# Licensure by NCLEX® Examination Timeline

**REQUIRED FROM THE APPLICANT**:

**NCBON Application ($75)**

- Completed online application
- Notarized identification document with passport style photograph (2x2 head and shoulders) attached to document
- Must be a photograph, not a color copy

**Criminal Background Check (CBC) ($38)**

- Completed Live Scan fingerprints
- Signed Authority for Release of Information form

**NCLEX®Registration with Pearson VUE ($200)**

**REQUIRED FROM THE PROGRAM DIRECTOR:**

**Verification of Program Completion**

- Completed online with the NCBON

**WEBSITES**:

**NCBON:** www,ncbon.com
North Carolina Board of Nursing
***New Graduate Resources***

**NCSBN**: www.ncsbn.org
National Council of State Boards of Nursing

**NCBON application status:**
https://www.ncbon.com/ExamStatus/bon001.aspx

**NCLEX® Registration:** www.pearsonVUE.com/nclex

**Contact Information**:
**NCBON** dedicated exam voicemail: (919) 782-3211 X375
examdept@ncbon.com

**Final semester of program begins**

Submit the NCBON application for Licensure by Exam online ($75)

2 months before completion

Complete the Criminal Background Check (CBC) materials ($38)

Submit separately, the identification document with attached photograph and notarized affidavit

Within 2 weeks of submitting the application for licensure

Submit online NCLEX® registration with Pearson VUE ($200)

At least 1 week prior to program completion

Program Completion!!!

Program Director verifies program completion

ASAP but within 30 days

NCBON declares applicant eligible within 10 calendar days

Receive ATT number from Pearson VUE, used to schedule NCLEX® test date

Within 24 hours by email

Test date scheduled by applicant

The NCBON will receive the result within 30 days (please allow time for processing).

Licensure requires a NCLEX® passing score, an approved CBC, and a valid US Social Security number.

Results received ASAP but within 30 days

License Issued

Within 10 calendar days