

Program	Contact	Date Updated
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State	Meets state educational requirements for licensure or certification	Does not meet state educational requirements for licensure or certification	Undetermined	State	Meets state educational requirements for licensure or certification	Does not meet state educational requirements for licensure or certification	Undetermined
Alabama			X	Nebraska			X
Alaska			X	Nevada			X
American Samoa			X	New Hampshire			X
Arizona			X	New Jersey	X		
Arkansas			X	New Mexico			X
California			X	New York			X
Colorado			X	North Carolina	X		
Connecticut	X			North Dakota	X		
Delaware	X			Northern Mariana Islands			X
Florida			X	Ohio			X
Georgia			X	Oklahoma			X
Guam			X	Oregon			X
Hawaii			X	Pennsylvania			X
Idaho			X	Puerto Rico			X
Illinois			X	Rhode Island			
Indiana			X	South Carolina	X		
Iowa			X	South Dakota	X		
Kansas			X	Tennessee			X
Kentucky			X	Texas			X
Louisiana			X	US Virgin Islands			X
Maine			X	Utah			X
Maryland			X	Vermont			X
Massachusetts	X			Virginia			X
Michigan			X	Washington	X		
Minnesota			X	West Virginia			X
Mississippi			X	Wisconsin			X
Missouri			X	Wyoming			X
Montana			X				

Comments: Graduates of CAAHEP-accredited medical assisting programs meet state education requirements of the states indicated above. Students may contact the following state offices with questions related to

transferability of medical assisting credentials between states.

#### Alabama

Alabama Board of Nursing

770 Washington Ave., RSA Plaza, Suite 250

P.O. Box 303900 Montgomery, AL 36104 Phone: (800) 656-5318 Fax: (334) 293-5201

Website: [www.abn.alabama.gov](http://www.abn.alabama.gov)

Email: [abn@abn.alabama.gov](mailto:abn@abn.alabama.gov)

#### Alaska

Alaska Medical Assistant Society Tami Leroux, CMA (AAMA), President 11561 Hill Circle

Anchorage, AK 99507-6143 Email: [leroux@alaska.net](mailto:leroux@alaska.net)

Website: <http://www.alaskamedicalassistants.org>

#### Arizona

Arizona Medical Board

1740 W Adams St, Suite 4000

Phoenix, AZ 85007

Phone: 877-255-2212

Fax: 480-551-2702

Email: <https://www.azmd.gov/Misc/ContactUSEmail?board=MD&contactType=0> Website:

<https://www.azmd.gov/>

#### Arkansas

Arkansas Society of Medical Assistants 1700 West C Street, Suite 123

Russelville, AR 72801

Online Form: [www.arsma.org/contact-1](http://www.arsma.org/contact-1)

Website: [www.arsma.org](http://www.arsma.org)

#### California

California Certifying Board for Medical Assistants PO Box 462

Placerville, CA 95667

Phone: 530-622-1850

Email: [info@ccbma.org](mailto:info@ccbma.org)

Website: [ccbma.org](http://ccbma.org)

#### Colorado

Colorado Society of Medical Assistants

Website: [www.facebook.com/Colorado-Society-of-Medical-Assistants-233797769993482/](https://www.facebook.com/Colorado-Society-of-Medical-Assistants-233797769993482/)

Connecticut Connecticut Department of Public Health Practitioner Licensing and Investigations Section 410  
Capitol Ave., MS# 12 APP

P.O. Box 340308 Hartford, CT 06134-0308 Phone: (860) 509-7603 Fax: (860) 707-1984

email: [oplcdph@ct.gov](mailto:oplcdph@ct.gov) (Preferred) Website:

<https://portal.ct.gov/DPH/Practitioner-Licensing--Investigations/Medicalassistant/Medical-Assistant-Information> | Connecticut Society of Medical Assistants

Website: [www.ctsma.org](http://www.ctsma.org)

#### Florida

Florida Society of Medical Assistants

Email: [fsmamail@fsmaonline.org](mailto:fsmamail@fsmaonline.org)

Website: <http://www.fsmaonline.org/>

## Georgia

Georgia Society of Medical Assistants

Website: <http://www.gssma.net/>

HawaiiHawaii State Society of Medical Assistants

Contact Form: <https://medicalassistanthawaii.org/contact-us> Website: <https://medicalassistanthawaii.org>

## Idaho

Idaho Society of Medical Assistants

Email: [idahomedicalassistants@gmail.com](mailto:idahomedicalassistants@gmail.com)

Website: <https://www.aama-idsma.org/>

## Illinois

Illinois Society of Medical Assistants

Website: <http://www.ilsocmedasst.org/>

## Indiana

Indiana Society of Medical Assistants

Email: [msneu@yahoo.com](mailto:msneu@yahoo.com) (use subject: Question)

Website: <http://www.insocmedasst.org/>

## Iowa

Iowa Society of Medical Assistants

Email: [isma@iowasma.org](mailto:isma@iowasma.org)

Website: <http://www.iowasma.org/>

## Kentucky

Kentucky Society of Medical Assistants

Contact Form: <https://www.kentuckymedicalassistants.com/contact-us>

Website: <https://www.kentuckymedicalassistants.com/>

## Maine

Maine State Society of Medical Assistants

Website: <https://www.facebook.com/MaineStateSocietyOfMedicalAssistants?fref=ts>

## Maryland

Maryland Society of Medical Assistants

Website: <http://www.aama-md.org/>

## Massachusetts

Massachusetts State Society of Medical Assistants

Phone: 508-754-3485

Email: [djgma@aol.com](mailto:djgma@aol.com)

## Michigan

Michigan Society of Medical Assistants

Email: [atkinsm.msma@gmail.com](mailto:atkinsm.msma@gmail.com)

Contact Form: <https://msmaonline.org/contact>

Website: <http://www.msmaonline.org/>

## Minnesota

Minnesota State Society of Medical Assistants

Contact Form: <https://www.mnsma.org/contact>

Website: <http://www.mnsma.org/>

## Missouri

Missouri Society of Medical Assistants

Website: <https://www.facebook.com/missourisocietyofmedicalassistants>

## Montana

Montana Society of Medical Assistants

Website: [schristinecox@juno.com](mailto:schristinecox@juno.com) Website: <http://mt-sma.org/>

## Nebraska

Nebraska Society of Medical Assistants

Contact: Donald A. Balasa, JD, MBA - AAMA Phone: (800) 228-2262

Email: <http://www.aama-ntl.org/contact>

Contact Form: <https://www.nsmaonline.org/contact/>

Website: <http://www.nsmaonline.org/>

## New Hampshire

New Hampshire State Society of Medical Assistants

Contact Form: <https://www.nhsma.org/contact>

Website: <https://www.nhsma.org/>

## New Jersey

New Jersey Society of Medical Assistants

Website: <https://sites.google.com/site/njsma1/>

## New Mexico

New Mexico Society of Medical Assistants

Website: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/132273063384/>

## New York

New York State Society of Medical Assistants

Email: [nyssma@nysmedassist.com](mailto:nyssma@nysmedassist.com)

Website: <https://www.nysmedassist.org/>

## Ohio

Ohio State Society of Medical Assistants

Email: [webmaster@ossma.org](mailto:webmaster@ossma.org)

Website: <https://www.ossma.org/>

## Oklahoma

Oklahoma Medical Assistant Society

Website: <https://www.facebook.com/OklahomaMedicalAssistantSociety/>

## Oregon

Oregon Society of Medical Assistants

Contact Form: <https://www.onlineosma.org/contact-us> Website: <http://www.onlineosma.org/>

#### Pennsylvania

PA Society of Medical Assistants

Email: [khumma68@gmail.com](mailto:khumma68@gmail.com)

Contact Form: <https://pasociety-cma.org/contact/>

Website: <http://www.pasociety-cma.org/>

#### South Carolina

South Carolina Society of Medical Assistants

Website: <http://www.scsma.org/>

#### South Dakota

South Dakota Board Medical and Osteopathic Examiners 101 N. Main Avenue, Suite 301

Sioux Falls, SD 57104 Phone: 605-367-7781

Email: [SDBMOE@state.sd.us](mailto:SDBMOE@state.sd.us)

Website: <http://www.sdbmoe.gov/>

#### Tennessee

Tennessee Society of Medical Assistants

Contact Form: <https://tnsma.org/contact-us/>

Website: <http://www.tnsma.org/>

#### Texas

Texas Society of Medical Assistants Phone: 858-837-1203

Email: [president@mytsma.org](mailto:president@mytsma.org)

Website: <http://www.mytsma.org/>

#### Utah

Utah State Society of Assistants

Website: <https://www.facebook.com/USSMA2015/>

Website: <http://utahstatesocietyofmedicalassistants.blogspot.com/>

#### Virginia

Virginia Society of Medical Assistants

Email: [contactus@virginiasocietyofmedicalassistants.org](mailto:contactus@virginiasocietyofmedicalassistants.org)

Contact Form: <https://www.vasma.org/contact/>

Website: <http://www.virginiasocietyofmedicalassistants.org/>

#### Washington

Washington State Department of Health 111 Israel Rd SE

Tumwater, WA 98501

Phone: 800-525-0127

Website: <https://www.doh.wa.gov/LicensesPermitsandCertificates/ProfessionsNewRene...>

#### Wisconsin

Wisconsin State Society of Medical Assistants

Contact Form: <https://www.wsma.net/contact-us> Website: <http://www.wsma.net/>