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You are required to have one of the following:

- Licentiate of the Medical Council of Canada (LMCC); or

Hold an acceptable alternative to the LMCC:

- United States Medical Licensing Exam (USMLE) Steps 1, 2 and 3; or
- Federation Licensing Examination (FLEX) Components 1 and 2; or
- National Board of Medical Examiners (NBME) Parts I, II, and III; or
- The Comprehensive Osteopathic Licensing Examination (COMLEX-USA) Levels 1, 2 and 3. (This applies only to graduates of osteopathic schools accredited by the American Osteopathic Association); **OR**
- If you have a minimum of five (5) years practice experience satisfactory to the Registrar.

The above documents can be provided to the College in **one of the following ways:**

1. If you have submitted documents to physiciansapply.ca for source verification, please “share” those documents with the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Nova Scotia.

Please review the instructions as provided by the MCC:

- a) Log-in to your physiciansapply.ca account
- b) From the menu located on the left side of the page select ‘Documents/Share’
- c) Open ‘Share’ and then select CPSNS
- d) Mark the documents that you would like to share with the CPSNS
- e) On the bottom of the page be sure to mark the ‘consent to share’ checkbox.
- f) Save and return to the homepage.

*Please contact the MCC service desk for more information on document sharing
1-613-520-2240; **OR***

2. Submit a certified copy by a notary public or commissioner of oaths; **OR**
3. Present the original in the College office and a photocopy will be made at that time.