

Appendix I

Staged Senior Professional and Technical Examinations for Medical Doctors, Dentists, TCM Practitioners, and Pharmacists—Eligibility Requirements

Category	Eligibility Requirements
Medical Doctor Examination	<p>Those who meet any of the following may register for the medical doctor examination:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Have graduated from the department of medicine in a public or registered private university or independent college in the Republic of China and have completed internship. Candidates graduating after August 1, 2012 are required to have passed clinical examinations held by a university hospital accredited by the central regulating authority with documents providing the achievement. 2. Have graduated from the department of medicine in a foreign university or independent college recognized by the R.O.C. Ministry of Education. To qualify for the stage two examination, candidates passing the stage one exam must submit documents issued by a medical institution which has been accredited by university hospital proving the candidate has completed the clinical skills training internship. Candidates who completed the clinical skills training after January 1, 2013 are required to have passed clinical examinations held by a university hospital accredited by the central regulating authority with documents providing the achievement. 3. Have entered a seven-year program at the department of traditional Chinese medicine in a private independent college no later than the academic year of 1995 and graduated with all required courses and internship completed with documents certifying the achievement and have passed the TCM practitioner exam and hold the license as a qualified TCM practitioner. 4. Have graduated from the department of traditional Chinese medicine with a double major in western medicine and have completed internship with documents proving the achievement and have passed the TCM practitioner exam and hold the license as a qualified TCM practitioner. Candidates graduating after August 1, 2012 are required to have passed clinical examinations held by a university hospital accredited by the central regulating authority with documents providing the achievement. 5. Currently a medical student in a public or registered private university or independent college who has completed courses of basic subject areas in the department of medicine with school documents proving the qualification. 6. Currently a TCM student with a double major in medicine in an independent college of a public or registered private university who has completed courses of basic subject areas in the department of medicine with school documents proving the qualification. <p>The criteria for internship completion mentioned above and how the clinical examinations should be administered should comply with the Enforcement Rules for the Physicians Act.</p> <p>The basic subject areas in the Paragraph 1, Subparagraphs 5 and 6 refer to the following: human morphology (anatomy, histology, embryology, and developmental biology), biochemistry, physiology, microbiology and immunology, human parasitology, pathology, pharmacology, and public health. For the format of the course completion certificate, see Form 1.</p>

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Dentist Examination	<p>Those who meet any of the following may register for the dentist examination:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Have graduated from the department of dentistry in a public or registered private university or independent college or a foreign university or independent college recognized by the R.O.C. Ministry of Education and have completed internship with documents proving the achievement. To qualify for the stage two exam after passing the stage one exam, candidates graduating from a foreign university or independent college must submit documents issued by a medical institution which has been accredited by a university hospital proving the candidate has completed the clinical skills training internship. The criteria for internship completion should comply with the Enforcement Rules for the Physicians Act. 2. Currently a dentistry student in a public or registered private university or independent college who has completed courses of basic subject areas in the department of dentistry with school documents proving the qualification. <p>The basic subject areas in Subparagraph 2 refer to the following: histology (including lab courses) or human morphology and demo anatomy, biochemistry (including lab courses), physiology (including lab courses), microbiology and immunology (including lab courses), neuroanatomy (neurobiology) (including lab courses) or neuroscience, dental materials (dental instruments), dental public health, oral embryology and histology (including lab courses), pathology (including oral pathology) (including lab courses), pharmacology (including lab courses), dental morphology (including lab courses), (gross) anatomy (including dental anatomy) (including lab courses) or human morphology and anatomy practices, and occlusion. For the format of the course completion certificate, see Form 2.</p>

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TCM Practitioner Examination	<p>Those who meet any of the following may register for the TCM practitioner examination:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Have graduated from the TCM department or a postgraduate program in TCM in a public or registered private university or independent college and have completed internship To qualify for the stage two exam after passing the stage one exam, candidates graduating from the TCM department or a postgraduate program in TCM in a foreign university or independent college must submit documents issued by a medical institution which has been accredited by a university hospital proving the candidate has completed the clinical skills training internship. The criteria for internship completion should comply with the Enforcement Rules for the Physicians Act. 2. Have graduated from the department of medicine in a public or registered private university or independent college and have completed courses in basic TCM theories (7 credits and including Huangdi Neijing, Nan Jing, TCM introduction, and history of Chinese medicine), TCM diagnostics (4 credits), TCM pharmacology (6 credits), TCM formula study (4 credits), TCM internal medicine (13 credits and including Shanghan Lun, ingui Yaolüe, and warm disease studies), and acupuncture studies (5 credits) and have taken two of the following with three credits for each: TCM ophthalmology, TCM traumatology, TCM gynecology, TCM pediatrics, and TCM surgical studies. The overall credits should number 45 minimum. The candidate must have passed the medical doctor examination and hold the certificate. 3. Have graduated from the department of medicine with a double major in TCM, have completed internship, and have passed the medical doctor examination and hold the certificate. 4. Currently a student in the TCM department or a postgraduate program in TCM who has completed courses in basic TCM subject areas with school documents proving the achievement. 5. Currently a student in the department of medicine with a double major in TCM who has completed courses in basic TCM subject areas with school documents proving the achievement. <p>Provisions in Paragraph 2 may refer to any of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Have passed the medical doctor examination and have completed part of the required TCM courses mentioned above before the new the Physicians Act took effect on January 18, 2002 and completed all of the required TCM courses within one year after the new Physicians Act took effect with documents proving the achievement. 2. Have completed all required TCM courses with documents proving the achievement before the new Physicians Act took effect and have passed the medical doctors examination after the new Physicians Act took effect. 3. Have rolled in the department of medicine before the new the Physicians Act took on January 18, 2002, have completed all required TCM courses at the time of graduation with documents proving the achievement, and have passed the medical doctor examination. <p>The basic subject areas in Paragraph 1, Subparagraphs 4 and 5 refer to the following. For the format of the course completion certificate, see Form 3.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Fundamental TCM theories, Huangdi Neijing, Nan Jing, TCM history, TCM pharmacology, and TCM formula study. 2. TCM physiology, TCM environmental health, TCM pathology, TCM health philosophy, TCM history, TCM pharmacology, and TCM formula study.

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Pharmacist Examination	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Have graduated from the department of pharmacy in a public or registered private university or independent college or a foreign university or independent college recognized by the R.O.C. Ministry of Education and have completed internship. 2. Have graduated from the department of pharmacy in a public or registered private junior college or a foreign junior college recognized by the R.O.C. Ministry of Education and have completed internship before the new Pharmacists Act took effect on June 5, 2002. 3. Currently a student in the department of pharmacy in a public or registered private university who has completed the courses in the subject areas tested in stage one exam with school documents proving the achievement. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The criteria for internship completion should be prescribed separately by the Ministry of Examination. The subject areas tested in stage one, as prescribed in Paragraph 1, Subparagraph 3, refer to the following: pharmacology, medicinal chemistry, pharmaceutical analysis, pharmacognosy (including Chinese pharmacy), pharmaceuticals, and biopharmaceuticals. For the format of the course completion certificate, see Form 4.