

**North Dakota Board of Medicine
HOSPITAL/CLINIC REFERENCE FORM**

TO APPLICANT: The North Dakota Board of Medicine requires letters from all facilities (hospitals, clinics, etc. where you have practiced within the past **three** years. The Board reserves the right to request any additional letters during the licensing process. This form must be completed by the hospital/clinic/facility and mailed **directly** to the Board at **4204 Boulder Ridge Rd, Ste 260, Bismarck, ND 58503-6162**. The completed form may also be faxed to 701-989-6392 but **MUST** be sent with a fax cover sheet that provides the Board with the required primary source verification. In addition, the forms must meet the following criteria:

- a) Currently dated
- b) Contain an original signature
- c) Be completed in full

Please be sure to indicate the applicant's name below for identification purposes.

Name of Applicant: _____
(First Name) (Middle Name or MI) Last name)

If the hospital/clinic or other facility requires a release to complete this information on your behalf, please go to Item #7 of the online application instructions and print/complete the Affidavit and submit it to the facility with this form.

REFERENCE SOURCE: Please complete this form, sign, and return to the ND Board of Medicine in a sealed envelope. **Please print or type all information.**

Important: The processing time for licensure directly depends on timely receipt of critical forms such as this.

From: (name of hospital/facility) _____

Address	City	State	Zip

Area Code	Phone Number		
_____	_____		

Dates of employment/privileges: _____ to _____
month/year month/year

1. In what capacity are you acquainted with him/her? _____

NOTE: If you answer "YES" to any of the following questions please give an explanation (Circle answers).

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| 2. Have you ever received reports of poor medical practice by this physician or have you discussed concerns you had about his/her practice with medical staff officers at a hospital? | Yes | No |
| 3. Are you aware of any boundary or ethical issues that would affect this applicant's ability to practice medicine? | Yes | No |
| 4. Do you know of any derogatory information about this physician with respect to his/her ability to practice medicine? | Yes | No |
| 5. Do you know if this physician has or has this physician had in the past, any mental or physical illnesses or other issues that interfere with his/her medical practice? | Yes | No |

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| 6. | Do you know if this physician has ever abused alcohol or drugs or shown signs of chemical dependency? | Yes | No |
| 7. | Do you know of any lawsuits having to do with this physician's medical practice that this physician has either lost or settled out of court? | Yes | No |
| 8. | Do you know of any restrictions, limitations or other actions of any nature taken against this physician by a hospital or other health related entity? | Yes | No |

NOTE: If you answer "NO" to questions 9, 10, or 11, please give an explanation.

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| 9. | Does this physician accept medical staff and hospital policies and function willingly according to these policies? | Yes | No |
| 10. | Does this physician enjoy professional respect among his or her colleagues and in the community where this physician practices? | Yes | No |
| 11. | Do you recommend this physician for a medical license in North Dakota? | Yes | No |

COMMENTS: _____

Signature

Date

Title

Email Address