Criminal Background Studies

In accordance to Minnesota state law, criminal background studies are required on all students admitted to Center for Allied Health Programs. Failure to pass the NETStudy 2.0 background study may prevent successful completion of the program.

Based on amendments to the Vulnerable Adult Act in 1995 and 1996, Minnesota Law requires that any person who provides services involving direct contact with patients and residents at hospitals, nursing homes and other health care facilities licensed by the Minnesota Department of Health have a background study conducted by this state agency. Education programs are authorized to initiate the background studies on their students as an alternative to each licensed facility requesting the studies. When requested by an educational program, they may be sent to every clinical site in which a student completes their clinical experience.

CAHP Student Services will contact you via email to notify you that it is time to initiate your criminal background study, and that you need to read the associated Privacy Notice. These background checks will be conducted when you first enter the program. If you believe you may have circumstances which may affect your NETStudy 2.0 background study, please contact your Student Services advisor right away.

Visit the State of Minnesota Department of Human Service Criminal Background studies website for more information at https://mn.gov/dhs/general-public/background-studies/.

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