CNA INITIAL APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

***The application must be completed before enrolling an individual in a CNA training and testing program.

Instructions for the nurse aide applicant:

To access the CNA Online Application and the CNA Training Enrollment Verification form, go to the South Dakota Board of Nursing website. Type https://doh.sd.gov/boards/nursing/NurseAid.aspx in your browser. Scroll down the page until you find the below screen.
Click on the Link to the CNA Training Enrollment Verification Form.
Complete Section A-2 and then give the form to your employer, organization or school to complete Section A-3. Will be completed by your employer, organization or school and returned to you to upload with the application.
To access the online CNA Initial Application, click on the blue button Submit & Continue. Complete all the mandatory fields which are typed in red and marked with an asterisk.

Initial CNA Online Application Process:

Complete the Initial CNA Application and submit the necessary documents before enrolling in a CNA Training Program.
Allow up to 5-7 business days for the South Dakota Department of Health Office of Licensure and Certification to process your application.
There is no fee to process this application.
Your application will not be processed if all applicable questions are not answered.

Link to the CNA Training Enrollment Verification Form

Application Questions:  Jolene Hanson or Shelly Walstead

Submit & Continue

If you have problems completing and/or submitting the verification and/or application form, please use the email link above or call Jolene Hanson at 605-367-7499 or Shelly Walstead at 605-367-4640.
After the CNA applicant has completed the online application, they will need to click inside the □ for a √ to certify the information provided on the application is complete, true, and correct.

To upload a completed Training Enrollment Verification Form with the application, click on the gray button Upload File(s). There are recommendations on uploading the file by clicking on the here link. If unable to upload the form, please send the form to South Dakota Department of Health (SDDOH) by email or fax. The email and fax information are located on the bottom of the form.

Certified Nurse Aide (CNA) Initial Application

Certification

I declare and affirm that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information provided on this application is complete, true, and correct.

Remember to print the CNA training enrollment verification form. Once the form has been successfully completed by the appropriate personnel, they may be submitted to the South Dakota Department of Health.

You may print the form here:

- Training Enrollment Verification Form

Or

If you have completed the Training Enrollment Verification Form. You can upload the form below to include it with your application.

Upload File(s) Click here for recommendations on uploading files.

Click on the gray button Choose File, select the File, and then click on the blue button Upload File(s). The screen should show the file uploaded. Click on the blue button Submit & Continue to successfully complete the application process.

Uploaded File(s)
- Uploaded File

You have successfully submitted the Certified Nurse Aide (CNA) Initial Application.

To track the progress of your application, you may check our website and click on Application Status under CNA Registration Verification.
- Application Status website
## CNA Training Enrollment Verification

### Nurse Aide Instructions:
1. Print this CNA Training Enrollment Verification Form, complete section A-2 of this form, and then forward this form to your current employer, organization, or school, so they can complete Section A-3 (CNA Training Enrollment Verification).
2. Your current employer, organization, or school must return this completed form to you to upload with the CNA Initial Application.

### Section A-2 (Nurse aide will complete this section)

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I hereby request and authorize my employer/organization/school to release the information requested on this form to the SD Department of Health for certification purposes.

Signature of Nurse Aide: ___________________________ Date: ________________

### Section A-3 (Employer, Organization or School will complete this section)

Employer/Organization/School Instructions:
1. Complete section A-3 with applicant’s employment background information.
2. Return the completed form to the Nurse Aide applicant to upload with the CNA Initial Application.

Please note the following rule: 44:74:02:06 Grounds for revocation, denial, or suspension of nurse aide certification.

☐ This nurse aide has no record of abuse, neglect, or misappropriation, nor is there any pending action.

☐ I affirm that, to the best of my knowledge, all information provided on this verification is complete, true, and correct.

Comments: __________________________________________________________

Employer/Organization/School:

Address: ____________________________________________________________

City, State, Zip: ______________________________________________________

Telephone: ___________________________ Date: ________________________

Employer, Organization or School Representative Signature/Title:________________ Date: ______________________

Nurse aide: Please upload this form after you have completed the CNA Initial Application. If you are unable to upload the form, please call (605)367-7499 or (605)367-4640. Thank you.
Instructions for the program coordinators and/or instructors:

To verify the eligibility of the nurse aide to begin a CNA training and testing program, go to the South Dakota Board of Nursing website. Type https://www.sdnap.org/verify/ in your browser. Save this page to your desktop or favorites for easy access. Click on the Registration Verification Link

- Online Renewal
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- Print Registration Card
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Registration Verification

Registry status implies only that an unlicensed individual has met the minimal training and testing requirements necessary to accept delegated tasks by a licensed nurse while under a nurse’s supervision. Registry status does not imply that an individual has met moral, ethical or legal standards. The Registry should not take the place of an employer’s hiring screening process or background check.

Complete the verification by entering the nurse aide’s first and last name or by entering their social security number. Click on the blue button Submit & Continue.

When the screen shows the nurse aide’s status is “Eligible” the individual can be enrolled in an approved CNA training and testing program. If the status reads “Denied” the individual is not approved and is not eligible to be enrolled in a CNA training and testing program.

Registration Verification

The verification of registry information generated from this system is considered primary source verification and is real time with the Unlicensed Assistive Personnel registry database.

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Individual Results

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Discipline | Original Registration Date | Issue Date | Expiration Date | Application Rec Date |
---|-----------------------------|-------------|-----------------|----------------------|
No |                            |             |                 | 12/19/2019           |
Instructions for the nurse aide applicant, program coordinator, and/or instructors:

To check on the nurse aide’s application status, go to the South Dakota Board of Nursing website. Type https://www.sduap.org/verify/ in your browser. Click on the Application Status Link.

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Application Status

Application for Registration

This application status checklist is updated upon receipt of each component of your application, and you can trust that is reflects the most up-to-date status of your application. We encourage you to refer to it periodically to make sure the board is receiving all information required to process your application and issue your registration.

Click in the circle in front of the CNA registration - Certified Nurse Aide (CNA)* Enter the first name, last name, date of birth, and last 4 digits of the SSN of the individual. Click on the blue button Submit & Continue.

The status of both the CNA Training Enrollment Verification and Application needs to read “Completed” before the individual can start the CNA training and testing program.

If the status is blank the CNA applicant has not completed and/or submitted the form to SD DOH.

If the status reads “Denied” the individual is not approved and is not eligible to be enrolled and/or complete a CNA training and testing program.

Applicant Name: Jane Doe
SD UAP Type: CNA

Items without Date Received have not been delivered to the Board office. We must obtain these items before we can review your application for approval. Please allow up to 5-7 business days for each component of your application to be processed and reflected on the online application status checklist.

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If you have problems verifying the registration or checking on the application status, please use the email link above or call Jolene Hanson at 605-367-7499 or Shelly Walstead at 605-367-4640.