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The *Conference* REPORT

THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF
FUNERAL SERVICE EXAMINING BOARDS

Featured



It's time to [register for the 116th Annual Meeting!](#) [Make a reservation](#) at the fabulous Hammock Beach Resort, take advantage of our available [Delegate Grants](#), or [utilize our Toolkit](#) to help justify your trip. We can't wait to see you there!

Membership Meeting Place

It's Time to Renew!

Your continued membership is vital to The Conference's success in bringing the funeral service regulatory community together. Renewing ensures that you will maintain access to all of our member services and your input and participation make it possible for us to serve as the premier resource for examination services, information, and regulatory support to the death care profession. [Click here to pay on-line!](#)

Model Documents

[Model Practice Act](#)

[Model Application](#)

[Model Internship Program](#)

By the Numbers: Requirements of Background Checks by Conference Members

Total Conference Members **55**

10 Require **State** & **Federal** Background Check

Require **State** Background Check only **12**

Require **Federal** Background Check only **5**

24 Do NOT require State & Federal Background Check

Did not respond **4**

(State refers to commonwealth, province, district, etc.)

Examination Station

In order to continue to bring you the very best examination program possible, it is necessary to increase fees for the State Board Examination (SBE) beginning January 1, 2020. The new fee for the SBE Arts and Sciences will be \$285 for each section. [For more details click here.](#)

ADA Accommodations

The Conference is pleased to offer testing accommodations in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). In an effort to better serve those candidates who qualify, our ADA policy is undergoing an overhaul. The update will include a new handbook, as well as revised request forms. The updates will be completed this fall and will be available on The Conference website. [Click here to view the current ADA process.](#)

Examination Statistics

[Click here to view NBE stats.](#)

Candidate Services Corner

Fall 2019 NBE Scholarships Awarded

Congratulations to Haley Brock and Cari Donithan from Mid-America College of Funeral Service, Katie George from the University of Minnesota, Jennifer Grant from Gupton-Jones College of Funeral Service, and Angelia Hall from St. Petersburg College for receiving a NBE scholarship! They wrote a short essay on their biggest takeaways from the NBE Candidate Handbook to qualify for the scholarship. We wish them well in their future careers in funeral service and are thrilled to be able to make their licensure process just a little easier.

[Read the press release](#)


Meeting News

Board Member Training

Beach Resort. The Board Member Training Program will familiarize regulatory board members on the roles and responsibilities of serving on a funeral service regulatory board.

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