

ELIGIBILITY:

Only US citizens are eligible to apply for a North Dakota Concealed Weapon license. Non-resident US citizens are eligible to apply for a ND concealed weapon license.

An applicant must be at least 21 years old to apply for a Class 1 License.

Concealed weapon licenses may only be issued to those who legally may possess a firearm or dangerous weapon.

Individuals may be prohibited by state or federal law from owning, possessing, or having a firearm under their control.

Beginning July 1, 2011, a ND concealed weapons license is valid for five years from the date of issuance or renewal.

An individual who has ever been convicted of any offense involving the use of alcohol (e.g. MIP, MIC, open container, DUI) is not eligible for a Class 1 license but may still apply for a Class 2 license.

EQUIPMENT REQUIRED:

Handgun along with a holster that attaches to the belt. FOR SAFETY REASONS, NO ANKLE HOLSTERS OR SHOULDER HOLSTERS WILL BE ALLOWED ON THE RANGE.

100 rounds of ammunition.

Two loading devices, either magazines or speed loaders, depending on the weapon being used. (A revolver may be loaded by hand but speed loaders will assist in making the time limits for the shooting course.)

Hearing and eye protection.

COURSE OF FIRE:

The target will consist of an 8 ½ by 11" colored piece of paper. 1 point will be awarded for any shot that either completely or partially penetrates the colored paper.

Pistol magazines will be loaded with 6 rounds of ammunition. Revolvers will be loaded with 5, 6, 7, or 8 rounds depending on the weapon design.

STAGE 1: 7 – YARD LINE

On the firing command, shooters will draw the handgun from a secured holster and fire 1 magazine or 1 fully loaded cylinder with the normal shooting hand, reload and then fire 1 magazine or 1 fully loaded cylinder with the normal support hand. All rounds will be fired from a standing position. The time limit for this stage will be 45 seconds for a 5 shot revolver; 55 seconds for a pistol or 6 shot revolver; 60 seconds for a 7 shot revolver; or 65 seconds for an 8 shot revolver.

STAGE 2: 15 – YARD LINE

On the firing command, shooters will draw the handgun from a secured holster and fire 1 magazine or 1 fully loaded cylinder from a standing position, reload and then fire 1 magazine or 1 fully loaded cylinder from a kneeling position. The time limit for this stage will be 50 seconds for a 5 shot revolver; 60 seconds for a pistol or 6 shot revolver; 65 seconds for a 7 shot revolver; or 70 seconds for an 8 shot revolver.

THE MINIMUM PASSING SCORE IS 70% OF THE TOTAL ROUNDS FIRED.

5 shot revolver – 14 points

Pistol or 6 shot revolver – 17 points

7 shot revolver – 20 points

8 shot revolver – 23 points

An applicant with a disability that may require reasonable accommodation should contact me. Contact should be made as soon as possible so proper documentation from a health care provider may be obtained. Requests made without sufficient notice or without supporting paperwork cannot be considered. If an applicant is unable to successfully complete the test with or without reasonable accommodation, the applicant is not eligible for licensure.