

**WAC 246-338-022 Initial application for medical test site license. (1) Application procedure.**

Applicants requesting a medical test site license must:

(a) Submit a completed application on forms furnished by the department, signed by the owner or authorized representative;

(b) File a separate application for each test site **except** under the following conditions:

(i) If the test site is not at a fixed location and moves from testing site to testing site, or uses a temporary testing location such as a health fair, the medical test site may apply for a single license for the home base location;

(ii) If the medical test site is a not-for-profit or state or local government and performs a combination of fifteen or less of either waived or moderate complexity test procedures at different locations, the owner may file an application for a single license;

(c) Furnish full and complete information to the department in writing:

(i) Name, address, phone number, and federal tax ID number of the medical test site;

(ii) Name of owner;

(iii) Number and types of tests performed, planned, or projected;

(iv) Name and qualifications including educational background, training, and experience of the director;

(v) Names and qualifications including educational background, training, and experience of technical personnel, if requested by the department;

(vi) Name of proficiency testing program or programs used by the medical test site and a copy of the enrollment confirmation form, if applicable;

(vii) Methodologies for tests performed, if requested by the department; and

(viii) Other information as requested by the department;

(d) Submit the designated fee in the time period indicated, upon receipt of a fee statement from the department;

(e) If applying for an accredited license, submit proof of accreditation by an approved accreditation organization. If application has been made to an accreditation organization, submit a copy of the application, followed by proof of accreditation within eleven months of issuance of the medical test site license.

**(2) Issuing an initial license.**

(a) An initial license will be issued for a medical test site when the applicant:

(i) Submits a completed application and any information requested by the department;

(ii) Pays the designated license fee; and

(iii) Meets the requirements of chapter 70.42 RCW and this chapter.

(b) License expiration dates will be based on a two-year licensure cycle, expiring on June 30th of odd-numbered years. The license period for an initial license begins the day of the month that payment is received and expires on June 30th of odd-numbered years.

(c) For licenses issued for a period of less than two years, the license fee will be prorated for the remainder of the two-year cycle under WAC 246-338-990.

(d) The department may issue a provisional license valid for a period of up to two years when a medical test site applies for licensure for the first time.

(e) The department will terminate a provisional license at the time a two-year license for the medical test site is issued.

(f) License fees are listed under WAC 246-338-990.

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