



# NEW JERSEY DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS

 

## **i** Alert X

The Division of Consumer Affairs issued an alert to support health care practitioners in their efforts to protect patient data and information from disclosure. This alert, available **here**, identifies steps that practitioners can take to avoid collecting unnecessary data and to safeguard the data that they do collect and store.

The Division of Consumer Affairs issued a Consumer Alert regarding crisis pregnancy centers. This alert is available (<https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/Documents/data-privacy-guidance.pdf>) **here** (<https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/Documents/crisis-pregnancy-centers.pdf>).

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The Division has established new guidelines for retailers and consumers concerning the detection and prevention of gift card fraud, which includes required training and best practices.

**Click Here for More Information**

(<https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/News/Consumer%20Briefs/gift-card-fraud1.pdf>)

## **i** Alert



To conduct business with DCA, please use the gray tool bar above to navigate to the section of the relevant board or unit. Should you have documentation you wish to provide to the board or unit, scan and email that documentation to the email address found on the board or unit's homepage. Please note that the DCA is experiencing high call volumes at this time, but you may contact the Division by telephone at 1-800-242-5846 and your call will be answered or returned as quickly as possible.



(/COVID19/)

## Complaints & Reports

We investigate complaints and answer hundreds of consumer questions every day. If we can't help, we will provide you with the contact information for a State or Federal agency that can help.

### **VIEW MORE INFORMATION ON:**

- Filing a Complaint (/Pages/Consumer-Complaints.aspx)
- Checking the Status of a Complaint (/Pages/Complaint-Status.aspx)
- Health Care Professional Responsibility and Reporting Enhancement Act (/Pages/hcreporting.aspx)

# License & Registration

Through our secure MyLicense website, licensees have a menu of online self service options available.

## VIEW MORE INFORMATION ON:

- Applying for a License ( *English* (/Pages/Applying-For-A-License.aspx) | *Spanish* (/Pages/Applying-For-A-License-Spanish.aspx) )
- Renewing a License (/Pages/licensingboards.aspx)
- Temporary Emergency License for Out-of-State Practitioners (/Pages/Temporary-Emergency-License-for-Out-of-State-Practitioners.aspx)
- Checking Application Status (/Pages/licensingboards.aspx)
- Businesses We Register and/or License (/Pages/Business.aspx)
- Charities/PFR Online Registrations (/charities/Pages/default.aspx)

# Look-up & Verify

Search our databases for license and registration information, registered charities, or view Physician, Podiatrist and Optometrist Profiles.

## I WANT TO LOOK-UP OR VERIFY A:

- Charity (</charities/Pages/default.aspx>)
- Licensee (<https://newjersey.mylicense.com/verification/>)
- Registrant (<https://rgbportal.dca.njoag.gov/search/>)
- New Jersey Healthcare Profile (<https://www.njdoctorlist.com/>)
- Legal Filing (</ocp/Pages/legalfilings.aspx>)
- Temporary Emergency License for Out-of-State Practitioners (<https://njconsumeraffairs.state.nj.us/NJDCA-TempLicense-Verification/>)
- NJ Prescription Drug Price Registry ([https://www20.state.nj.us/LPSCA\\_DRUG/](https://www20.state.nj.us/LPSCA_DRUG/))

## In the News

**08-14-2023** (<https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/News/Pages/08142023.aspx>)

AG Platkin, Division of Consumer Affairs Offer Tips to Spot and Avoid Charity Scams When Donating to Hawaii Fire Relief Efforts

(<https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/News/Pages/08142023.aspx>)

(<https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/News/Pages/08142023.aspx>)

**08-09-2023** (<https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/News/Pages/08092023.aspx>)

State Board of Medical Examiners Revokes License of Essex County Physician Who Had Sexual Relations with Cognitively Impaired Patient Who Bore His Child in 1986

(<https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/News/Pages/08092023.aspx>)

(<https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/News/Pages/08092023.aspx>)

**07-31-2023** (<https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/News/Pages/07312023.aspx>)

NJ Bureau of Securities Revokes Registration, Assesses \$150,000 Civil Penalty Against Former New Jersey Broker-Dealer Agent Who Sold Unregistered Securities Tied to a Tequila Production Company

(<https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/News/Pages/07312023.aspx>)

(<https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/News/Pages/07312023.aspx>)

**07-27-2023** (<https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/News/Pages/07272023.aspx>)

AG Platkin: Division of Consumer Affairs Reaches Settlements with 22 Employment/Personnel Service Firms to Resolve Allegations of Operating Unregistered Businesses in NJ

(<https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/News/Pages/07272023.aspx>)

(<https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/News/Pages/07272023.aspx>)

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## Spotlight

### ◀ Military Outreach and Support ▶

A Hero's Welcome to New Jersey is a new initiative geared towards broadening professional horizons for service members and their families living or relocating to New Jersey.

( <https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/military> )

## Division

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[File a Complaint \(/Pages/Consumer-Complaints.aspx\)](/Pages/Consumer-Complaints.aspx)

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## Department

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## State

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