

Maryland Board of Nursing
Electrology Practice Committee
Application for Licensure Electrologist Instructions

Once the application is received by the Committee and meets all the requirements set forth in the application, the next step is the Prometric Theory Exam Online.

The Committee will email you that the application has been received and meets the requirements. Your next step is to schedule your Theory Exam administered by Prometric.com. On the site you will select the AEA/IBEC Licensure exam, not the AEA CPE exam. A passing grade of 75% or better is required. Once the results have been emailed to the Board @ monicaj.mentzer@maryland.gov, and with a passing score the Clinical and Law Examinations shall be scheduled.

The Maryland Law exam is composed of 23 questions regarding the statute and regulations for Electrologists. They can be found on the mbon.org website under Electrology. These should have been part of your training at your school. Code of Maryland Title 10, Subtitle 53 concerns electrologists. This is administered at the Clinical Exam. A passing grade is 75% or higher.

The Clinical Examination takes about one hour. You must bring:

1. A patient/model to work on
2. Your own epilator, or borrow one
3. Sterile disposable probes
4. Sterile forceps/tweezers
5. Loupes, if used
6. Gloves
7. Lab coat
8. Any post treatment cream or ointment
9. Alcohol, witch hazel, cotton, table paper, head draping, treatment table and magnifying lamp are provided

Your patient/model will complete a medical case history form and you will review it for completeness. Two examiners will observe you inserting in the follicle and epilating the hair. You must work on two areas, such as chin and neck; brow and chin; arm and lip; we need to see you readjust to work on a second area. You will be asked about your epilator, pre and post treatment procedures and disinfection/sterilization procedures. A passing grade is 75% or higher.

The exam is administered in a committee member's office. You have 20 minutes to set up prior to the exam. Results will be emailed to you.