

Professional Licensure and Certification

M.S. in Behavior Analysis

Salve Regina University discloses that the **master's degree in behavior analysis** will fulfill state/territory educational requirements for professional licensure or certification (licensure/certification), as indicated in the program disclosure table below.

All state licensing boards require additional requirements beyond education, which may include (but are not limited to) additional post-graduation examinations or experience, application and licensing fees, criminal background checks, reference checks, fingerprint submissions, etc. Continuing education may also be required for maintenance of certification/licensure. Make sure you understand and review any additional requirements prior to enrolling in the program.

State licensing and certification requirements are always subject to change at the discretion of the state licensing board. The University will periodically update this page, but we strongly recommend you inquire with the applicable state board to confirm your eligibility for licensure prior to enrolling in the program. For any questions regarding licensure or certification, please contact the state/territory agency directly.

Licensing and certification requirements vary by state/territory, and relocating could impact whether you will meet eligibility requirements for licensure or certification. For any questions about relocation eligibility, contact the agency before relocating to ensure that you will be eligible for licensure, certification, or reciprocity.

Carefully review the educational prerequisites for your intended state/territory and whether our program meets those requirements. Use the agency contact information provided below to clarify or confirm any requirements.

If you have questions after reviewing the information provided below, contact your academic advisor. While the University can provide initial guidance, it is ultimately your responsibility to continually check with the state/territory where you intend to seek licensure or certification to confirm all requirements.

The state licensing or certification disclosures below indicate if the program curriculum “meets” the educational requirements in these states and U.S. territories, “does not meet” the educational requirements in these states and U.S. territories or if the program has not yet determined if the educational requirements are met for these states and U.S. territories.

Program webpage: <https://salve.edu/academics/find-your-program/behavior-analysis-masters-degree>

Salve Regina Professional Licensure and Certification webpage:
<https://salve.edu/our-mission/campus-offices-and-services/academic-affairs/professional-licensure-and-certification>

State by state disclosure table below.

For additional information on state certification and/or licensure requirements, the [Behavior Analyst Certification Board](#) maintains a list of states that require licensure.

State	State Licensing Board or Department	Licensing/ Certification Educational Requirements	Last Review
Alabama	AL Behavior Analyst Advisory Council	Meets	August 2026
Alaska	AK Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing	Meets	August 2026
Arizona	AZ Board of Psychologist Examiners	Meets	August 2026
Arkansas	Behavior Analyst Registration Act	Meets	August 2026
California	State does not have licensure requirements	NA	August 2026
Colorado	Colorado Licensure Regulations CO HB26-1425	Meets	August 2026
Connecticut	CT State Department of Public Health	Meets	August 2026
Delaware	State does not have licensure requirements	NA	August 2026
District of Columbia	DC Board of Psychology	Meets	August 2026
Florida	State does not have licensure requirements	NA	August 2026
Georgia	GA Behavior Analyst Licensing Board	Meets	August 2026
Hawaii	HI Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs	Meets	August 2026
Idaho	State does not have licensure requirements	NA	August 2026
Illinois	IL Dept. of Financial and Professional Regulation	Meets	August 2026
Indiana	IN Professional Licensing Agency	Meets	August 2026
Iowa	IA Board of Behavioral Health Professionals	Meets	August 2026
Kansas	KS Behavioral Sciences Regulatory Board	Meets	August 2026
Kentucky	KY Applied Behavior Analysis Licensing Board	Meets	August 2026
Louisiana	LA Behavior Analyst Board	Meets	August 2026
Maine	State does not have licensure requirements	NA	August 2026
Maryland	MD State Board of Professional Counselors and Therapists	Meets	August 2026
Massachusetts	MA Board of Registration of Allied Mental Health and Human Services Professions	Meets	August 2026
Michigan	MI Board of Behavior Analysts	Meets	August 2026
Minnesota	MN Board of Psychology	Meets	August 2026
Mississippi	MS Autism Board	Meets	August 2026
Missouri	MO Behavior Analyst Advisory Board	Meets	August 2026
Montana	MT Board of Psychologists	Meets	August 2026
Nebraska	NE Dept. of Health and Human Services	Meets	August 2026
Nevada	NV Applied Behavior Analysis Board	Meets	August 2026
New Hampshire	State does not have licensure requirements	NA	August 2026
New Jersey	NJ State Board of Applied Behavior Analyst Examiners	Meets	August 2026
New Mexico	State does not have licensure requirements	NA	August 2026
New York	NY State Education Department, Office of the Professions	Does not meet – The state requires certain additional coursework. Please contact the program director for more information.	August 2026
North Carolina	NC Behavior Analyst Licensure Board	Meets	August 2026
North Dakota	ND Board of Integrative Health Care	Meets	August 2026
Ohio	OH Board of Psychology	Meets	August 2026
Oklahoma	OK Licensed Behavior Analyst Board	Meets	August 2026
Oregon	OR Behavior Analysis Regulatory Board	Meets	August 2026
Pennsylvania	State does not have licensure requirements	NA	August 2026
Rhode Island	State of RI Department of Health	Meets	August 2026

South Carolina	State does not have licensure requirements	NA	August 2026
South Dakota	SD Applied Behavior Analyst Advisory Committee	Meets	August 2026
Tennessee	TN Applied Behavior Analyst Licensing Committee	Meets	August 2026
Texas	TX Department of Licensing and Regulation	Meets	August 2026
Utah	UT Division of Professional Licensing	Meets	August 2026
Vermont	VT Office of Professional Regulation	Meets	August 2026
Virginia	VA Board of Medicine	Meets	August 2026
Washington	WA State Department of Health	Meets	August 2026
West Virginia	State does not have licensure requirements	NA	August 2026
Wisconsin	WI Department of Safety and Professional Services	Meets	August 2026
Wyoming	WY Board of Psychology	Meets	August 2026