

ALABAMA

Retired Senior Volunteer (RSV)- AL code § 34-24-75.1 Volunteer Medical Professional Act- AL codes § 6-5-660-663

ALASKA

Immunity for providing free health care services- SLA § 09.65.300 (doesn't mention acceptance of out of state licensure)

ARIZONA

Volunteer Health Services Registration; health professionals; free clinic- A.R.S. § 32-3217 Qualified Immunity, health professionals, nonprofit clinics- A.R.S. § 12-571

ARKANSAS

Volunteer services rendered by retired physicians and surgeons- A.C.A § 17-95-106 (doesn't mention acceptance of out of state physicians)

Definitions- A.C.A § 20-8-803

COLORADO

Practice of medicine, licensure exemptions- C.R.S § 12-240-107 Volunteer Service Act- C.R.S. § 13-21-115.5

CONNECTICUT

Provision of charitable health care services by out-of-state health care practitioners-Conn. Gen. Stat. § 19a-7m

DELAWARE

Interstate Medical Licensure Compact- 24 Del. C. § 1705A (no mention of volunteer license, nor for out of state volunteer license)

D.C.

Health care professional volunteer assistance protection- D.C. Code § 7-402 (no mention of volunteer license, nor for out of state volunteer license)

FLORIDA

Limited Licensure- Fla. Stat § 458.317 Volunteer Physicians and liability- Fla. Stat. § 768.135

GEORGIA

Special license for volunteers- O.C.G.A. § 43-34-41 (requires a provider to be retired)
Liability of voluntary health care and sponsoring organization- O.C.G.A. § 51-1-29.1

GUAM

Licensure by endorsement and temporary and special licensure- 10 GCA 12207 Immunity from civil or criminal liability- 10 GCA 16109

HAWAII

Volunteer Medical Assistance Personnel- HRS § 321-2.5 Emergency Volunteer Medical Assistance- HRS § 321-23.3 (no mention of volunteer license, nor for out of state volunteer license)

IDAHO

Volunteer License- I.C. § 54-1841 (requires a provider to be retired)
Immunity from liability for health care providers in charitable clinics- I.C. § 39-7703

ILLINOIS

Volunteer Licenses- 20 ILCS 2105/2105-17 (requires a physician to <u>only</u> hold a volunteer license) Free Medical Clinic, liability exemption- 745 ILCS 49/30

INDIANA

Retired Status license- Ind. Code Ann. § 25-22.5-6-1 (no mention of out of state licensees and requires retirement) Volunteer immunities- Ind. Code Ann. § 34-30-13-1.2

IOWA

Volunteer health care provider program- immunity from civil liability- Iowa Code §135.24 (no mention of volunteer license, nor for out of state volunteer license)

KANSAS

Exempt licenses, inactive licenses, federally active- K.S.A § 65-2809, §§ 75-6102-6120 (requires continuing education, state contract, no mention of out of state licensee)

KENTUCKY

Exemptions from licensure- KRS § 311.560 (requires written waiver from KY board) Nonprofit volunteer immunity- KRS § 411.200

LOUISIANA

Volunteers, waiver of fees- L.R.S § 37:1281.1 (no mention of out of state volunteer license, requires only volunteer practice) Volunteer provider immunities- L.R.S § 9:2799.5, 9:2798, 37:1732.1

MAINE

Volunteer license- Maine website, unable to identify code number Licensure reciprocity- 32 M.R.S. § 3275

Immunity from civil liability for volunteers- 24 M.R.S § 2904

Provision of volunteer health service; licensee discipline 37-B M.R.S § 949-G Liability reduction for volunteer providers- 37-B M.R.S. § 949-J (no mention of out of state volunteer license)

MARYLAND

Fee exemption for in-state licensed volunteers- Md. Health Occ. Code Ann. § 14-315 Physicians and volunteers working at charitable clinics, immunities- M.C.A § 5-606 (no mention of out of state volunteer license, requires only volunteer practice)

MASSACHUSETTS

Volunteer license status- Mass. website, unable to find code. 600.00 fee Non-liability of volunteers in charitable organizations; exceptions- ALM GL ch. 231 § 85W (no mention of out of state volunteer license)

MICHIGAN

Special volunteer license- MCLS § 333.16184 Volunteer license civil liability- MCLS § 333.16185, 333.16277 (no mention of out of state volunteer license)

MINNESOTA

Volunteer health care provider program- Minn. Stat. § 214.40 (no mention of out of state volunteer license, requires license in MN with state contract)

MISSISSIPPI

Special volunteer license- Miss. Code Ann. § 73-25-18 Civil liability immunity for volunteer physician- Miss. § 73-25-38 (requires retired status in MS)

MISSOURI

Limited license and associated practice constraints, not explicit volunteering- \S 334.112 R.S.Mo. Volunteer limited liability- \S 537.118 R.S.Mo.

(no mention of strict volunteer license, nor out of state volunteer reciprocity)

MONTANA

Exemptions from licensing requirements- Mont. Code Ann. § 37-3-103 Limits on liability of medical practitioner who is unpaid- Mont. Code Ann. § 27-1-736

NEBRASKA

Volunteer in free clinic or other facility; immunity; when- R.R.S. Neb. § 25-21,188.02 (no mention of volunteer license or out of state volunteer license)

NEVADA

Special volunteer license- Nev. Rev. Stat. Ann. § 630.258 Volunteer immunity when working with charitable program- Nev. Rev. Stat. Ann. §§ 41.480-485

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Retired physician's immunity when practicing for charity- N.H. Rev. Stat. Ann. § 329:25-a Non-profit volunteer immunity- N.H. Rev. Stat. Ann. § 508:17 (no mention of volunteer license or out of state volunteer license)

NEW JERSEY

Licensing fees for physician, volunteer- N.J. Stat § 45:9-19.15 Immunity from liability for negligence- N.J. Stat. § 2A:53A-7 (no mention of out of state volunteer license)

NORTH CAROLINA

Limited volunteer license- N.C. Gen. Stat. § 90-12.1A Volunteer Health Care liability- N.C. Gen. Stat. § 90-21.16

NORTH DAKOTA

Recognition of volunteer health practitioners- N.D. Cent. Code § 37-17.4-05 (limited, does not allow licensure in more than 1 other state)

Immunity for a licensed health care provider at free clinic- N.D. Cent. Code § 32-03.1-02.2

NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS

Retired Senior Volunteer Program for Health Professionals- 3 N. Mar. I. Code § 2236

OHIO

Practice of medicine or surgery without a license- ORC Ann. § 4731.41 Volunteer certificate for retired physician- ORC Ann. § 4731.295 Immunity for volunteer health care professionals- ORC Ann. § 2305.234

OKLAHOMA

Special Volunteer license, retired D.O. physicians- 59 Okl. St. § 635.1 Special Volunteer license, retired physicians- 59 Okl. St. § 493.5 Volunteer Health Professions Immunity Act- 76 Okl. St. § 32

OREGON

Volunteer licensure- ORS § 677.265 Liability limitation for volunteer providers- ORS §§ 676.340-345 Health care liability at charitable organization- ORS § 30.792

PENNSYLVANIA

Volunteer Health Services Act- 35 P.S. § 449.43-.46 Volunteer Health Services liability- 35 P.S. § 449.47 (requires retired status)

PUERTO RICO

Kinds of licenses- 20 L.P.R.A. § 133g

RHODE ISLAND

Exceptions to licensure requirement- R.I. Gen. Laws § 5-37-16.2 Exemption from Liability- R.I. Gen. Laws. § 7-6-9

SOUTH CAROLINA

Special Volunteer license- S.C. Code Ann. § 40-47-34 Volunteer health care provider liabilities- S.C. Code Ann. § 38-79-30

SOUTH DAKOTA

Limited exceptions for licensure, educational purposes- S.D. Codified Laws § 36-4-39 Limited liability immunity for volunteer providers- S.D. Codified laws §§ 47-23-28-32 (no mention of volunteer license or out of state volunteer license- VERY limited)

TENNESSEE

Volunteer Health License for those only rendering free care- T.C.A. § 63-1-201 Volunteer Health Service liability protection for participating providers- T.C.A. § 63-6-708

TEXAS

Reduced Licensing requirements for retired volunteer providers- Tex. Occ. Code § 112.051 Military limited volunteer license, for treatment of military personnel- Tex. Occ. § 155.103 Volunteer health registration system; emergency and disasters- Tex. Occ. Code § 115.005

UTAH

Retired Volunteer Health Care Practice Act- Utah Code Ann. §§ 58-81-102-104 Qualified Immunity- Charity Care- Utah Code Ann. § 58-13-3

VIRGINIA

Restricted license; volunteer- Va. Code Ann. § 54.1-2928.1 Volunteer physician immunities- Va. Code Ann. § 32.1-127.3

WASHINGTON

Retired volunteer medical worker license- Rev. Code Wash. § 18.130.360 Immunity from liability for certain types of medical care- Rev. Code Wash. § 4.24.300 Liability for non-profit volunteers- Rev. Code Wash. § 4.24.670 (primarily focused on retired physicians)

WEST VIRGINIA

Volunteer license, exclusive service to WV- W. Va. Code § 30-3-10a(a) Immunity for providers offering charity care- W. Va. Code § 30-3-10a(b) (limited to providers exclusively offering care in WV)

WISCONSIN

Volunteer Health Care Provider program- Wis. Stat. § 146.89, 893.82 Volunteer Registry, emergency cases- Wis. Stat. § 257.02 Volunteer practitioners indemnified, emergency care- Wis. Stat § 257.03 (no true volunteer license mentioned, nor for out-of-state licensees)

WYOMING

License required- Wyo. Stat. § 33-26-301
Emeritus Physician and physician assistant licenses- § 33-26-601
Volunteer health services, application of claims act, contracts- Wyo. Stat § 35-31-102
Immunity for volunteer providers; insurance required for nonprofit facility- Wyo. Stat. §1-1-129

California, Massachusetts, New Mexico, and Vermont do not currently have any codes relating explicitly to volunteer medical licensure, or to liability protection for those involved in delivery of charity care. –August 2023