# Oklahoma

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Oklahoma has announced that it intends to administer the NextGen UBE in July 2027. Visit https://www.ncbex.org/exams/nextgen (/exams/nextgen) to learn more about the new exam.

**Oklahoma requires the following NCBE exams: MBE, MEE, MPT, and MPRE.** Visit Official NCBE Study Aids (https://www.ncbex.org/study-aids) to purchase study aids to help prepare for Oklahoma exams.

## Bar Admission Agency

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Oklahoma City, OK 73152-3036
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## Character & Fitness Investigations

NCBE conducts investigations for some application types.

## MPRE Requirements

MPRE Required **Yes**
MPRE Minimum Passing Score **80**
MPRE Score Time Parameters

### Uniform Bar Examination Jurisdictions—MPRE Requirements, MBE Score Transfers, Courtesy Seating, and Attorneys' Exams

Minimum passing MPRE score **80**
Are there any time parameters within which an MPRE score must be earned or achieved? **No**
Are MBE scores accepted for transfer from other jurisdictions? **No**
Is courtesy seating allowed? **No**
Is an Attorneys' Exam offered? **Yes**
To qualify for the Attorneys' Exam, must an applicant be a graduate of an ABA-approved law school? **Yes**
Attorneys' Exam fee **$1,250**

## Bar Exam Eligibility, Deadlines, and Fees

ABA-Approved Law School J.D. Required **Yes**
Foreign Law Graduate Eligibility **No**
Bar Exam Application Filing Deadlines

### Uniform Bar Examination Jurisdictions—Bar Examination Application Deadlines and Fees

July 2026: First filing deadline **Feb. 1**
July 2026: Late filing deadline **March 1 / April 1**
February 2027: First filing deadline **Sept. 3**
February 2027: Late filing deadline **Oct. 1 / Nov. 1**
Bar exam fee for first-time takers (non-attorneys) **$650 (plus C&F fee)**
Bar exam fee for attorneys **$1,250 (plus C&F fee)**
Bar exam fee for repeaters **$650 (plus C&F fee)**
Fee for laptops, if permitted **$125**

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## Score Portability

Accepts Legacy UBE Score **Yes**
Minimum Legacy UBE Score **260**
Accepts NextGen UBE Score **Yes**
Minimum NextGen UBE Score **TBA**
Date First Acceptance NextGen UBE Score **July 2026**
Maximum Score Age **3 years**

### Uniform Bar Examination Jurisdictions—Admission by Examination or by Transferred UBE Score

Date of first UBE administration **July 2021**
Is completing a jurisdiction-specific component required before admission? **No**
Minimum passing UBE score **260**
Is there a limit on the number of attempts to earn a passing UBE score? **5 (see suppl. remarks)**
Time limit for accepting a transferred UBE score (i.e., maximum age of the UBE score) **3 years**
Is concurrent application for admission by transferred UBE score allowed? **Yes**
Application fee for admission by transferred UBE score **$1,250**
Notes

Jurisdiction-Specific Requirement **No**
Accepts Transferred MBE Scores **No**

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## Bar Exam

NextGen UBE **Yes**
Date First Administration **July 2027**
Minimum Passing Score **TBA**
NextGen UBE Jurisdiction-Specific Requirement **No**
Legacy UBE **Yes**
Date Final Administration **February 2027**
Minimum Passing Score **260**
Legacy UBE Jurisdiction-Specific Requirement **No**

Jurisdiction-Drafted Exam **No**

## Admission on Motion

Rules Provide for Admission on Motion **Yes**

### Admission on Motion—Years of Practice and Definition of Practice

Do the rules provide for admission on motion? **Yes**

What is the number of years of practice required for admission on motion? **3 of past 5**

What does the definition of practice for purposes of admission on motion include?
**Law teaching, gov't agency, military, in-house corporate, judicial court of record**

Are there any time parameters within which an MPRE score must have been earned or achieved? **No**

Admission on motion fee **$2,000 (plus C&F fee)**

Legal Education and Reciprocity Requirements

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Must an applicant for admission on motion be a graduate of an ABA-approved law school? **Yes**

Is admission on motion based on reciprocity (that is, is it limited to candidates from some or all jurisdictions offering admission on motion)? **Yes**

Is an attorney initially admitted by diploma privilege eligible for admission on motion? **Yes**

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## Disclaimer

Since jurisdiction rules and policies change, NCBE strongly advises consulting the jurisdiction's bar admission agency directly for the most current information.