

KANSAS DEPARTMENT FOR AGING AND DISABILITY SERVICES

Board of Adult Care Home Administrators

Instructions

Application for Temporary Licensure as a Kansas Adult Care Home Administrator

A temporary license as a Kansas adult care home administrator may be issued to an applicant upon meeting the qualifications and requirements under K.S.A. 65-3502 and K.A.R. 28-38-21. The temporary licensure criteria and applicant qualifications are as follows:

Temporary License Criteria

- 1) Each individual requesting a temporary license shall identify the facility seeking to hire the individual on an emergency basis, and shall arrange for that facility to provide the board with written documentation that no licensed, qualified applicant is available to serve as administrator in the facility.
- 2) A temporary license may be granted to a qualified applicant and may be renewed upon written documentation from the licensed facility that licensed, qualified applicants are unavailable. A temporary license may be extended for two consecutive 60-day periods, but shall not exceed a total of 180 days for each individual holding a temporary license.

Applicant Qualifications

- 1) The applicant must not have taken and failed the examination specified in K.A.R. 28-38-18 or had his/her license revoked or suspended.
- 2) The Applicant must meet one of the following requisites:
 - a) have an undergraduate or graduate degree from an accredited college or university. Transcripts verifying degrees must be sent to the department directly from the college/university.
 - b) have been license in Kansas as an adult care home administrator and is otherwise eligible for reinstatement.
 - c) hold a license as an adult care home administrator in another state and is otherwise eligible for reciprocity.
 - d) Be exempt from formal education in accordance with K.S.A. 65-3504 (b). If exempt, complete and submit Application for Exemption of Formal Education.
- 3) The applicant must successfully pass a state examination on Kansas Nursing Facility Regulations and the Assisted Living and Residential Health Care Regulations with a score of at least 75 percent.

Applicant Requirements

The applicant must submit:

- 1) Application for Adult Care Home Administrator License
- 2) \$100.00 non-refundable fee payable to Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services and
- 3) Written documentation from the board of directors, corporation or ownership of the facility that no licensed, qualified applicant is available to serve as administrator in the facility and written

endorsement that the applicant is the most qualified applicant for the facility where the person is to be employed.

- 4) Copy of Social Security card or document verifying your name and Social Security number.
- 5) One of the following items:
 - a) Provide directly from an accredited college or university academic transcripts as proof of receipt of at least an undergraduate or graduate degree.
 - b) Evidence of being licensed in Kansas as an adult care home administrator and eligible for reinstatement. College/university transcript required as applicable.
 - c) Application for Exemption of Formal Education, and supporting documents.

Mail above information to:

Health Occupations Credentialing
612 S Kansas Avenue
Topeka KS 66603

The test for temporary licensure may be requested by telephone, email or the applicant may include a request along with their application form. The open-book test is over the [Kansas Nursing Facility Regulations](#) and the [Assisted Living and Residential Health Care Regulations](#). These regulations may be downloaded at www.kdads.ks.gov then select "Provider Resources".

Should you have any questions regarding temporary licensure, please feel free to contact Wendy Davis by email at wendy.davis@ks.gov or 785.296.0061.