

### **315.522 Reciprocity with bordering states.**

- (1) The board may permit an out-of-state home medical equipment and services provider to obtain a license on the basis of reciprocity if:
  - (a) The out-of-state provider physically located in one (1) of the bordering states possesses a valid license from another jurisdiction that grants the same privileges to persons licensed by the Commonwealth as the Commonwealth grants to persons licensed by the other jurisdiction;
  - (b) The requirements for licensure in the bordering state are substantially similar to the requirements under KRS 315.510 to 315.524; and
  - (c) The out-of-state provider seeking licensure states that he or she has studied, is familiar with, and shall abide by KRS 315.510 to 315.524 and the administrative regulations promulgated thereunder.
- (2) If the requirements for licensure under KRS 315.510 to 315.524 and the administrative regulations promulgated thereunder are more restrictive than the standards of the other jurisdiction, then the out-of-state provider shall comply with the additional requirements of KRS 315.510 to 315.524 to obtain a reciprocal license.

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