Electrician, Apprentice

Electricians install, repair, alter and maintain electrical conductors, fittings, devices and fixtures for heating, lighting or power purposes. They must comply with the current edition of the National Electric Code. Apprentice electricians learn to perform above duties under direct supervision of a Master or Journeyman Electrician.

Note: Rule changes are in the process to allow high school students who have graduated the 10th grade to obtain an apprentice ID card. Please check the Board’s website at <www.oplc.nh.gov/electricians/> for information on when the changes have been approved and specific requirements.

Legislation
Statute: NH RSA 319-C
Administrative Rules: Chapter Elec 100-400

Identification Card Requirements
Must possess high school diploma or equivalent or be enrolled in a Board approved “youth apprenticeship program for high school students”

Examination
Not required

Continuing Education
Any apprentice with a current NH apprentice ID card who has completed the 600 hour schooling requirements but has not achieved a journeyman electrician license before the fifth renewal must successfully complete 30 hours of classroom instruction, based on areas of deficiency in the journeyman exam, each year before the ID card shall be renewed

Reciprocity
Not permitted

Active Licenses
1,817

Related Training
Electrician; Electrical and Power Transmission Installation/Installer, General

Regulatory Agency
New Hampshire Electricians’ Board
Office of Professional Licensure and Certification
121 South Fruit Street
Concord, New Hampshire 03301

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Fees
Initial fee .................................................. $30.00
Annual renewal fee .............................. $30.00

O*Net Codes
47-2111.00 Electricians

Additional Information Sources
United States Department of Labor
Office of Apprenticeship
<www.doleta.gov/oa/>

Joint Apprenticeship and Training
IBEW Local 490
<www.ibew490.org/node/32>