

Notary Public

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Notes:

The table provides information to identify whether this program meets the specific state, province, or territory educational requirements. It's important to note that even if the program meets the educational requirements, licensure may also require acceptance to a registry, background checks, or meeting physical standard requirements. Students are advised to check with the agency to identify an exact set of requirements that extend above the educational requirements.

20 States (plus Washington DC) have formal testing and training programs for Notary Public. The Notary license does not typically transfer from state to state. A notary public's jurisdiction extends throughout the state in which training occurred, but it does not extend beyond its borders.

State, Province, or Territory	Meets Educational Requirements	State Agency	Mailing Address	Phone Number	Website
Alabama	Undetermined	Alabama Secretary of State Notaries Public	P.O. Box 5616 Montgomery, AL 36103-5616	334-242-7200	https://www.sos.alabama.gov/administrative-services/notaries-public
Alaska	Undetermined	Alaska Notary Public Commission	240 Main Street, Room 301 Juneau, AK 99801	907-465-3509	https://ltgov.alaska.gov/notaries-public/
American Samoa	Undetermined	American Samoa Government - Office of the Governor	Executive Office Building Office of the Governor Pago Pago, American Samoa 96799	684-633-4116	https://www.americansamoa.gov/notary-public
Arizona	Undetermined	Arizona Secretary of State	Attn: Notary Department 1700 W Washington Street, Floor 7 Phoenix, AZ 85007-2808	602-542-4285	https://azsos.gov/business/notary-public

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Arkansas	Undetermined	Arkansas Secretary of State	Executive Office State Capitol, Suite 256 500 Woodlane Avenue Little Rock, AR 72201	501-682-1010	https://www.sos.arkansas.gov/business-commercial-services-bcs/notary-e-notary
California	No	California Secretary of State	Notary Public Section P.O. Box 942877 Sacramento, CA 94277-0001	916-653-6814	https://www.sos.ca.gov/notary
Colorado	No	Colorado Secretary of State	Notary Program 1700 Broadway Suite 200 Denver, CO 80290	303-894-2200	https://www.sos.state.co.us/pubs/notary/home.html
Connecticut	Undetermined	Connecticut Secretary of State	Notary Public Unit P.O. Box 150470 Hartford, CT 06115-0470	860-509-6002	https://portal.ct.gov/SOTS/Business-Services/Notary/Notary-Public-Licensing
Delaware	Undetermined	Delaware Notary Public	Notary Public Section 401 Federal Street Suite 4 Dover, DE 19901	302-739-4111	https://notary.delaware.gov/
District of Columbia	Undetermined	District of Columbia Office of the Secretary	Office of Notary Commission and Authentication 441 4 th Street NW Suite 810 South Washington, DC 20001	202-727-6306	https://os.dc.gov/service/notary-commissions
Florida	No	Florida Department of State	Notary Section P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314-6327	850-245-6500	https://dos.myflorida.com/sunbiz/other-services/notaries/
Georgia	Undetermined	Georgia Superior Court Clerks' Cooperative Authority	Notary Division 1875 Century Boulevard, Suite 100 Atlanta, GA 30345	404-327-9058	https://www.gscca.org/notary-and-apostilles/notaries/georgia-notary-law

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Guam	Undetermined	Office of the Attorney General	590 S Marine Corp Drive Suite 706 Tamuning, Guam 96913	671-475-3324	http://guamag.org/faqs/notary_selections.html
Hawaii	Yes	Hawaii Department of the Attorney General	Notary Public Office 425 Queen Street Honolulu, HI 96813	808-586-1500	https://ag.hawaii.gov/notaries-public/
Idaho	Undetermined	Idaho Secretary of State	Notary Department P.O. Box 83720 Boise, ID 83720-0080	208-334-2300	https://sos.idaho.gov/notaries-apostilles-authentications/
Illinois	Undetermined	Office of the Illinois Secretary of State	111 E Monroe Street Springfield, IL 62756	217-785-3000	https://www.cyberdriveillinois.com/departments/index/notary/home.html
Indiana	Undetermined	Indiana State Government	302 W Washington Street Room E018 Indianapolis, IN 46204	317-234-9768	https://inbiz.in.gov/certification/notary
Iowa	Undetermined	Iowa Secretary of State	Notary Division 321 E 12 th Street Des Moines, IA 50319	888-767-8683	https://sos.iowa.gov/notaries/about.html
Kansas	Undetermined	Kansas Secretary of State	Notary Clerk 120 SW 10 th Avenue Topeka, KS 66612-1594	785-296-4564	https://sos.ks.gov/business/notary.html
Kentucky	Undetermined	Kentucky Secretary of State	Notary Commissions P.O. Box 821 Frankfort, KY 40602-0821	502-564-3490	https://www.sos.ky.gov/bus/businessrecords/notaries/Pages/default.aspx
Louisiana	Undetermined	Louisiana Secretary of State	Notary Division P.O. Box 94125 Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9125	225-922-0330	https://www.sos.la.gov/NotaryAndCertifications/Pages/default.aspx
Maine	Undetermined	Maine Secretary of State Bureau of Corporations, Elections and Commissions	101 State House Station Augusta, ME 04333-0101	207-624-7736	https://www.maine.gov/sos/cec/notary/notaries.html

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Maryland	Undetermined	Maryland Secretary of State	Notary Division 16 Francis Street Annapolis, MD 21401	410-974-5521	https://sos.maryland.gov/Notary/Pages/default.aspx
Massachusetts	Undetermined	Secretary of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts	Notary Public Office State House 24 Beacon Street Room 184 Boston, MA 01233	617-727-7030	https://www.sec.state.ma.us/pre/prenot/notidx.htm
Michigan	Undetermined	Michigan Secretary of State	7064 Crouner Boulevard Lansing, MI 48918-1750	888-767-6424	https://www.michigan.gov/sos/0,4670,7-127-1633_95527_95529---,00.html
Minnesota	Undetermined	Minnesota Secretary of State	60 Empire Drive Suite 100 St Paul, MN 55103	877-551-6767	https://www.sos.state.mn.us/notary-apostille/
Mississippi	No	Mississippi Secretary of State	Business Services Division P.O. Box 136 Jackson, MS 39205-0136	601-359-1615	https://www.sos.ms.gov/BusinessServices/Pages/Notaries-Apostilles.aspx
Missouri	No	Missouri Secretary of State	P.O. Box 784 Jefferson City, MO 65102	573-751-2783	https://s1.sos.mo.gov/business/Notary/
Montana	Yes	Montana Secretary of State	Certifications and Notary Services P.O. Box 202801 Helena, MT 59620-2801	406-444-2034	https://sosmt.gov/notary/
Nebraska	Yes	Nebraska Secretary of State	Notary Division P.O. Box 95104 Lincoln, NE 68509-5104	402-471-2558	https://sos.nebraska.gov/business-services/notary-public
Nevada	No	Nevada Secretary of State	Notary Division 101 North Carson Street Suite 3 Carson City, NV 89701-3714	775-684-5708	https://www.nvsos.gov/sos/licensing/notary
New Hampshire	Undetermined	New Hampshire Office of the Secretary of State	107 North Main Street Room 204 Concord, NH 03301	603-271-3242	https://sos.nh.gov/administration/administration/notary-public/

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New Jersey	Undetermined	New Jersey Department of Treasury	Notary Public Unit P.O. Box 452 Trenton, NJ 08646-0452	609-292-0642	https://www.state.nj.us/treasury/revenue/apostilles.shtml
New Mexico	Undetermined	New Mexico Secretary of State	Notary Division 325 Don Gaspar, Suite 300 Santa Fe, NM 87503	505-827-3600	https://www.sos.state.nm.us/notary-and-apostille/notary-commissions/notary-public-law/
New York	Yes	New York Department of State, Division of Licensing Services	Notary Public P.O. Box 22065 Albany, NY 12201-2065	518-474-4429	https://www.dos.ny.gov/licensing/notary/notary.html
North Carolina	Yes	North Carolina Secretary of State	Notary Public Section P.O. Box 29626 Raleigh, NC 27626-0626	919-814-5400	https://www.sosnc.gov/divisions/notary
North Dakota	Undetermined	North Dakota Secretary of State	Notary Unit 600 East Boulevard Avenue Department 108 Bismarck, ND 58505-0500	701-3282900	https://sos.nd.gov/notaries-public
Northern Mariana Islands	Undetermined	Office of the Attorney General	Caller Box 10007 Saipan, MP 96950	670-237-7500	https://www.cnmioag.org/publications/application-for-notary-public-commission/
Ohio	Yes	Ohio Secretary of state	Notary 180 E Broad Street 16 th Floor Columbus, OH 43215	614-644-4559	https://www.ohiosos.gov/notary/
Oklahoma	Undetermined	Oklahoma Secretary of state	Notary Division 421 NS 13st Street Suite 210 Oklahoma City, OK 73103-3701	405-521-3912	https://www.sos.ok.gov/notary/default.aspx
Oregon	No	Oregon Secretary of State	Notary Section 255 Capitol Street NE Suite 151 Salem, OR 97310-1327	503-986-2200	https://sos.oregon.gov/business/Pages/notary.aspx

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Pennsylvania	No	Pennsylvania Department of State	Legislation and Notaries 210 North Office Building Harrisburg, PA 17120-0029	717-787-5280	https://www.dos.pa.gov/OtherServices/Notaries/Pages/default.aspx
Puerto Rico	Undetermined	Gobiernode Puerto Rico - Departamento de Estado	C. San Jose San Juan, PR 00901	787-722-2121	https://www.estado.pr.gov/en/contact-us/
Rhode Island	Undetermined	Rhode Island Department of State	Notary 148 W River Street Providence, RI 02904-2615	401-222-3040	https://www.sos.ri.gov/divisions/notary-public
South Carolina	Yes	South Carolina Secretary of State	Notary Public Division 1205 Pendleton Street Suite 525 Columbia, SC 29201	803-734-2512	https://sos.sc.gov/services-and-filings/notaries
South Dakota	Undetermined	South Dakota Secretary of State	Notary Commissions 500 East Capitol Avenue Suite 204 Pierre, SD 57501-5077	605-773-4845	https://sdsos.gov/general-services/notary-public/default.aspx
Tennessee	Undetermined	Tennessee Secretary of State	Notary Commissions 312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue Nashville, TN 37243-1102	615-741-2286	https://sos.tn.gov/notary-commissions
Texas	Undetermined	Texas Secretary of State	Notary Public Unit P.O. Box 13375 Austin, TX 78711-3375	512-463-5705	https://www.sos.state.tx.us/statdoc/notary-public.shtml
United States Virgin Islands	Undetermined	Office of Lieutenant Governor	18 Kongens Gade St Thomas, VI 00802	340-774-2991	https://ltg.gov.vi/departments/notary-public/
Utah	Undetermined	The Office of the Utah Lieutenant Governor	Notary Office P.O. Box 142325 Salt Lake City, UT 84114-2325	801-538-1041	https://notary.utah.gov/
Vermont	Undetermined	Vermont Secretary of State	Office of Professional Regulation 89 Main Street 3 rd Floor	802-828-1505	https://sos.vermont.gov/notaries-public/

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			Montpelier, VT 05620-3402		
Virginia	Undetermined	Virginia Secretary of the Commonwealth	P.O. Box 1795 Richmond, VA 23218-1795	804-692-2536	https://www.commonwealth.virginia.gov/official-documents/notary-commissions/
Washington	Undetermined	Washington State Department Licensing	Notary Public Program P.O. Box 3865 Seattle, WA 98124-3856	360-664-1550	https://www.dol.wa.gov/business/notary/nrequirements.html
West Virginia	Undetermined	West Virginia Secretary of State	1900 Kanawha Boulevard East Building 1 Suite 157-K Charleston, WV 25305-0775	304-558-8000	https://sos.wv.gov/business/Pages/NotaryApp.aspx
Wisconsin	Undetermined	Wisconsin Department of Financial Institutions	Notary Records Section P.O. Box 7847 Madison, WI 53707-7847	608-266-8915	https://www.wdfi.org/Apostilles_Notary_Public_and_Trademarks/defaultNotary.htm
Wyoming	Yes	Wyoming Secretary of State	Notary Division 200 West 24 th Street Cheyenne, WY 82002-0020	307-777-7370	https://sos.wyo.gov/services/notariesoverview.aspx