





National University of Health Sciences General Policies

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POLICY STATEMENT

It is acknowledged that completion of the Massage Therapy Board prior to graduation will give a student the opportunity to apply for licensure and begin practicing as a massage therapist earlier after graduation. Therefore, NUHS students may take the board exam early but no earlier than six weeks prior to graduation. Students are strongly encouraged to finish their massage education prior to taking their board exam because completing the program will allow the student the greatest chance of passing the board examination on the first attempt.

NUHS must be able to verify that the student has sufficient education and training in the content subject areas specified by the board. Consequently, the student shall provide evidence to NUHS that the board exam was not taken earlier than six weeks prior to graduation for a transcript will be provided. Without a transcript and the successful completion of a licensure exam, the State of Illinois will not issue a license to practice massage therapy.