certification organizations may also maintain separate complaint or disciplinary processes for certificants or applicants.