

# February 2018 Licensure Updates



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## Georgia – New State License

### Durable Medical Equipment Suppliers Facility Permit

Georgia State Board of Pharmacy

Required for out of state suppliers: Yes

On-line verification: <https://gadch.mylicense.com/verification/Search.aspx?facility=Y>

### **Products/Services:**

DM01 Automatic Ext Difiibrillator (AEDS) and/or Supplies  
DM07 Gastric Suction Pumps  
DM11 Infrared Heating Pads Systems and/or supplies  
DM12 External Infusion Pumps And/or supplies  
DM14 Implanted Infusion Pumps And/or supplies  
DM15 Negative Pressure Wound Therapy Pumps/ Supplies  
DM16 Neuromuscular Elect Stimulators (NMES)/Supplies  
DM21 Traction Equipment  
PD04 Neurostimulators and/or Supplie s  
PD06 Ostomy Supplies  
PD08 Tracheostomy Supplies  
PD09 Urological Supplies  
PE04 Enteral Equipment and Supplies  
PE06 Parenteral Equipment and Supplies  
R01 Continuous Positive Airway Pressure (CPAP Devices)  
R02 High Frequency Chest Wall Oscillation Devices/Supplies  
R03 Invasive Mechanical Ventilation  
R04 Intermittent Positive Pressure Breathing (IPPB Devices)  
R05 Intrapulmonary Percussive Ventilation Devices  
R06 Mechanical In-Exsufflation Devices  
R07 Nebulizer Equipment and/or Supplies  
R08 Oxygen Equipment and/or Supplies  
R09 Respiratory Assist Devices  
R10 Respiratory Suction Pumps  
R12 Ventilators: All Types - Not CPAP or RAD

## New State Note

GA – Note A

Any person who supplies durable medical equipment to a consumer in Georgia shall possess a durable medical equipment supplier license issued by the Georgia Board of Pharmacy pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 26-4-51. The following are exempt: (1) Pharmacies and pharmacists; (2) Hospitals; (3) Ambulatory surgical centers; (4) Health care facilities owned or operated by the state or federal government; (5) Skilled nursing facilities; (6) Assisted living facilities; (7) Health care practitioners who: (A) Provide durable medical equipment within the scope of practice of the health care practitioner's profession; and (B) Are licensed in this state to practice the health care practitioner's profession. (Added: 02/01/2018)

## Pennsylvania

### State Note Update:

PA - Note D

A Bedding and Upholstery Registration and Disinfection Permit are required if a company (in-state or out-of-state) sells, rents or leases secondhand mattresses, pillows, bolsters, feather beds, and other filled bedding, cushions, upholstered furniture and bulk materials. Permits are location specific. An out-of-state company also has the option to: (1) Secure the services of an individual holding a valid PA Disinfection Permit to disinfect secondhand bedding before they are sold or leased in PA. (2) Establish a facility in PA where the disinfecting process will be performed in order to apply for and obtain a Disinfection Permit. (3) Secure the services of a department approved disinfectant lab to inspect and approve the disinfection process being performed out-of-state.

**Disclaimer:** This licensure directory is only a guide. The various state boards or regulating agencies have the final determination as to what license is or is not required. It is the supplier's responsibility to ensure they are in compliance with all state and federal laws and regulations.