

The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston

Office of International Affairs H-1B Documentation Checklist

In order to request the H-1B Advisory, the following documentation is required from the sponsoring Department. The H-1B Advisory can only be issued once all documents listed below are sent by email attachment to the Office International Affairs at <u>utoiahouston@uth.tmc.edu</u>.

Clinical	Non-Clinical	Documentation Required from Sponsoring Department
		Draft – Memorandum of Support
		 Sample Appointment / Support Letter for visitors requiring H-1B sponsorship
		Offer Letter
		Draft – <u>U.S. Export Controls Form</u>
		Draft – <u>Actual Wage Form</u>
		Completed and Signed <u>H-1B Employment Worksites Form</u>
		Completed and Signed H-1B Prevailing Wage Questionnaire
		Completed and signed H-1B Biodata Form
		Current Curriculum Vitae or Resume
		Legible copies of Diploma(s) and Certificate(s) required by the specialty occupation
		Certified English translation required if diploma is not in English
		Official Academic Transcript
		Credential Equivalency Evaluation of degrees earned outside the U.S.
		ECFMG Certification does not serve as a Credential Equivalency Evaluation
		If institutional appointment is in a conferred healthcare occupation, evidence of appropriate health
		 care worker certification such as: International Commission on Healthcare Professions (ICHP) – <u>www.cgfns.org</u>
		 Foreign Credentialing Commission on Physical Therapy (FCCPT) – <u>www.fccpt.org</u> National Record for Castification in Ocean stiened Therapy (NIRCOT)
		 National Board for Certification in Occupational Therapy (NBCOT) – <u>www.nbcot.org</u>
		Healthcare Professions List:
		Audiologist Physician Assistants
		Speech Language Pathologist Practical Nurse/Vocational Nurse
		Registered Nurse Physical Therapist
		Occupational Therapist
		Clinical Laboratory Scientist (Medical Technologist)
		Clinical Laboratory Technician (Medical Technician)
		Legible copies of <u>all</u> U.S. immigration documents issued to the H-1B applicant since birth. Examples of
		immigration documents are listed below:
		 Legible copy of passport page(s)
		 Legible copy of visa page(s) (unless exempt from visa requirements)
		 Legible copy Form(s) 1-94
		 Legible copy of all 1-797 notice(s)
		 Legible copy of all Employment Authorization Document(s)
		 Legible copy of all Form(s) I-20
		 Legible copy of all DS-2019(s)
		If H-1B applicant has been subject to the 212(e) two-year home residency requirement while on J-1 or J-2
		visa status, provide:
		• Legible copy of the recommendation for a waiver issued by the U.S. Department of State
		I-612 Waiver approval notice issued by U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services
	N/A	ECFMG Certification if M.D. or equivalent
	N/A	Evidence of passing the
		U.S. Medical Licensing Examinations (USMLE) – Steps I, II, and III; or
		 Federation Licensing Examination (FLEX) – all steps; or
		National Board of Medical Examiners (NBME) – Parts I, II, III
	N/A	Evidence of any required license or other official permission to practice the occupation in the state of Texas (e.g. Texas Medical License or Faculty Temporary License)
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