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Character & Fitness Investigations

NCBE conducts investigations for some application types.

MPRE Requirements

MPRE Required **Yes**
MPRE Minimum Passing Score **75**
MPRE Score Time Parameters

Uniform Bar Examination Jurisdictions—MPRE Requirements, MBE Score Transfers, Courtesy Seating, and Attorneys' Exams

Minimum passing MPRE score **75**
Are there any time parameters within which an MPRE score must be earned or achieved? **Yes**
Are MBE scores accepted for transfer from other jurisdictions? **Yes**
Is courtesy seating allowed? **No**
Is an Attorneys' Exam offered? **No**
To qualify for the Attorneys' Exam, must an applicant be a graduate of an ABA-approved law school? **—**
Attorneys' Exam fee **—**

Bar Exam Eligibility, Deadlines, and Fees

ABA-Approved Law School J.D. Required **Yes**
Foreign Law Graduate Eligibility **No**
Bar Exam Application Filing Deadlines

Uniform Bar Examination Jurisdictions—Bar Examination Application Deadlines and Fees

July 2024: First filing deadline **May 1**
July 2024: Late filing deadline **June 1**
February 2025: First filing deadline **Dec. 1**
February 2025: Late filing deadline **Jan. 2**
Bar exam fee for first-time takers (non-attorneys) **\$1,100 (plus C&F fee)**
Bar exam fee for attorneys **\$1,100 (plus C&F fee)**
Bar exam fee for repeaters **\$500 / \$500**
Fee for laptops, if permitted **\$150**

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Notes

Admission on Earned or Transferred Bar Exam ScoreUBE Minimum Score **266**Non-UBE Minimum Score - Admission on Transferred UBE Score **Yes**Effective Date **April 2017**Maximum Score Age **3 Years**UBE Jurisdiction-Specific Component **Yes**

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Admission on MotionRules Provide for Admission on Motion **Yes****Admission on Motion—Years of Practice and Definition of Practice**Do the rules provide for admission on motion? **Yes**What is the number of years of practice required for admission on motion? **5 of past 7**

What does the definition of practice for purposes of admission on motion include?

Law teaching, gov't agency, military, in-house corporate, judicial court of recordAre there any time parameters within which an MPRE score must have been earned or achieved? **No**Admission on motion fee **\$2,500 (plus C&F and other fees)**

Legal Education and Reciprocity Requirements

Admission on Motion—Legal Education and Reciprocity RequirementsMust an applicant for admission on motion be a graduate of an ABA-approved law school? **Yes**Is admission on motion based on reciprocity (that is, is it limited to candidates from some or all jurisdictions offering admission on motion)? **Yes**Is an attorney initially admitted by diploma privilege eligible for admission on motion? **No**Number of Years of Practice Required **5 of past 7****Disclaimer**

Since jurisdiction rules and policies change, NCBE strongly advises consulting the jurisdiction's bar admission agency directly for the most current information.