

Program	Funeral Services, AAS	Moruary Science-Adv Standing, Diploma	Note:
Dean	McCarville Kerber	McCarville Kerber	
Chair	Kevin Patterson	Kevin Patterson	
State/Jurisdiction			
Alabama	Preferred	Allowed	
Alaska	Preferred	Allowed	
Arizona	Preferred	Allowed	
Arkansas	Preferred	Allowed	
California	Required	No	
Colorado	*	*	*
Connecticut	Preferred	Allowed	
Delaware	Preferred	Allowed	
District of Columbia	Preferred	Allowed	
Florida	Preferred	Allowed	
Georgia	Preferred	Allowed	
Hawaii	Preferred	Allowed	
Idaho	Preferred	Allowed	
Illinois	Preferred	Allowed	
Indiana	Preferred	Allowed	
Iowa	No	Required	*
Kansas	Required	No	*
Kentucky	Preferred	Allowed	
Louisiana	Preferred	Allowed	
Maine	Preferred	Allowed	
Maryland	Preferred	Allowed	
Massachusetts	Preferred	Allowed	
Michigan	No	Required	*
Minnesota	Allowed	Preferred	*
Mississippi	Preferred	Allowed	
Missouri	Preferred	Allowed	*
Montana	Required	No	
Nebraska	Preferred	Allowed	*
Nevada	Preferred	Allowed	
New Hampshire	Preferred	Allowed	
New Jersey	No	Required	*
New Mexico	Preferred	Allowed	
New York	Preferred	Allowed	
North Carolina	Required	No	
North Dakota	No	Required	*
Ohio	Allowed	Preferred	*
Oklahoma	Preferred	Allowed	
Oregon	Preferred	Allowed	

Pennsylvania	No	Required	*
Rhode Island	Preferred	Allowed	
South Carolina	Preferred	Allowed	*
South Dakota	Preferred	Allowed	*
Tennessee	Preferred	Allowed	
Texas	Preferred	Allowed	
Utah	Preferred	Allowed	
Vermont	Preferred	Allowed	
Virginia	Preferred	Allowed	
Washington	Preferred	Allowed	
West Virginia	No	Required	*
Wisconsin	Preferred	Allowed	*
Wyoming	Required	No	*
American Samoa	Unknown	Unknown	
Federated States of Micronesia	Unknown	Unknown	
Guam	Unknown	Unknown	
Marshall Islands	Unknown	Unknown	
Northern Mariana Islands	Unknown	Unknown	
Republic of Palau	Unknown	Unknown	
Puerto Rico	Unknown	Unknown	
U.S. Virgin Islands	Unknown	Unknown	

Licensing requirements vary by state, and depend upon where you wish to live and practice as a funeral director/embalmer.

* Please contact the Mortuary Science office at 515-965-7171 for more information on this state.