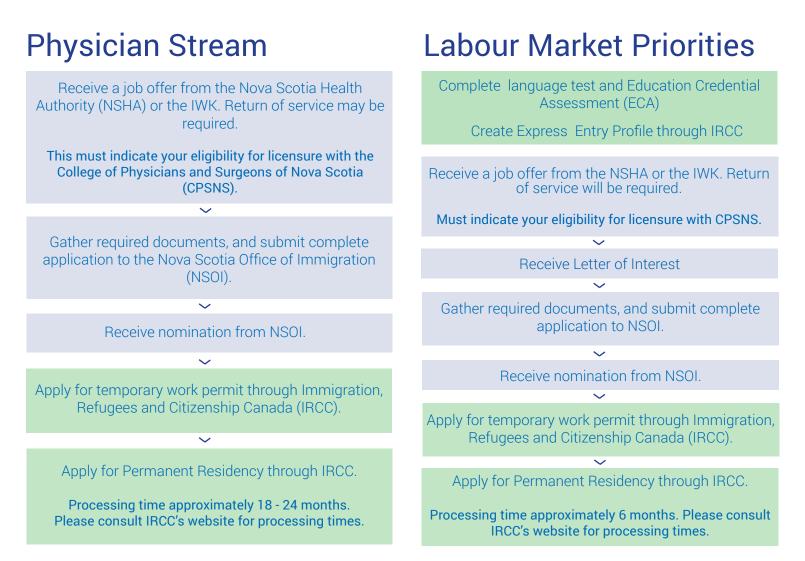
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Immigration Application Process

We greatly value our physicians in Nova Scotia, and recruiting new physicians is a priority for our province. We appreciate that you want to be challenged in your professional lives while still enjoying an amazing quality of life.

There's room for everyone in Nova Scotia to feel at home, in a place that welcomes you to share your ideas, use your skills, and pursue your passion. This makes Nova Scotia one of the most enjoyable places to live in Canada. For the most up-to-date information on immigrating to Nova Scotia and copies of our application guides and forms, visit novascotiaimmigration.com



Please note that this is an overview of our pathways, and that more detail is required with your application. Also note that immigration is a shared responsibility between the federal government (IRCC) and provincial government (NSOI). NSOI has no authority over areas that are within federal jurisdiction.

Nova Scotia Office of Immigration:

immigration@novascotia.ca www.novascotiaimmigration.com/move-here/physician 1-902-424-5230

Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada:

www.canada.ca/immigration-refugees-citizenship

1-613-944-4000



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Document Overview

Physician Stream	Labour Market Priorities Stream
Application Form	Express Entry profile
Approved opportunity from NSHA or IWK,	Education Credential Assessment (ECA)
return of service may be required.	Language Test(s)
Proof of eligibility for licensure in NS	Letter of Interest
Passports / Travel Documents / Visas	Application Form
Documents for accompanying family (ie	Approved opportunity from NSHA or
marriage certificate, birth certificate)	IWK, return of service required.
Proof of education and medical training	Proof of eligibility for licensure in NS
NOTE:	Passports / Travel Documents / Visas
Obtaining a temporary work permit under either	Documents for accompanying family (ie
stream has a separate process through IRCC.	marriage certificate, birth certificate)

The federal government requires further documentation when applying for permanent residency. This may include documentation such as:

Physician Stream

- PR Application
-] Identity documents

Labour Market Priorities Stream

- PR Application
- Identity documents
- Education Credential Assessment (ECA)
- Language test(s)
- □ Work Experience documentation
- Job offer documents
- Proof of funds



NOTE:

This document is an overview, please refer to NSOI's and IRCC's websites for complete information and requirements.

Please visit their website for more information.