

**Application procedures for certificate issuance; investigation;  
notice of hearing rights.**

- (A) All applicants for medical or osteopathic licensure shall file a written application under oath on the forms prescribed by the board, and provide such other facts and materials as the board requires, ~~unless excepted under paragraph (B) of this rule.~~
- ~~(B) Applicants for the USMLE step 3 administered by the USMLE program for Ohio shall not be required to file an application for examination with the board or to comply with the provisions of this rule. Applications for the USMLE step 3 must be filed directly with the USMLE program.~~
- (B) All applicants must file a written application to the FCVS. All applicants for medical or osteopathic licensure shall also file a written application to the FCVS.
- (C) No application shall be considered filed until the appropriate fee has been received by the board.
- (D) All application materials submitted to the board will be thoroughly investigated. The board will contact individuals, agencies, or organizations for recommendations or other information about applicants as the board deems necessary. Applicants may be requested to appear before the board or a representative thereof as part of the application process.
- (E) Any applicant to whom the board proposes to deny admission to the examination or certificate issuance pursuant to Chapter 4731 of the Revised Code or because of failure to meet any of the requirements of rules of the state medical board shall be entitled to a hearing on the issue of such proposed denial. Notice and hearing requirements incident to such proposed denial will be in compliance with the provisions of Chapter 119. of the Revised Code and any rules adopted by the board pursuant to Chapter 119. of the Revised Code.

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