

Maryland Engineering

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: If I am a first time candidate, do I need to submit my application to the Board or PCS?

A: If you have never been approved by the Maryland board, your first time application and supporting documents must be submitted to the board for approval by their deadline. Once you have been board approved you may then schedule and pay PCS by the PCS deadline.

Q: Why are there two different deadlines?

A: The board must first process your board application and approve you before you will be allowed to schedule and pay for your examination. The board's deadline is for the application, and the PCS deadline is for scheduling and paying for your examination.

Q: Will the board send me a scheduling form?

A: No. The board will send you an approval letter and then you may schedule and pay PCS online at www.pcshq.com or by calling (877) 364-3926. Just remember that you must register with NCEES before scheduling and paying PCS.

Q: If I have taken the exam before with the board, am I considered a re-exam candidate with PCS?

A: No. You are a re-exam candidate with PCS only if you have already scheduled and paid for an examination with PCS. If you have never scheduled and paid for an examination with PCS, you are considered a first time candidate with PCS.

Q: If I have already been approved by the board, can I sit for the examination in another state?

A: No. Proctoring is no longer allowed.

Q: Can I cancel or withdraw from an examination?

A: Candidates are allowed to cancel or withdraw from an examination before the NCEES deadline. NO cancelations or withdrawals will be done after the NCEES deadline. No postponements are allowed, NO EXCEPTIONS. Fees will not be refunded or transferred to future examinations, NO EXCEPTIONS.

Q: When will PCS mail me my admission card?

A: PCS will not mail you an admission card. NCEES will **email** you with a link, and you will print out your own admission card with all of your examination information.

Q: When and how will I receive my exam results?

A: Your results will be **emailed** 10-12 weeks after the exam by NCEES to your NCEES account. Scores will no longer be mailed to candidates. Your scores will be available in your NCEES account.