

Insurance Department

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INSURANCE DEPARTMENT BULLETIN

TO: Wyoming Insurance Licensees
FROM: Justin Misener, Licensing Administrator
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SUBJECT: Veteran’s Reimbursement of Licensing Tests

Recent interest by agencies at all levels to remove barriers to veteran’s employment has generated an appeal to maximize the number of approved license and certification tests. The VA is authorized to pay only for the test and related testing fees, not for other costs of the license or certification. Dependents of veterans who died in service or dependents of totally disabled veterans can also use this benefit under certain conditions. Veterans and authorized dependents may be reimbursed for an unlimited number of tests up to \$2,000 each, even if the test is failed, provided they have remaining GI Bill entitlement.

The Wyoming Department of Insurance has worked with the Wyoming Military Department in receiving approval for veteran’s reimbursement of required tests. The Wyoming Department of Insurance has received approval for the following exams:

Insurance	Adjuster Crop and Hail Insurance	Wyoming Insurance Department
Insurance	Adjuster General Lines Insurance	Wyoming Insurance Department
Insurance	Agent Title Insurance	Wyoming Insurance Department
Insurance	Consultant Life, Accident and Health	Wyoming Insurance Department
Insurance	Consultant Property and Casualty	Wyoming Insurance Department
Insurance	Preneed Funeral Insurance	Wyoming Insurance Department
Insurance	Producer Accident/Health and Disability	Wyoming Insurance Department
Insurance	Producer Casualty Insurance	Wyoming Insurance Department
Insurance	Producer Credit Insurance	Wyoming Insurance Department
Insurance	Producer Life Insurance	Wyoming Insurance Department
Insurance	Producer Life and Accident/ Health and Disability	Wyoming Insurance Department
Insurance	Producer Personal Lines Insurance	Wyoming Insurance Department

Insurance	Producer Property Insurance	Wyoming Insurance Department
Insurance	Producer Property and Casualty Insurance	Wyoming Insurance Department
Insurance	Producer Variable Life and Annuity Insurance	Wyoming Insurance Department
Insurance	Surplus Lines Insurance	Wyoming Insurance Department

Licensure is the process by which The Wyoming Department of Insurance grants permission to individuals to engage in the practice of a particular profession, vocation, or occupation, and prohibits all others from legally practicing that profession. By ensuring a minimum level of competence, the licensure process protects the general public. The Wyoming Department of Insurance is responsible for establishing the acceptable level of safe practice and for determining whether an individual meets that standard. The state of Wyoming has retained the services of Pearson VUE to develop and administer its insurance licensing examination program. Pearson VUE is a leading provider of assessment services to regulatory agencies and national associations. Veterans will want to review the Wyoming Insurance Licensing Candidate Bulletin located on this website: www.pearsonvue.com/wy/insurance/.

Veterans may refer to the following web page for eligibility information and forms for reimbursement of testing fees by the GI Bill.
http://www.gibill.va.gov/resources/education_resources/programs/licensing_and_certification.html

Veterans will also need to refer to the Wyoming Department of Insurance web page at <http://insurance.state.wy.us> to find additional information regarding licenses and required items needed to obtain an insurance license in several areas of expertise.

The Wyoming Department of Insurance is very excited to be a part of this great service our Veterans may utilize for their professional growth. For more information, please contact the Wyoming Department of Insurance at 106 East 6th Avenue, Cheyenne, WY 82002, telephone: 307-777-7401 or toll free in Wyoming at 800-438-5768.