



# Application for Physical Therapist Licensure by Endorsement of Foreign Examination

**Board of Physical Therapy**  
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**Are you an active-duty member of the United States Armed Services?**

**Are you a veteran of the United States Armed Services?**

**Are you the spouse of a veteran of the United States Armed Services?**

**Are you the spouse of an active member of the United States Armed Services?**

If you answered "Yes" to any of these questions, you may qualify for a reduction in your application fees. You can find information about the Florida Department of Health's commitment to serving members and veterans of the United States Armed Forces and their families online at <http://www.flhealthsource.gov/valor>.

## **Florida Laws and Rules Examination**

**All applicants** are required to pass the Florida Laws and Rules examination prior to licensure. The examination will be given through FSBPT and will cover chapters (ch.) 456 and 486, Florida Statutes, and Rule chapter 64B17, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.).

The examination fee must be paid directly to the FSBPT. Visit [www.fsbpt.org](http://www.fsbpt.org) for examination registration and fee information.

An additional Prometric Testing Center fee is required at the time of scheduling, paid directly to the Prometric Testing Center. Visit [www.prometric.com](http://www.prometric.com) for fee and payment information.

Candidates are required to provide **current and valid** forms of identification (ID) to be able to sit for the examination. Acceptable forms of ID are currently valid, government-issued photo ID (passport, driver's license, etc.), and another piece of identification pre-printed with your name containing your signature, such as a credit card. Your signature must match your pre-printed name on both forms of ID. A Social Security card is not an acceptable form of identification. As part of your identification processing, the driver's license/passport will be swiped in order to retain scanned information.

**Applicants must provide the full name that appears on the valid form of identification (ID)** that they will present at the Prometric Testing Center, on their application. Variations in names will cause delays in approval and possibly denial of entry at the testing site to take the examination.





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**Physical Therapist (1017) \$180.00**

I have registered with the FSBPT (<https://www.fsbpt.org>)  
for the Florida Laws and Rules examination.

**Total fee of \$180.00 includes the following:**

Application Fee	\$100.00
Licensure Fee	\$75.00
Unlicensed Activity Fee	\$5.00

Fees must be paid in the form of a cashier's check or money order, made payable to the Department of Health. An applicant who is denied licensure or withdraws their application is entitled to a \$80.00 (Initial Licensure Fee, Student Loan Forgiveness Fund, and Unlicensed Activity Fee) refund. Fees are refundable for up to three years from the date of receipt.

## 1. PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last/Surname First Middle MM/DD/YYYY

Mailing Address: (The address where mail and your license should be sent)

Street/P.O. Box Apt. No. City

State ZIP Country Home/Cell Telephone

Practice Location: (Required if mailing address is a P.O. Box- This address will be posted on the Department of Health's website.)

Street Suite No. City

State ZIP Country Work/Cell Telephone

### EQUAL OPPORTUNITY DATA:

We are required to ask that you furnish the following information as part of your voluntary compliance with 41 CFR Part 60-3-Uniform Guidelines on Employee Selection Procedure (1978); 43 FR 38295 and 38296 (August 25, 1978). This information is gathered for statistical and reporting purposes only and does not in any way affect your candidacy for licensure.

Gender:	Male	Race:	Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	Hispanic or Latino	White
	Female		American Indian or Alaska Native	Black or African American	Asian
			Two or More Races		

**Email Notification:** To be notified of the status of your application by email, check the "Yes" box and fill in your email address on the line provided. If you choose to be notified via email you will be responsible for checking your email regularly and updating your email address with the board office.

Yes No Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Under Florida law, email addresses are public records. If you do not want your email address released in response to a public records request, do not provide an email address or send electronic mail to our office. Instead contact the office by phone or in writing.

## 2. SOCIAL SECURITY DISCLOSURE

**This information is exempt from public records disclosure.**

Pursuant to Title 42 United States Code § 666(a)(13), the department is required and authorized to collect Social Security numbers relating to applications for professional licensure. Additionally, section (s.) 456.013(1)(a), Florida Statutes, authorizes the collection of Social Security numbers as part of the general licensing provisions.

**Last Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**First Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Middle Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**U.S. Social Security Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Social Security Information-** \* Under the Federal Privacy Act, disclosure of Social Security numbers is voluntary unless specifically required by federal statute. In this instance, Social Security numbers are mandatory pursuant to Title 42 United States Code, §§ 653 and 654; and s. 456.013(1), 409.2577, and 409.2598, Florida Statutes. Social Security numbers are used to allow efficient screening of applicants and licensees by a Title IV-D child support agency to ensure compliance with child support obligations. Social Security numbers must also be recorded on all professional and occupational license applications and will be used for license identification pursuant to Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 (Welfare Reform Act. 104 Pub. L. Section 317). Clarification of the SSA process may be reviewed at [www.ssa.gov](http://www.ssa.gov) or by calling 1-800-772-1213.

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## 3. SPECIAL TESTING ACCOMMODATIONS

**Applicants must have a qualifying medical condition** in order to receive special testing accommodations. Applicants requiring special accommodations should **verify that the accommodations are available prior to scheduling their examination.**

Do you require special testing accommodations?      Yes      No

Applicants who require special testing accommodations should be aware that the process to have accommodations approved is quite lengthy, usually taking a minimum of 60 days. To apply for special accommodations, download the information booklet at <https://floridasphysicaltherapy.gov/applications/application-special-testing-accommodations.pdf> or contact the Special Testing Coordinator at (850) 245-4252. **Accommodation requests must be sent to:**

Department of Health, Division of Medical Quality Assurance  
Bureau of Operations, Attention: ADA Accommodations  
4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin C-91  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-3250



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

#### 4. APPLICANT BACKGROUND

- A. List any other name(s) by which you have been known in the past. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

\_\_\_\_\_

- B. Have you ever applied for a physical therapist license in the state of Florida?      Yes      No

If "Yes," provide the date you previously applied and indicate the method you applied under.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Method: Examination      Endorsement  
MM/DD/YYYY

- C. Do you hold, or have you ever held a temporary permit, license/certification, or other authorization, regardless of status, to practice physical therapy or any health-related profession in any state (including Florida), U.S. territory, or foreign country?      Yes      No

- D. List all health-related licenses (active, inactive, or lapsed).

License Type	License #	State/Country	Original Date Issued (MM/DD/YYYY)	Expiration Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Status of License

Board staff will attempt to locate online verifications that contain any disciplinary history for each license ever held. If the disciplinary history information is not available online, applicants will be required to request an official verification. License verifications must be received directly from the licensing authority regardless of the status of the license. **A copy of your license will not be accepted** in lieu of official verification from the licensing agency.

**Applicants who were educated outside the United States** must submit documentation for one of the following options:

**Option 1:** A credentials evaluation completed **specifically for Florida** that demonstrates the applicant meets minimum qualifications.

**OR**

**Option 2:** If the applicant has **five years of clinical experience**, they may submit the following:

- A certified copy of the credential evaluation used by the physical therapist/assistant licensing board of another state. The evaluation must be on the appropriate coursework tool (CWT) adopted by the Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy (FSBPT) and reflect the education criteria in place at the time of graduation.
- Proof of 1,000 clinical practice hours each year in the United States for five out of the last ten years. Full-time teaching of physical therapist/assistant education may count toward 250 of the 1,000 required practice hours per year.

#### 5. AVAILABILITY FOR DISASTER

Would you be willing to provide health services in special needs shelters or to help staff disaster medical assistance teams during times of emergency or major disaster?      Yes      No

If you respond "Yes," your name will be added to a listing that is available to the Department of Health if a disaster is declared. If you live in an area where you may be able to help you will be called on if needed.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## 6. EDUCATION HISTORY

A. List in chronological order schools, colleges, and universities attended.

School Name and Location	Graduation Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Degree Awarded	Major

B. What name(s) did you use when you received your physical therapist education?

\_\_\_\_\_

**Applicants educated outside the United States must submit a credential evaluation.** This requirement applies even if the applicant has received a transitional Doctorate of Physical Therapy from a U.S. school.

The board currently accepts evaluations from:

**Foreign Credentialing Commission on  
Physical Therapy (FCCPT)**

124 S West St.  
Alexandria, VA 22314  
(703) 684-8406  
Email: [help@fccpt.org](mailto:help@fccpt.org)

**International Education Research Foundation**

P.O. Box 3655  
Culver City, California 90231-7086  
(310) 258-9451  
Website: [www.ierf.org](http://www.ierf.org)

**International Consultants of Delaware, Inc.  
(ICD)**

3600 Market Street Suite 450  
Philadelphia, PA 19104, USA  
Phone: (215) 222-8454 ext. 510  
Fax: (215) 349-0026  
Email: [icd@icdel.com](mailto:icd@icdel.com)  
Web: [www.icdeval.com](http://www.icdeval.com)

## 7. EXAMINATION HISTORY

Have you passed an examination in physical therapy administered by an authorized examining board in a country outside the United States?      Yes      No

**This information is exempt from public records disclosure.**

## **8. HEALTH HISTORY**

### **Physical and Mental Health Disorders Impacting Ability to Practice**

- A. During the last two years, have you been treated for or had a recurrence of a diagnosed physical or mental disorder that impaired or would impair your ability to practice?      Yes      No
- B. In the last two years, have you been admitted or referred to a hospital, facility or impaired practitioner program for treatment of a diagnosed mental or physical disorder that impaired your ability to practice?      Yes      No

### **Substance-Related Disorders Impacting Ability to Practice**

- C. During the last five years, have you been treated for or had a recurrence of a diagnosed substance-related (alcohol or drug) disorder that impaired or would impair your ability to practice?      Yes      No
- D. During the last five years, were you admitted or directed into a program for the treatment of a diagnosed substance-related (alcohol or drug) disorder or, if you were previously in such a program, did you suffer a relapse?      Yes      No
- E. During the last five years, have you been enrolled in, required to enter, or participated in any substance-related (alcohol or drug) recovery program or impaired practitioner program for treatment of drug or alcohol abuse?      Yes      No

**If a "Yes" response was provided to any of the questions in this section, provide the following documents directly to the board office:**

**A letter from a Licensed Health Care Practitioner**, who is qualified by skill and training to address the condition identified, which explains the impact the condition may have on the ability to practice the profession with reasonable skill and safety. The letter must specify that the applicant is safe to practice the profession without restrictions or specifically indicate the restrictions that are necessary. Documentation provided must be dated within one year of the application date.

**A written self-explanation**, identifying the medical condition(s) or occurrence(s); and current status.



**9. DISCIPLINE HISTORY**

- A. Have you ever had a health care license to practice any profession revoked, suspended, or otherwise acted against, including denial of licensure, in a disciplinary proceeding in any state, territory, or country?  
Yes      No
- B. Have you ever been disciplined, terminated, or allowed to resign in lieu of termination from an employment setting where employed as a physical therapist or physical therapy assistant, or in any capacity in any other health care profession?      Yes      No
- C. Have you ever been named, sued for, or found guilty of malpractice?      Yes      No
- D. Have you ever been notified to appear before any licensing authority on a complaint of any nature, including, but not limited to a charge or violation for unprofessional or unethical conduct?      Yes      No

If you responded "Yes" to any of the questions in this section, complete the following:

Name of Agency	State	Action Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Final Action	Under Appeal?
				Y    N
				Y    N
				Y    N

If you responded "Yes" to any of the questions in this section, you must provide the following:

A **written self-explanation**, describing in detail the circumstances surrounding the disciplinary action.

A copy of the **Administrative Complaint** and **Final Order**.

**10. CRIMINAL HISTORY**

For the questions below, you **must include** all misdemeanors and felonies, even if adjudication was withheld. Reckless driving, driving while license suspended or revoked (DWLSR), driving under the influence (DUI) or driving while impaired (DWI) are **not** minor traffic offenses for purposes of this question.

Pursuant to s. 943.0585(6)(b), Florida Statutes, and s. 943.059(6)(b), Florida Statutes, an applicant seeking to be licensed by the Department of Health **must disclose** expunged and sealed criminal history records.

- A. Have you ever been convicted or found guilty, regardless of adjudication, of a crime in any jurisdiction which directly relates to the practice of physical therapy?      Yes      No
- B. Have you ever been convicted of, or entered a plea of guilty, nolo contendere, or no contest to any crime in any jurisdiction other than a minor traffic offense?      Yes      No

If you responded "Yes" to any of the questions in this section, you must provide the following:

Offense	Jurisdiction	Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Final Disposition	Under Appeal?
				Y    N
				Y    N
				Y    N

If you responded "Yes" in this section, you must provide the following:

A **written self-explanation**, describing in detail the circumstances surrounding each offense; including dates, city and state, charges, and final results.

**Final Dispositions** and **Arrest Records** for all offenses. The Clerk of the Court in the arresting jurisdiction will provide you with these documents. Unavailability of these documents must come in the form of a letter from the Clerk of the Court.

**Completion of Sentence Documents.** You may obtain documents from the Department of Corrections. The report must include the start date, end date, and that the conditions were met.

# 11. CRIMINAL AND MEDICAID / MEDICARE FRAUD QUESTIONS

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** Applicants for licensure, certification, or registration and candidates for examination may be excluded from licensure, certification, or registration if their felony convictions fall into certain timeframes as established in s. 456.0635(2), Florida Statutes.

1. Have you been convicted of, or entered a plea of guilty or nolo contendere, regardless of adjudication, to a felony under ch. 409, Florida Statutes (relating to social and economic assistance), ch. 817, Florida Statutes (relating to fraudulent practices), ch. 893, Florida Statutes (relating to drug abuse prevention and control), or a similar felony offense(s) in another state or jurisdiction? Yes No

**If you responded "No" to the question above, skip to question 2.**

- a. If "Yes" to 1, for the felonies of the first or second degree, has it been more than 15 years from the date of the plea, sentence, and completion of any subsequent probation? Yes No
  - b. If "Yes" to 1, for the felonies of the third degree, has it been more than 10 years from the date of the plea, sentence, and completion of subsequent probation (this question does not apply to felonies of the third degree under s. 893.13(6)(a), Florida Statutes)? Yes No
  - c. If "Yes" to 1, for the felonies of the third degree under s. 893.13(6)(a), Florida Statutes, has it been more than five years from the date of the plea, sentence, and completion of any subsequent probation? Yes No
  - d. If "Yes" to 1, have you successfully completed a drug court program that resulted in the plea for the felony offense being withdrawn or the charges dismissed? Yes No
2. Have you been convicted of, or entered a plea of guilty or nolo contendere, regardless of adjudication, to a felony under 21 U.S.C. ss. 801-970 (relating to controlled substances) or 42 U.S.C. ss. 1395-1396 (relating to public health, welfare, Medicare and Medicaid issues)? Yes No

**If you responded "No" to the question above, skip to question 3.**

- a. If "Yes" to 2, has it been more than 15 years before the date of application since the sentence and any subsequent period of probation for such conviction or plea ended? Yes No
3. Have you ever been terminated for cause from the Florida Medicaid Program pursuant to s. 409.913, Florida Statutes? Yes No

**If you responded "No" to the question above, skip to question 4.**

- a. If you have been terminated but reinstated, have you been in good standing with the Florida Medicaid Program for the most recent five years? Yes No
4. Have you ever been terminated for cause, pursuant to the appeals procedures established by the state, from any other state Medicaid program? Yes No

**If you responded "No" to the question above, skip to question 5.**

- a. Have you been in good standing with a state Medicaid program for the most recent five years? Yes No
- b. Did termination occur at least 20 years before the date of this application? Yes No



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

5. Are you currently listed on the United States Department of Health and Human Services' Office of the Inspector General's List of Excluded Individuals and Entities (LEIE)?      Yes      No
- a. If you responded "Yes" to the question above, are you listed because you defaulted or are delinquent on a student loan?      Yes      No
- b. If you responded "Yes" to question 5.a., is the student loan default or delinquency the only reason you are listed on the LEIE?      Yes      No

**If you responded "Yes" to any of the questions in this section, you must provide the following:**

**A written explanation** for each question including the county and state of each termination or conviction, date of each termination or conviction, and copies of supporting documentation.

**Supporting documentation** including court dispositions or agency orders where applicable.

Documentation for sections 8 and 9 must be sent to the board office at [MQA.PhysicalTherapy@flhealth.gov](mailto:MQA.PhysicalTherapy@flhealth.gov) or mailed to:

**Board of Physical Therapy**  
4052 Bald Cypress Way Bin C-05  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-3255

Documentation for sections 10 and 11 must be sent to the Background Screening Unit at [MQA.BackgroundScreen@flhealth.gov](mailto:MQA.BackgroundScreen@flhealth.gov) or mailed to:

**Background Screening Unit**  
Florida Department of Health  
4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin BSU-01  
Tallahassee, FL 32399

## 12. LIVESCAN PRIVACY STATEMENT

I have been provided and read the statement from the Florida Department of Law Enforcement regarding the sharing, retention, privacy and right to challenge incorrect criminal history records and the "Privacy Statement" document from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (found in the forms following this application).

**The board will not receive your Livescan results if you do not confirm the above statement by checking the box.**

**Electronic Fingerprinting:      (Required for ALL applicants)**

All applicants, including out-of-state applicants, are required to submit their fingerprints electronically. The Department of Health accepts electronic fingerprinting offered by Livescan service providers that are approved by the Florida Department of Law Enforcement. For a list of approved vendors, visit our website at: <http://www.flhealthsource.gov/background-screening/>.

Typically background results submitted by Livescan are received by the board within 24-72 hours of being processed. The board's ORI number is **EDOH4690Z**. The board cannot accept hard fingerprint cards or results. All results must be submitted electronically by the Livescan service provider.

The Florida Department of Health retains fingerprints on any applicant in the Care Provider Clearinghouse. One of the requirements for your Livescan to be retained in the Care Provider Clearinghouse is a photograph must be taken by the Livescan service provider at the time of fingerprinting. Your background screening results will be retained for five years. Licensees will be notified when their retention date is approaching and will be provided instructions on how to retain their fingerprints to avoid having to submit a new background screening.



**13. APPLICANT SIGNATURE**

I hereby authorize all hospitals, institutions, or organizations, personal physicians, employers (past or present), business and professional associates (past or present), and all governmental agencies and instrumentality's (local, state, federal, or foreign) to release to the Department of Health any information, files, or records requested by the department in connection with the processing of this application. I further authorize the department to release to the organizations, individuals, and groups listed above any information for which is material in my application.

I understand that it is my duty and responsibility as an applicant for licensure to supplement my application after it has been submitted if and when any material change in circumstances or conditions occur which might affect the board's decision concerning my eligibility for examination or licensure. Such supplement is required under ch. 456.013(1)(a), Florida Statutes. Failure to do so may result in disciplinary action by the board including denial of licensure.

I have carefully read the questions in the foregoing application and have answered them completely without reservation of any kind, and I declare under penalty of perjury that my answers and all statements made by me herein are true and correct. Should I furnish any false information on this application, I hereby acknowledge that such act shall constitute cause for denial, suspension, or revocation of any license to practice in the state of Florida for the profession for which I am applying. I declare that I am the person referred to in the foregoing application. I further state that I will comply with all requirements for licensure renewal in effect at the time of license renewal including submission of appropriate renewal fees and continuing education credits.

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have read the foregoing document, and the evidence presented herein for the purpose of demonstrating, to the satisfaction of the board, that I possess the qualifications preliminary to examination required by s. 486.041 and 486.103, Florida Statutes, or that I possess licensure in another state, the District of Columbia, or a territory as required by s. 486.107, Florida Statutes, is true.

I hereby acknowledge that practice as a physical therapist in Florida is governed by ch. 456 and 486, Florida Statutes, and Rule chapter 64B17, F.A.C. I understand that I am under a continuing obligation to understand and keep informed of any changes to the aforementioned statutes and rules.

Section 456.013(1)(a), Florida Statutes, provides that an incomplete application shall expire one year after the initial filing with the department.

Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
*You may print this application and sign it or sign digitally.* MM/DD/YYYY

***Applicants may not begin employment in Florida as a physical therapist until they have received their Florida license.***

The Candidate Information Booklet for the Physical Therapy Laws and Rules Computer Based Testing Examination may be obtained on our website at: <https://floridasphysicaltherapy.gov/forms/pt-study.pdf>.

The FSBPT Laws and Rules Exam fee must be paid directly to the FSBPT. Please visit [www.fsbpt.org](http://www.fsbpt.org) for fee and payment information.

The Prometric Testing fee must be paid directly to the Prometric Testing Center at the time of scheduling. Visit <https://www.prometric.com/test-takers/search/abpts> for fee and payment information.

## FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT

### NOTICE FOR ALL APPLICANTS SUBMITTING FINGERPRINTS WHERE CRIMINAL RECORDS RESULTS WILL BECOME PART OF THE CARE PROVIDER BACKGROUND SCREENING CLEARINGHOUSE

#### NOTICE OF:

- **SHARING OF CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD INFORMATION WITH SPECIFIED AGENCIES,**
- **RETENTION OF FINGERPRINTS,**
- **PRIVACY POLICY, AND**
- **RIGHT TO CHALLENGE AN INCORRECT CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD**

This notice is to inform you that when you submit a set of fingerprints to the Florida Department of Law Enforcement (FDLE) for the purpose of conducting a search for any Florida and national criminal history records that may pertain to you, the results of that search will be returned to the Care Provider Background Screening Clearinghouse. By submitting fingerprints, you are authorizing the dissemination of any state and national criminal history record to be employed, licensed, work under contract, or serve as a volunteer, pursuant to the National Child Protection Act of 1993, as amended, and section 943.0542, Florida Statutes. "Specified agency" means the Department of Health, the Department of Children and Family Services, the Division of Vocational Rehabilitation within the Department of Education, the Agency for Health Care Administration, the Department of Elder Affairs, the Department of Juvenile Justice, and the Agency for Person with Disabilities when these agencies are conducting state and national criminal history background screening on persons who provide care for children or persons who are elderly or disabled. The fingerprints submitted will be retained by FDLE and the Clearinghouse will be notified if FDLE receives Florida arrest information on you.

**Your Social Security Number (SSN) is needed to keep records accurate because other people may have the same name and birth date. Disclosure of your SSN is imperative for the performance of the Clearinghouse agencies' duties in distinguishing your identity from that of other persons whose identification information may be the same or similar to yours.**

Licensing and employing agencies are allowed to release a copy of the state and national criminal record information to a person who requests a copy of his or her own record if the identification of your record was based on submission of the person's fingerprints. Therefore, if you wish to review your record, you may request that the agency that is screening the record provide you with a copy. After you have reviewed the criminal history record, if you believe it is incomplete or inaccurate, you may conduct a personal review as provided in s. 943.056, Florida Statutes, and Rule 11C-8.001, F.A.C. If national information is believed to be in error, the FBI should be contacted at 304-625-2000. You can receive any national criminal history record that may pertain to you directly from the FBI, pursuant to 28 CFR Sections 16.30-16.34. You have the right to obtain a prompt determination as to the validity of your challenge before a final decision is made about your status as an employee, volunteer, contractor, or subcontractor.

Until the criminal history background check is completed, you may be denied unsupervised access to children, the elderly, or persons with disabilities.

**The FBI's Privacy Statement follows on a separate page and contains additional information.**



## PRIVACY STATEMENT

**Authority:** The FBI's acquisition, preservation and exchange of information requested by this form is generally authorized under 28 U.S.C. 534. Depending on the nature of your application, supplemental authorities include numerous Federal statutes, hundreds of State statutes pursuant to Pub. L.92-544, Presidential executive orders, regulations and/or orders of the Attorney General of the United States, or other authorized authorities. Examples include, but are not limited to: 5 U.S.C. 9101; Pub.L.94-29; Pub.L.101-604; and Executive Orders 10450 and 12968. Providing the requested information is voluntary; however, failure to furnish the information may affect timely completion of approval of your application.

**Social Security Account Number (SSAN):** Your SSAN is needed to keep records accurate because other people may have the same name and birth date. Pursuant to the Federal Privacy Act of 1974 (5 USC 552a), the requesting agency is responsible for informing you whether disclosure is mandatory or voluntary, by what statutory or other authority your SSAN is solicited, and what uses will be made of it. Executive Order 9397 also asks Federal Agencies to use this number to help identify individuals in agency records.

**Principal Purpose:** Certain determinations, such as employment, security, licensing and adoption, may be predicated on fingerprint-based checks. Your fingerprints and other information contained on (and along with) this form may be submitted to the requesting agency, the agency conducting the application investigation, and/or FBI for the purpose of comparing the submitted information to available records in order to identify other information that may be pertinent to the application. During the processing of this application, and for as long hereafter as may be relevant to the activity for which this application is being submitted, the FBI may disclose any potentially pertinent information to the requesting agency and/or to the agency conducting the investigation. The FBI may also retain the submitted information in the FBI's permanent collection of fingerprints and related information, where it will be subject to comparisons against other submissions received by the FBI. Depending on the nature of your application, the requesting agency and/or the agency conducting the application investigation may also retain the fingerprints and other submitted information for other authorized purposes of such agency(ies).

**Routine Uses:** The fingerprints and information reported on this form may be disclosed pursuant to your consent, and may also be disclosed by the FBI without your consent as permitted by the Federal Privacy Act of 1974 (5 USC 552a(b)) and all applicable routine uses as many be published at any time in the Federal Register, including the routine uses for the FBI Fingerprint Identification Records System (Justice, FBI-009) and the FBI's Blanket Routine Uses (Justice/FBI-BRU). Routine uses include, but are not limited to, disclosure to: appropriate governmental authorities responsible for civil or criminal law enforcement counterintelligence, national security or public safety matters to which the information may be relevant; to State and local governmental agencies and nongovernmental entities for application processing as authorized by Federal and State legislation, executive order, or regulation, including employment, security, licensing, and adoption checks; and as otherwise authorized by law, treaty, executive order, regulation, or other lawful authority. If other agencies are involved in processing the application, they may have additional routine uses.

**Additional information:** The requesting agency and/or the agency conducting the application investigation will provide additional information to the specific circumstances of this application, which may include identification of other authorities, purposes, uses and consequences of not providing requested information. In addition, any such agency in the Federal Executive Branch has also published notice.



## Board of Physical Therapy Electronic Fingerprinting



Take this form with you to the Livescan service provider. Check the service provider's requirements to see if you need to bring any additional items.

- Background screening results are obtained from the Florida Department of Law Enforcement and the Federal Bureau of Investigation by submitting a fingerprint scan using the Livescan method.
- You can find Livescan service providers at: <http://www.flhealthsource.gov/background-screening/>.
- Failure to submit background screening will delay your application.
- Applicants may use any Livescan service provider approved by the Florida Department of Law Enforcement to submit their background screening to the department.
- If you do not provide the correct Originating Agency Identification (ORI) number to the Livescan service provider, the board office will not receive your background screening results.
- The ORI number for the Board of Physical Therapy is **EDOH4690Z**.
- You must provide accurate demographic information to the Livescan service provider at the time your fingerprints are taken, **including your Social Security number (SSN)**.
- Typically background screening results submitted through a Livescan service provider are received by the board within 24-72 hours of being processed.
- If you obtain your Livescan from a service provider who does not capture your photo you may be required to be reprinted by another agency in the future.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ SSN#: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

Aliases: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Apt. Number: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
MM/DD/YYYY

Weight: \_\_\_\_\_ Height: \_\_\_\_\_ Eye Color: \_\_\_\_\_ Hair Color: \_\_\_\_\_

Race: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_  
(W-White/Latino(a); B-Black; A-Asian; NA-Native American; U-Unknown) (M= Male; F=Female)

Citizenship: \_\_\_\_\_

Transaction Control Number (TCN#): \_\_\_\_\_  
(This will be provided to you by the Livescan service provider.)

**Keep this form for your records.**

Complete verifications must be mailed directly from the licensing agency to:

Board of Physical Therapy  
4052 Bald Cypress Way Bin C-05  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-3255



## Physical Therapist License Verification Request

**Part I: To be completed by applicant** (Florida requires verification of all your current and previously held licenses.)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Name original license was issued under: \_\_\_\_\_

License Number: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

*I hereby authorize release of any information regarding my licensure status to the Physical Therapy Board.*

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
MM/DD/YYYY

## Part II: To be completed by state licensing agency

All verifications must be in English and include the following criteria:

- \* Typed on an official state form or letterhead
- \* Include an official board seal
- \* Signature and title of state board official

The following information must be included in all verifications:

- \* Licensee name
- \* License number
- \* State or jurisdiction of licensure
- \* Licensure status
- \* Is license in good standing?
- \* Date of issuance and expiration
- \* Licensure method (examination, grandfathering, reciprocity/endorsement) If exam, provide exam name, exam level, exam date, and score achieved.
- \* Has this license ever been encumbered (denied, revoked, suspended, surrendered, limited, placed on probation)?
- \* If this license has ever been encumbered, please provide certified copies of documentation regarding the action with the completed license verification.