

School of Medicine
Office of Medical Education

To obtain initial licensure in the state, the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners (LSBME) uses a service of the Federation of State Medical Boards (FSMB) called Federation Credentials Verification Service (FCVS). As you move to full licensure, the LSBME will use reports from FCVS. To have the information to prepare those reports, FCVS requires us to update their files each year on your progress by filling out the below form which is the same one filled out for initial licensure. By copy of this release, you consent to allow us to release all of the below requested information to FCVS on an annual basis during your training including a summary report if requested by FCVS. For those not pursuing full licensure, we will still prepare and submit these same reports to FCVS. A benefit to you is that throughout your practice years as you switch hospitals and health plans your training information will be available through FCVS which will significantly speed your credentialing process. This release is valid for activities occurring during your training program.

The image shows a sample of the Federation Credentials Verification Service (FCVS) form. The form is titled 'Federation of STATE MEDICAL BOARDS' and 'Federation Credentials Verification Service (FCVS)'. It includes fields for 'Verification For:' (Name, SSN, DOB), 'Program Participation:' (PGY, Specialty/Subspecialty, Accredited by), and 'Unusual Circumstances:'. A large diagonal watermark reading 'Sample FCVS Verification' is overlaid on the form.

Name

Program

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Signature

Date

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