

# Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services

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## DIVISION OF PROFESSIONAL CREDENTIAL PROCESSING

### INSTRUCTIONS FOR RESIDENTIAL JOURNEYMAN ELECTRICIAN APPLICATION

#### **Requirements for Credential**

Per [Wis. Stat. § 101.862](#), no person may install, repair, or maintain electrical wiring unless the person is licensed as an electrician by the Department or unless the person is enrolled as a registered Electrician by the Department.

Per [Wis. Admin. Code § SPS 305.40](#), the electrical wiring activities that may be undertaken by a person who holds a license or registration as a licensed Residential Master Electrician, a licensed Residential Journeyman Electrician or a registered Residential Electrical Apprentice shall be limited to wiring associated with dwellings, dwelling units and detached accessory buildings and structures serving the dwellings or the dwelling units, such as garages, carports, gazebos, and swimming pools. A person who holds a license or registration as a licensed Residential Master Electrician, a licensed Residential Journeyman Electrician, or a registered Residential Electrical Apprentice may perform electrical wiring not associated with dwellings and dwelling units, provided the person is under the direct supervision of a licensed Master Electrician, or Registered Master Electrician, or a licensed Journeyman Electrician.

#### **AN APPLICATION IS NOT COMPLETE UNTIL ALL OF THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED:**

A person may obtain a credential as a licensed Residential Journeyman Electrician by **one** of the following methods:

#### **Method 1 – Experience and Examination**

Completing the necessary hours of experience and passing the Residential Journeyman Electrician license examination.

1. **Application and Fee:** The fee consists of a \$35 application fee and a \$30 exam fee. When the exam is passed the applicant will pay a \$100 prorated credential fee, based on a 4-year term from June 30<sup>th</sup>.
2. **Experience:** A person applying for a Residential Journeyman Electrician license examination shall have completed at least 1,000 hours per year of experience for at least 3 years in residential electrical wiring work. If a person has completed semesters in a school of electrical engineering or an accredited college, university, technical or vocational school in an electrical related program, the applicant may claim 500 hours for each semester up to a total of 2,000 hours and 2 years towards the required experience. **Complete** the Experience Table on Page 2. **Attach** a copy of transcripts, if applicable.
3. **Examination:** Select an exam date on Page 2. For additional information on exam content, please view the Department website at <http://dsps.wi.gov> under “PROFESSIONS” and select “Journeyman Electrician, Residential.”

#### **Method 2 – Apprenticeship**

Completing a residential electrical apprenticeship program

1. **Application and Fee:** The fee consists of a \$35 application fee and a \$100 prorated credential fee, based on a 4-year term from June 30<sup>th</sup>. The fee table on Page 1 includes both the application fee and prorated credential fee.
2. **Electrical Apprenticeship:** Completed a residential electrical wiring apprenticeship program recognized under [Wis. Stat. ch. 106](#) or the Federal Department of Labor. **Attach** a copy of certificate of completion from the Wisconsin Bureau of Apprenticeship Standards stating that you have completed a residential electrical wiring apprenticeship program. If you have any questions about apprenticeship standards, please contact the Wisconsin Bureau of Apprenticeship Standards at: <http://dwd.wisconsin.gov/apprenticeship/contacts.htm> or 608-266-3332.

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### APPLICATION FOR RESIDENTIAL JOURNEYMAN ELECTRICIAN LICENSE

The Department must deny your application if you are liable for delinquent state taxes, UI contributions, or child support (Wis. Stat. §§ 440.12 and 440.13).

<b>PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT IN INK</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> Your name, address, phone number, and e-mail address are available to the public. Check box to withhold street address/PO Box, phone number, and e-mail address from lists of 10 or more credential holders (Wis. Stat. § 440.14).	
<b>Last Name</b>	<b>First Name</b>	<b>MI</b>	<b>Date of Birth</b>
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/>
<b>Address (street)</b>	<b>(city)</b>	<b>(state)</b>	<b>(zip code)</b>
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<b>Social Security Number</b>			<b>Daytime Telephone Number</b>
<input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/>			<input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/>
Your Social Security Number must be submitted with your application on this form. If you do not have a Social Security Number, you must complete <a href="#">Form #1051</a> . The Department may not disclose the Social Security Number collected except as authorized by law.			
<b>Have you ever held a Trades credential in WI?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, list your credential number: <input type="text"/>			
<b>E-mail Address</b>			
<input type="text"/>			

**APPLICATION FEES:** Please check applicable box. Make check payable to **DSPS** and attach to this application. To pay by credit card see [Form #3073](#).

- I am seeking a Veteran Fee Waiver** (for Initial Credential Fee only, see further information below)
- Method 1 - Experience and Exam**  
\$35.00 Application Fee  
\$30.00 Exam Fee  
**\$65.00 Total Fee Attached**
- Method 2 - Apprenticeship**  
(see Prorated Credential Fee Table below)
- Reinstatement Fee (credential expired more than 4 years)**  
\$35.00 Application Fee  
\$30.00 Exam Fee  
\$25.00 Late Renewal Fee  
**\$90.00 Total Fee Attached**

**APPLICATION IS NOT COMPLETE UNTIL ALL OF THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED:**

- Fee and Application** (including signature on Page 3)
- Supporting Documentation for Method Applying by** (see Page i for instruction, i.e., college transcripts, letter of apprenticeship completion)
- Is name on all credentials the same?** If not, list former/maiden name(s):

Prorated Credential Fee Table – Method 2			
Select the month the application is mailed. The fee below includes both the application and credential fee.			
<input type="checkbox"/> January - \$122.52	<input type="checkbox"/> February - \$120.44	<input type="checkbox"/> March - \$118.36	<input type="checkbox"/> April - \$116.28
<input type="checkbox"/> May - \$114.20	<input type="checkbox"/> June - \$112.12	<input type="checkbox"/> July - \$135.00	<input type="checkbox"/> August - \$132.92
<input type="checkbox"/> September - \$130.84	<input type="checkbox"/> October - \$128.76	<input type="checkbox"/> November - \$126.68	<input type="checkbox"/> December - \$124.60

**ARE YOU A VETERAN?** If yes, please view the DSPS website at <https://dps.wi.gov/Pages/Professions/MilitaryLicensureBenefits.aspx> for information and eligibility requirements for veterans, service members, former service members, and their spouses.

**If you qualify, are you requesting a waiver of your initial credentialing fee?**  Yes  No  
If Yes, provide copy of WI Dept of Veterans Affairs (WDVA) voucher code and list your WDVA Voucher Code #: \_\_\_\_\_

(You may contact the WDVA at 1-800-947-8387 or [dva.wi.gov](http://dva.wi.gov) for assistance in obtaining your WDVA Voucher Code and/or documents related to your training.)

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## EXPERIENCE TABLE: METHOD 1

Document at least 1,000 hours per year of experience for at least 3 years in residential electrical wiring work. The witness must have observed or had knowledge of the number of work hours performed in electrical construction. If a person has completed semesters in a school of electrical engineering or an accredited college, university, technical or vocational school in an electrical related program, the applicant may claim 500 hours for each semester up to a total of 2,000 hours and 2 years towards the required experience. Copies of this page may be made to mail to witnesses to sign. (Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

Month/Year Began	Month/Year Ended	Hours	Signature of Witness OR Name of School	Phone # of Witness
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## TO SCHEDULE AN UPCOMING EXAM: METHOD 1

- Indicate a **first date choice (1)** and a **second date choice (2)** in the event one exam site is full.
- Submit the **fee and this application to the Department at least 30 days in advance of the exam date chosen.**
- Keep a copy of this application for your records. You may only schedule one future exam session at a time for each credential type.
- You will receive a letter from DSPS confirming your upcoming exam, including the time, date, and location of the exam.
- If you need special accommodations see information at <https://dsps.wi.gov/Pages/Professions/TradesExaminationInformation.aspx> or email [DSPSCredTrades@wisconsin.gov](mailto:DSPSCredTrades@wisconsin.gov).

Select <b>One</b> : A.M. (starts at 8:00 a.m.) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>or</b> P.M. (starts at 1:00 p.m.) <input type="checkbox"/> (If taking a 2-part plumbing exam or 5-hour exam, you will be scheduled for both the A.M. and the P.M. session.)				
<b>DeForest – (new location)</b> Comfort Inn and Suites 5025 County Road V DeForest, WI 53532	<input type="checkbox"/> February 15, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> February 16, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> April 27, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> April 28, 2022
	<input type="checkbox"/> June 21, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> June 22, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> August 23, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> August 24, 2022
	<input type="checkbox"/> October 4, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> October 5, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> December 13, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> December 14, 2022
<b>Pewaukee – (new location)</b> Ingleside Hotel 2810 Golf Road Pewaukee, WI 53072	<input type="checkbox"/> January 4, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> January 5, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> March 15, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> March 16, 2022
	<input type="checkbox"/> May 24, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> May 25, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> July 26, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> July 27, 2022
	<input type="checkbox"/> September 13, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> September 14, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> November 29, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> November 30, 2022
<b>Eau Claire – Sleep Inn and Suites</b> 5872 33rd Ave, Eau Claire, WI 54703	<input type="checkbox"/> April 12, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> April 13, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> August 9, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> August 10, 2022
<b>Appleton – Doubletree by Hilton Appleton</b> 150 South Nicolet Road Appleton, WI 54914	<input type="checkbox"/> January 18, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> January 19, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> March 1, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> March 2, 2022
	<input type="checkbox"/> May 3, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> May 4, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> July 12, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> July 13, 2022
	<input type="checkbox"/> September 27, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> September 28, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> November 8, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> November 9, 2022
<b>Wausau – (new location)</b> Fairfield By Marriott 7100 Stone Ridge Dr, Weston, WI 54476	<input type="checkbox"/> February 1, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> February 2, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> June 7, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> June 8, 2022
	<input type="checkbox"/> October 25, 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> October 26, 2022		

**CONTINUING EDUCATION AND RENEWAL REQUIREMENTS:** Please view the Department website at <http://dsps.wi.gov> under "PROFESSIONS" and select "Journeyman Electrician, Residential."

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## CERTIFICATION OF LEGAL STATUS

I declare under penalty of law that I am (check one):

- A citizen or national of the United States, or
- A qualified alien or nonimmigrant lawfully present in the United States who is eligible to receive this professional license or credential as defined in the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunities Reconciliation Act of 1996, as codified in 8 U.S.C. §1601 et. seq. (PRWORA). For questions concerning PRWORA status, please contact the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services in the Department of Homeland Security at 1-800-375-5283 or online at <http://www.uscis.gov>.

Should my legal status change during the application process or after a credential is granted, I understand that I must report this change to the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services immediately.

## CONTINUING DUTY OF DISCLOSURE

I understand that I have a continuing duty of disclosure during the application process. If information I have provided in this application becomes invalid, incorrect, or outdated, I understand that I am obliged to provide any necessary information to ensure the information on my application remains current, valid, and truthful. I understand that credentialing authorities may view acts of omission as dishonesty and that my duty of disclosure during the application process exists until licensure is granted or denied.

## AFFIDAVIT OF APPLICANT

I declare that I am the person referred to on this application and that all answers set forth are each and all strictly true in every respect. I understand that failure to provide requested information, making any materially false statement and/or giving any materially false information in connection with my application for a credential or for renewal or reinstatement of a credential may result in credential application processing delays; denial, revocation, suspension, or limitation of my credential; or any combination thereof; or such other penalties as may be provided by law. I further understand that if I am issued a credential, or renewal, or reinstatement thereof, failure to comply with the statutes and/or administrative code provisions of the licensing authority will be cause of disciplinary action.

By signing below, I am signifying that I have read the above statements (Certification of Legal Status, Continuing Duty of Disclosure, and Affidavit of Applicant) and understand the obligation I have as an applicant or credential-holder should information I have provided to the Department of Safety and Professional Services change.

Signature:  Date:  /  /   
(Print and Sign Form)