

(Effective until February 1, 2020)

WAC 246-919-990 Physician and surgeon fees and renewal cycle.

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(2) Postgraduate training limited licenses must be renewed every year to correspond to the program's date.

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(4) The applicants and licensees must pay the following nonrefundable fees:

Title of Fee	Fee
Physicians and surgeons: Chapter 18.71 RCW	
Application (annual)*	\$491.00
Two-year renewal*	657.00
Late renewal penalty	262.50
Expired license reissuance	262.50
Certification of license	50.00
Duplicate license	15.00
Temporary permit	50.00
Application fee for transitioning from a postgraduate training limited license (annual)*	166.00
Retired active physicians and surgeons: (Two-year cycle)	
Retired active physician who resides and practices in-state per RCW 18.71.080 and 18.130.250 (Washington physician health program surcharge)	100.00
Retired active physician license renewal *(does not meet in-state exemption)	332.00
Retired active late renewal penalty	50.00
Postgraduate limited license fees: RCW 18.71.095 (One-year cycle)	
Limited license application*	391.00
Limited license renewal*	391.00
Limited duplicate license	15.00

* The application or renewal fee includes: The Washington physician health program surcharge (RCW 18.71.310(2)) assessed at \$50.00 per year, and the University of Washington (UW) HEAL-WA web portal access fee (RCW 43.70.110) assessed at \$16.00 per year.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 43.70.110 (3)(c) and 43.70.250. WSR 12-19-088, § 246-919-990, filed 9/18/12, effective 11/1/12. Statutory Authority: RCW 43.70.250, 43.70.280, 18.31.310, 18.71A.020, 18.71.080, and 43.70.110. WSR 09-16-120, § 246-919-990, filed 8/4/09, effective 8/15/09. Statutory Authority: RCW 43.70.110, 43.70.250, 2008 c 329. WSR 08-15-014, § 246-919-990, filed 7/7/08, effective 7/7/08. Statutory Authority: RCW 43.70.250. WSR 06-11-167, § 246-919-990, filed 5/24/06, effective 7/1/06. Statutory Authority: RCW 43.70.250, [43.70.]280 and 43.70.110. WSR 05-12-012, § 246-919-990, filed

5/20/05, effective 7/1/05. Statutory Authority: RCW 18.71.017, 18.71A.020 and 43.70.280. WSR 02-05-009, § 246-919-990, filed 2/8/02, effective 3/11/02. Statutory Authority: RCW 18.71.017, 18.130.050(1), 18.130.040(4), 18.130.050(12) and 18.130.340. WSR 99-23-090, § 246-919-990, filed 11/16/99, effective 1/1/00. Statutory Authority: RCW 43.70.280. WSR 98-05-060, § 246-919-990, filed 2/13/98, effective 3/16/98. Statutory Authority: RCW 18.71.017 and 43.70.250. WSR 97-15-100, § 246-919-990, filed 7/21/97, effective 8/21/97. Statutory Authority: RCW 18.71.017 and 18.71A.020. WSR 96-03-073, § 246-919-990, filed 1/17/96, effective 2/17/96.]

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Original application	
Application	\$425.00
UW HEAL-WA surcharge*	16.00
Washington physician health program surcharge*	50.00
Active license renewal	
Two-year renewal	824.00
UW HEAL-WA surcharge*	32.00
Washington physician health program surcharge*	100.00
Late renewal penalty	300.00
Expired license reissuance	262.50
Retired active license renewal (resides and practices in-state per RCW 18.71.080 and 18.130.250)	
Two-year renewal (only includes Washington physician health program surcharge)**	100.00
Retired active license renewal (does not meet in-state exemption)	
Two-year renewal	200.00
UW HEAL-WA surcharge*	32.00
Washington physician health program surcharge*	100.00
Late renewal penalty	100.00
Verification of license	50.00
Duplicate license	15.00

Title of Fee	Fee
Temporary permit	50.00
Transitioning from postgraduate training limited license	
Application fee	100.00
UW HEAL-WA surcharge*	16.00
Washington physician health program surcharge*	50.00
Postgraduate limited license: RCW 18.71.095	
(One-year cycle)	
Original application	
Application	325.00
UW HEAL-WA surcharge*	16.00
Washington physician health program surcharge*	50.00
Limited license renewal	
(One-year cycle)	
Renewal	325.00
UW HEAL-WA surcharge*	16.00
Washington physician health program surcharge*	50.00
Limited duplicate license	15.00

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