

# Pre-Application Self-Assessment

**Instructions:** Please use scenarios below that best describe your current situation in order to provide guidance as to how to proceed in the initial application process.

## Scenario 1a

I graduated nursing school in the US less than 2 years ago and have not taken the NCLEX.

## Scenario 1b

I graduated nursing school in another country and I practiced nursing in another country and I have never taken the NCLEX.

## Scenario 1c

I graduated nursing school in another country less than 2 years ago and I did not practice nursing in another country and I have not sat for the NCLEX more than 8 times.

## Scenario 1d

I graduated nursing school in the US less than 2 years ago and I have not sat for the NCLEX more than 8 times.

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**Initial Application**

## Scenario 2a

I graduated nursing school in the US more than 2 years ago and have attempted the NCLEX.

## Scenario 2b

I have practiced nursing and graduated nursing school in another country more than 2 years ago and have attempted the NCLEX.

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**Remediation Plan Needed**  
To request for your recent three NCLEX candidate reports  
**NM Licensing clerks email address**

After the Remediation Plan is submitted:

1. The Nursing Education Advisory Committee (NEAC) meetings are held in the months of: January, March, June, July, September and November.
2. You will receive a letter within 4 weeks after the NEAC reviews your plan with steps to follow for your application.
3. You are required to submit all proof of evidence when remediation plan is completed within one year from the approval date.

## Scenario 3

I graduated from nursing school in the US or in another country more than 2 years ago and never practiced nursing in another country or attempted the NCLEX.

**Do Not Proceed**

You are NOT eligible to submit an application in New Mexico.

If you have questions please review education FAQs