Emergency Medical Assistants Licensing Board

**Revoked Licence – Reapplication**

**EMALB 2017-04**

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**Keywords**

| E.g. examinations, regulation, licensure etc. |

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1. **Policy Rationale & Purpose:**
   The purpose of this policy is to set the requirements for reapplying for licensure when an EMA’s licence has been revoked by the Board as a result of the EMA having breached a term or condition of their EMA Licence in regards to failing to meet their continuing competence requirements.

2. **Policy Scope:**
   This policy applies to all former British Columbia (BC) EMAs that were previously licensed in the Emergency Medical Responder, Primary Care Paramedic, Infant Transport Team, Advanced Care Paramedic, or Critical Care Paramedic categories in BC, whose licence was revoked by the Board for having breached a term or condition of their licence by failing to meet their continuing competence requirements.

3. **Policy Statement:**

   **EMAs not licensed in another jurisdiction**

   An EMA whose licence has been revoked by the Board may reapply for licensure under Section 2 of the EMA Regulation. When reapplying for licensure the following is required:
   - successfully complete a Board recognized training program for the licence category
   - apply for the examination process for the licence category
     - successfully complete examination requirements for the licence category within 12 months of training program completion
   - apply for a licence
   - undergo a criminal record check within 3 months of your licence application that includes a vulnerable sector check
EMAs licensed and practicing in another jurisdiction

- submit a verification of registration form for each province currently and previously licensed in
  - Ontario Applicants - Applicants that are not currently certified through a base hospital are not eligible for licensure in B.C. The COPR labour mobility form must be completed by the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care.

- submit electronically the request for evaluation form
  - obtain a BCeID. Please use only lowercase characters in your BCeID username. (If you already have a BCeID and password you may skip this step.)
  - please use your BCeID username and password to create a new account in the online learning system here (it may take up to 2 weeks to be granted access).

- successfully complete the online written examination for the licence category
- successfully complete the jurisprudence examination
- successfully complete the practical examination for the licence category
- apply for a licence
- undergo a criminal record check within 3 months of your licence application that includes a vulnerable sector check

Please note: All applicants for a licence have three attempts to successfully complete each of the required exams.

4. Legal Authority:
   Emergency Health Services Act Sections 6(5)[a]

5. Key Stakeholders:
   - Former BC EMAs where the Licensing Board has revoked their licence for breaching a term or condition of their licence

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