



IDFPR

**Illinois Department of
Financial and Professional Regulation**

Division of Professional Regulation

Qualifications for Licensure: Detection of Deception Trainee (063)

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READ ME FIRST

The Division of Professional Regulation hopes that you will find the below useful in successfully applying for a license in the State of Illinois. Carefully review this information as it will assist you in applying for your license and eliminate any processing delays.

Important:

- An application is active for three years from the date of receipt by the Department.
- Before contacting the Department, please review our [FAQs](#) for answers to most questions.
- If your question is not addressed in our [FAQ's](#), please contact the department at 1-800-560-6420.
- Training cannot begin until you receive the Trainee Certificate from IDFPR. No person who is or has been issued a Detection of Deception examiners license shall be issued a Trainee Certificate

LICENSE QUALIFICATIONS

- Baccalaureate Degree

REQUIRED SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

This section details the necessary documentation you will be asked to provide during the application process. Please do not begin an application until you are prepared to submit all documentation.

- An Official Transcript showing degree/certificate earned and date of completion or Certification of Education ([ED-](#)). This form must be completed by a school official or have school seal affixed. If school has no seal the supporting document must be notarized.
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IMPORTANT INFORMATION ONCE LICENSED

- The certificate of registration for Detection of Deception Trainee shall expire one year from date of issuance and shall only be renewed one time past the initial issuance of the certificate.
- It is your responsibility to update your contact information, including email address with the Department, to ensure that you receive all courtesy renewal email reminders and other notifications.
- The Department posts profession specific notices, statements and other information to the IDFPR website. Licensed professionals should visit the IDFPR website frequently, and their profession specific pages, to stay informed about the latest information and developments.
- The six (6) months of training must be from individually approved licensed instructors or an approved training program. Out of state training must be substantial equivalent to those in Illinois.