

June 2018 Licensure Updates



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Florida

Licensure Update:

Florida Orthotic Fitter License

Orthoses: Prefabricated (Custom Fitted)

State Note Update:

FL - Note D

Suppliers who have any patient contact are considered to be “fitting” an orthotic and are required to be licensed. (e.g. Orthotist, Orthotist/Prosthetist, Orthotic Fitter). Suppliers who do not have patient contact, i.e. mail order only, do not require a license.

Tennessee

Licensure Update:

ABC/BOC Certified Orthotic Fitter

Orthoses: Prefabricated (Custom Fitted)

State Note Update:

TN - Note C

A license to provide custom orthotics or prosthetics is not required of a health care practitioner licensed under Title 63, such as a physician or nurse who is acting within his or her lawful scope of practice. A full list of the state’s exemptions can be found at <https://publications.tnsosfiles.com/rules/1155/1155-04.20170723.pdf>.

New State Note:

TN - Note G

Tennessee does not issue an orthotic fitter license but requires certification from a recognized agency like ABC or BOC.

Illinois

Licensure Update:

Respiratory Care Practitioner License

Ventilators: All Types – Not CPAP or RAD

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.