



Approximate time
to registration:
1 year



Related employment
begins: Step 4



Minimum cost:
\$8,500 (CDN)
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Time and cost will increase if you require extra tasks such as additional coursework or examination re-writes.

Below is an overview of the registration process for becoming a member of the Manitoba Chiropractors Association (MCA). To practice in Manitoba and use the professional designation “Chiropractor” a person must be registered with the MCA.

The major requirements for licensing by the MCA include possession of a Doctorate of Chiropractic from a program accredited by the Canadian Federation of Chiropractic Regulatory and Educational Accrediting Boards or graduation from a program determined to be equivalent to an accredited program, passing the Canadian Chiropractic Examining Board (CCEB) national examinations, and passing the MCA jurisprudence examination. International applicants with a number of years of professional practice may not have to complete all components of the CCEB national examinations.

This overview is provided as a guide. Please visit www.manitobachiropractors.ca for further details on each step.

Note: Timelines are estimated. All fees are listed in Canadian dollars (2022). Fees are estimates and do not include costs associated with travel, meeting documentation criteria, etc.

Timeline	Tasks	Fees	Details
Step 1: Canadian Chiropractic Examining Board (CCEB) Examination (CCEB)			
8 months	a) In consultation with MCA, candidate determine if they are qualified to write the Canadian Chiropractic Examining Board (CCEB) Exam and, if so, if they must write all components		<p>The Canadian Chiropractic Examining Board (CCEB) Certificate is a clinical competency certificate awarded for successful completion of the three-component CCEB examination:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Component A – Basic and Applied Sciences • Component B – Clinical Decision Making and Diagnostic Imaging (taken after completing the Component A exam) • Component C – Clinical Skills Evaluation (taken after completing the Component B exam) <p>International applicants with over 3 years experience in a regulated environment may not have to take the Component A exam (discuss with MCA Registrar)</p> <p>Component A and Component B may be written at designated international sites (costs vary)</p>
	b) Obtain a professional passport-type photograph		
	c) Complete the Canadian Chiropractic Examining Board (CCEB) Exam Application form (apply for each component separately)		
	d) Attach the required documents		
	e) Include the administration fee	\$150	
	f) Include the examination fee for the component to be written:		
	• Component A – Basic and Applied Sciences	\$1150 (Canada)	
	• Component B – Clinical Decision making and Diagnostic Imaging	\$1150 (Canada)	
	• Component C – Clinical Skills Evaluation	\$2,575 (Canada)	
g) Submit the completed application package			
h) Pass the CCEB examination			
The CCEB evaluates the exam. when a candidate passes all components of the exam. they are eligible to submit their initial license application to MCA (Step 2)			

Step 2: Initial License Application (MCA)

4 months	a) Obtain a Criminal Reference Check	\$150	Child Abuse Registry, Adult Abuse Registry & Vulnerable Sector Check
	b) Obtain government-issued photo ID		
	c) Obtain a Letter of Good Standing from the regulatory body of any jurisdiction a candidate's registered to practice in		
	d) Complete the License Application and Declaration for Membership with the Manitoba Chiropractors Association form		
	e) Attach the required documents		If the requirements are met you can write the Jurisprudence Examination
	f) Include the application fee	\$325	
	g) Submit the completed application package		
	MCA assesses the application		

Step 3: Jurisprudence Examination (MCA)

1 month	a) Book an appointment to write the Jurisprudence Examination		The Jurisprudence Exam in Manitoba is formative & is reviewed immediately upon completion with the candidate. (it is not pass/fail. It is not open book).
	b) Complete the Jurisprudence Examination		
	The MCA evaluates the examination. Once a candidate completes the exam, they are eligible for registration with MCA (Step 4)		

Step 4: Registration (MCA)

	a) A candidate will inform MCA when they will begin practicing		Malpractice liability protectionis required before candidates are granted a certificate to practice The MCA license fee may be paid quarterly
	b) Apply for membership in the Canadian Chiropractic Association (optional)	\$240	
	c) Submit the MCA license fee	\$3,265	
	d) Obtain malpractice liability insurance (after registration, but before treating patients)	\$1,416 – \$2,500	
	MCA will determine if requirements are met. and if so, will register the candidate.		

Key Contacts	Details	Contact
Manitoba Chiropractors Association	The Manitoba Chiropractors Association is a provincial organization that regulates & Licenses the practice of Chiropractic.	204.942.3000 registrar@mbchiro.org www.manitobachiropractors.ca
Canadian Chiropractic Examining Board	The Canadian Chiropractic Examining Board is a national organization that administers clinical competency exams for people wanting licenses to practice chiropractic.	403.230.3321 exams@cceb.ca www.cceb.ca
Canadian Chiropractic Protective Association	The Canadian Chiropractic Protective Association is a national organization that provides professional liability coverage for chiropractors. CCPA is a membership benefit of the CCA. They provide members a gratuitous benefit that is professional liability coverage.	416.781.5656 www.ccpaonline.ca
Intact Insurance	Offers professional liability and malpractice insurance. CCA membership is not required to become a policy holder.	866.464.2424 www.intact.ca
Lloyd's Canada	Offers professional liability and malpractice insurance. CCA membership is not required to become a policy holder.	416.360.1512 www.lloyds.com
Aon Canada	Offers professional liability and malpractice insurance. CCA membership is not required to become a policy holder.	204.956.1070 www.aon.com

Examinations		Details	Contact
CCEB Examination	Canadian Chiropractic Examining Board Examination	The CCEB Examination assesses knowledge of chiropractic – offered in English and French	403.230.3321 exams@cceb.ca www.cceb.ca
Jurisprudence Examination	Jurisprudence Examination	The Jurisprudence Examination tests knowledge of Manitoba law as it pertains to chiropractic	204.942.3000 www.manitobachiropractors.ca

Financial Supports	Offers	Contact
Recognition Counts	Micro loans	www.recognitioncounts.ca
Employment Manitoba Centre	Grants	www.gov.mb.ca/employment/emp_centre_locations.html
Manitoba Student Aid	Student loans and grants	www.gov.mb.ca/educate/sfa/pages/sfaFrontDoor_en.html

Language Requirements	Cost	Contact
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be reasonably fluent in English or French. Advanced skills in reading, writing, listening and speaking the English language are strongly advised • Registration process conducted in English • All required documents must be provided in English or translated into English and notarized • The language of Healthcare in Manitoba is English. 	Translation and notarization fees vary	Visit Immigrant Centre at www.icmanitoba.com for more information