



Interstate Medical Licensure Compact

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Use of Compact Skyrockets; Processing Times Remain Stable

A review of data from the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact (Compact) shows an incredible level of growth and expansion. Processing time has remained constant in spite of the monthly application volume more than doubling from the 1st year to the 2nd year.

The Compact's process, which was engaged in April 2017, has been used by more than 3,000 physicians who were able to secure more than 5,400 medical licenses in Compact member states through March 31, 2019. There are 27 states, the District of Columbia and the U.S. Territory of Guam who are members of the Compact – a map of the Compact member states can be found at www.implcc.org. To use the expedited licensure process, a physician must meet nine requirements and hold an active unrestricted license in a Compact member state where they live or are employed.

Data Questions	April 2018 Results	April 2019 Results
Number of Applications reviewed	654	2,845
Average number of licenses obtained per applicant	3	3
Percent who obtain one or two licenses	68%	64%
Percent who obtain three or more licenses	32% with 13% obtaining 7 or more licenses	36% with 13% obtaining 7 or more licenses
Percent of applications not processed due to a determination that the physician did not meet the eligibility requirements	11%	10%
Percent of physicians who obtain additional license after the initial application	11%	20%
Average number of days from application received to Letter of Qualification (LOQ) issued	34 days with 33% of the determinations made in 15 days or less	36 days with 32% of the determinations made in 15 days or less
Average number of days from the date an applicant is determined to be qualified to the date the requested licenses are issued	15 with 46% of the licenses issued in 7 days or less	19 with 51% of the licenses issued in 7 days or less

Additional information regarding applications received and licenses issued reported month by month and by member board will be posted on the IMLCC website at implcc.org/press-releases

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