

CLARB

LATC Board Meeting

September 4, 2020

Agenda

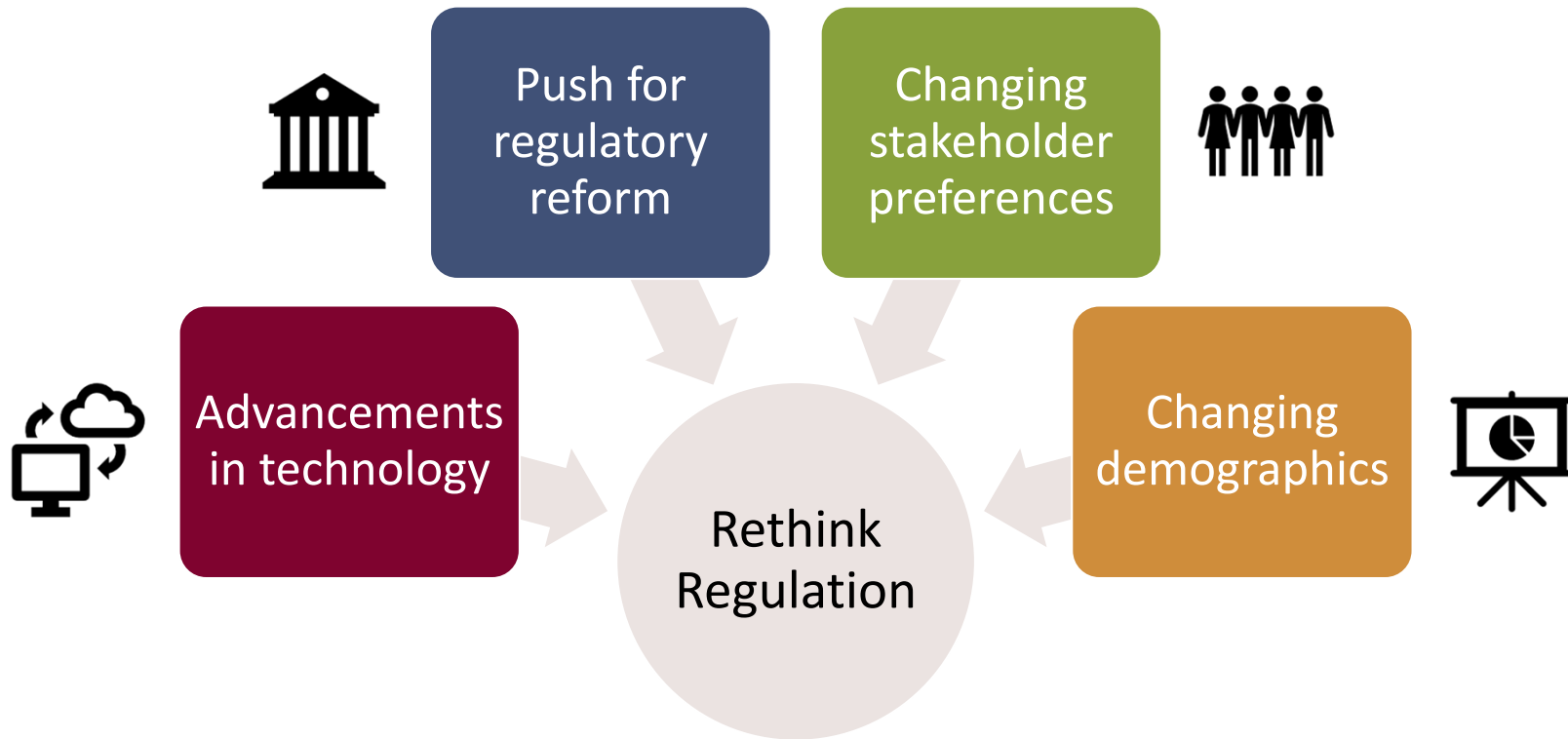
Rethink Regulation overview

Considerations for exam pre-approval

Annual Meeting review

Open discussion

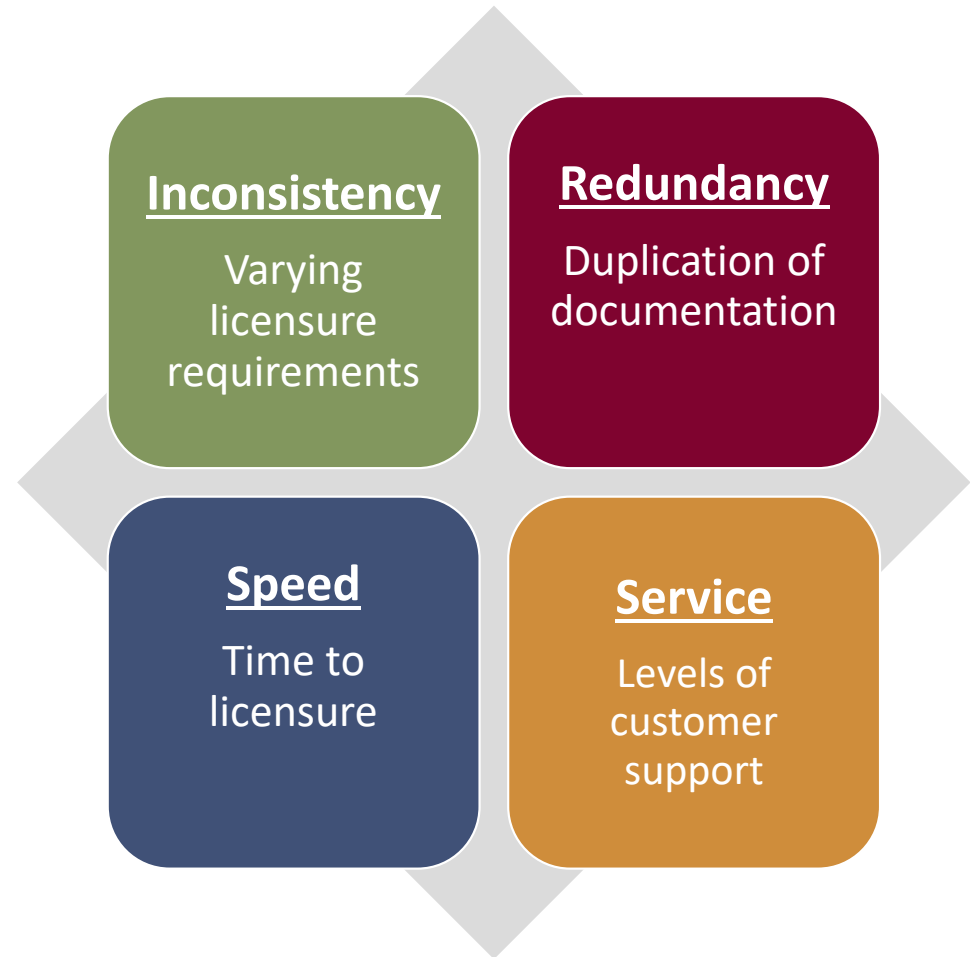
Why should CLARB and member boards
rethink landscape architecture regulation?



Reduce
friction in the
licensure
process

Friction = steps, complications, and processes that do not have a direct impact on public protection.

Where does friction currently exist in the licensure process?



How do we address that friction?

Policy changes that facilitate uniform standards for licensure.

Varying
licensure
requirements

Duplication of
documentation

Process changes that eliminates the duplication of documentation candidates and licensees must provide.

Procedural changes that reduce the time it takes to get licensed.

Time to
licensure

Levels of
customer
service/support

Service enhancements that better assist candidates and licensees in navigating the path to licensure.

Terminology

- **uniform standard:** common criteria for licensure against which all candidates are evaluated and is implemented in all jurisdictions
- **uniform application:** a single tool used to collect and share applicant data with licensure boards
- **administrative approval:** ability for board staff to approve licensure applications for those candidates that meet the standard requirements for education, examination, and experience
- **direct L.A.R.E. registration:** qualified candidates may register for and take the L.A.R.E. directly with CLARB without waiting for board approval

Policy changes address Inconsistency

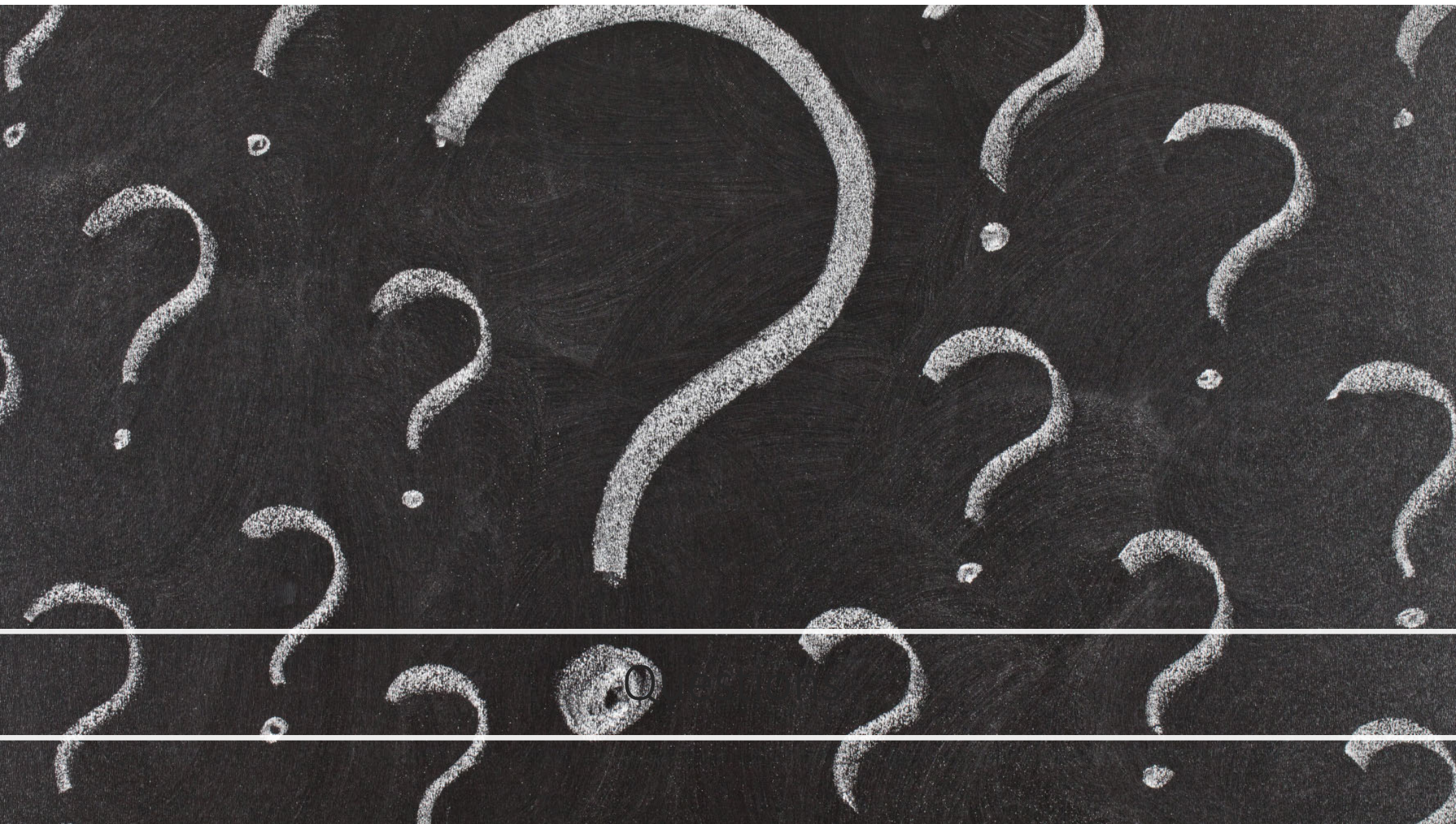
- CLARB is working with members to develop a uniform standard for licensure that all candidates are evaluated against and is implemented in all jurisdictions.
- Education, experience and the exam are KEY components of the standard.
- Education and exam standards have been established and are defensible.
- Experience requirements vary greatly which creates vulnerabilities for landscape architecture licensure

Process changes address Redundancy

- Development of a tool – a uniform application - that can be used to collect and share applicant data with licensure boards.
- The uniform application will contain the core information all boards need to evaluate a candidate for licensure.
- This will be implemented in phases, first by modifying the Council Record, then ultimately to a two-way electronic transfer of data.

Procedural changes address Speed

- Empowering board staff to administratively approve a candidate for licensure.
- Enabling all candidates to register directly with CLARB for the L.A.R.E. without prior approval.

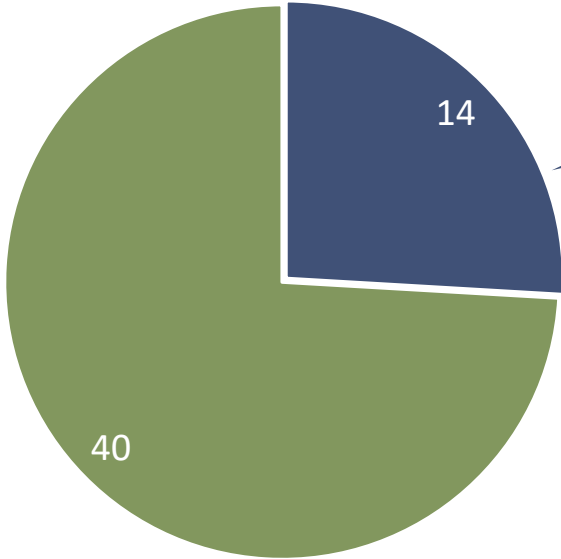


Considerations for Direct L.A.R.E. Registration

Direct Exam Registration

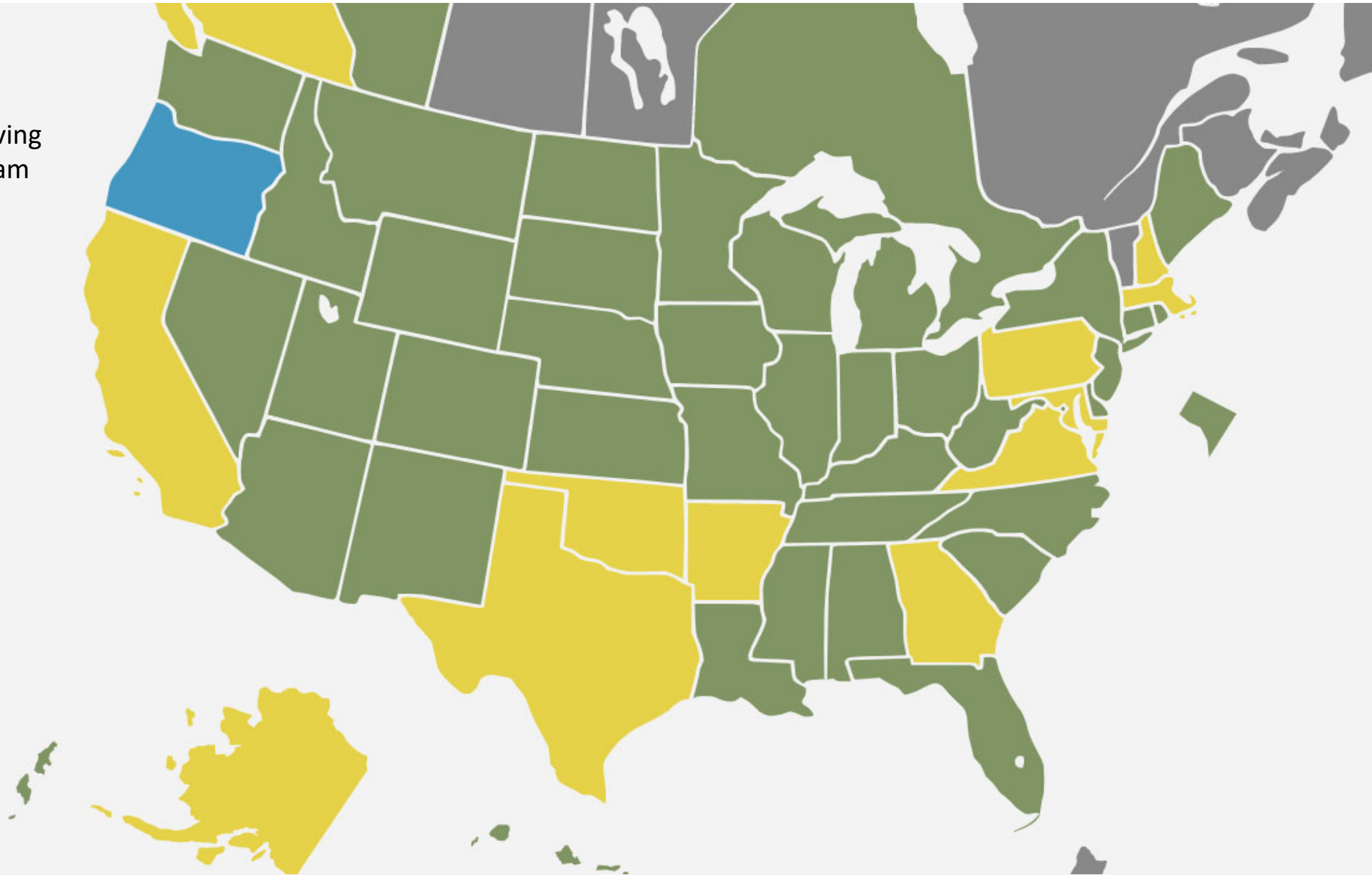
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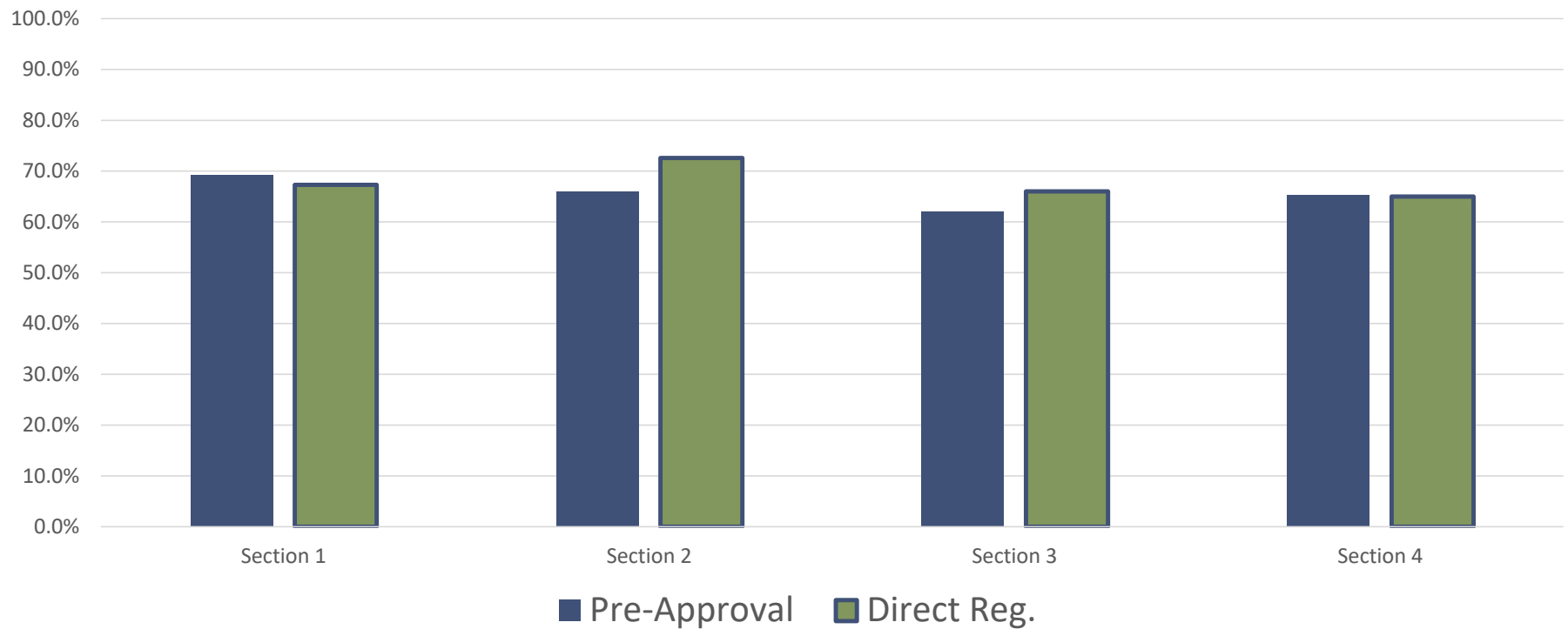


■ Pre-approval ■ Direct registration

Oregon moving
to direct exam
registration

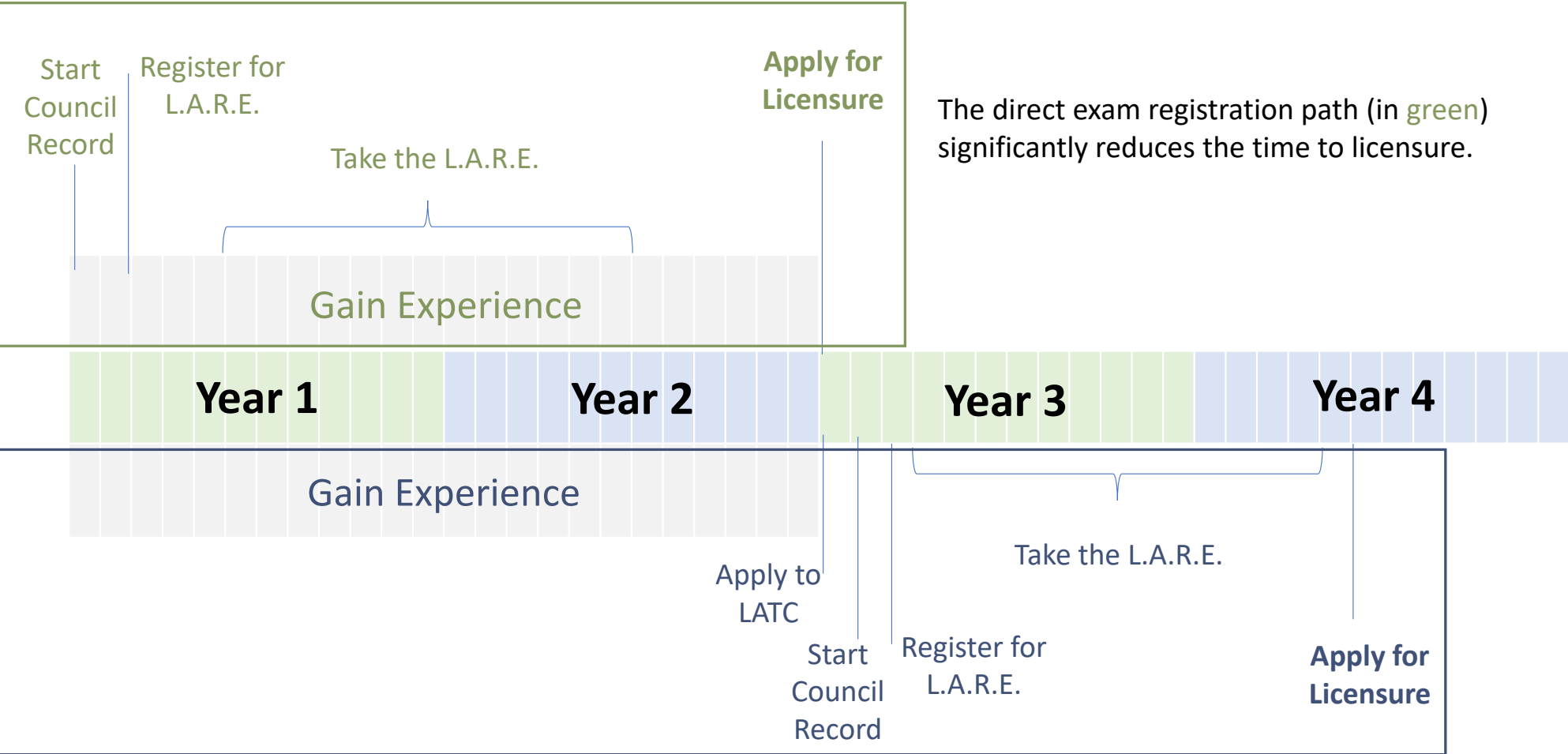


Pass Rates by Board Requirements

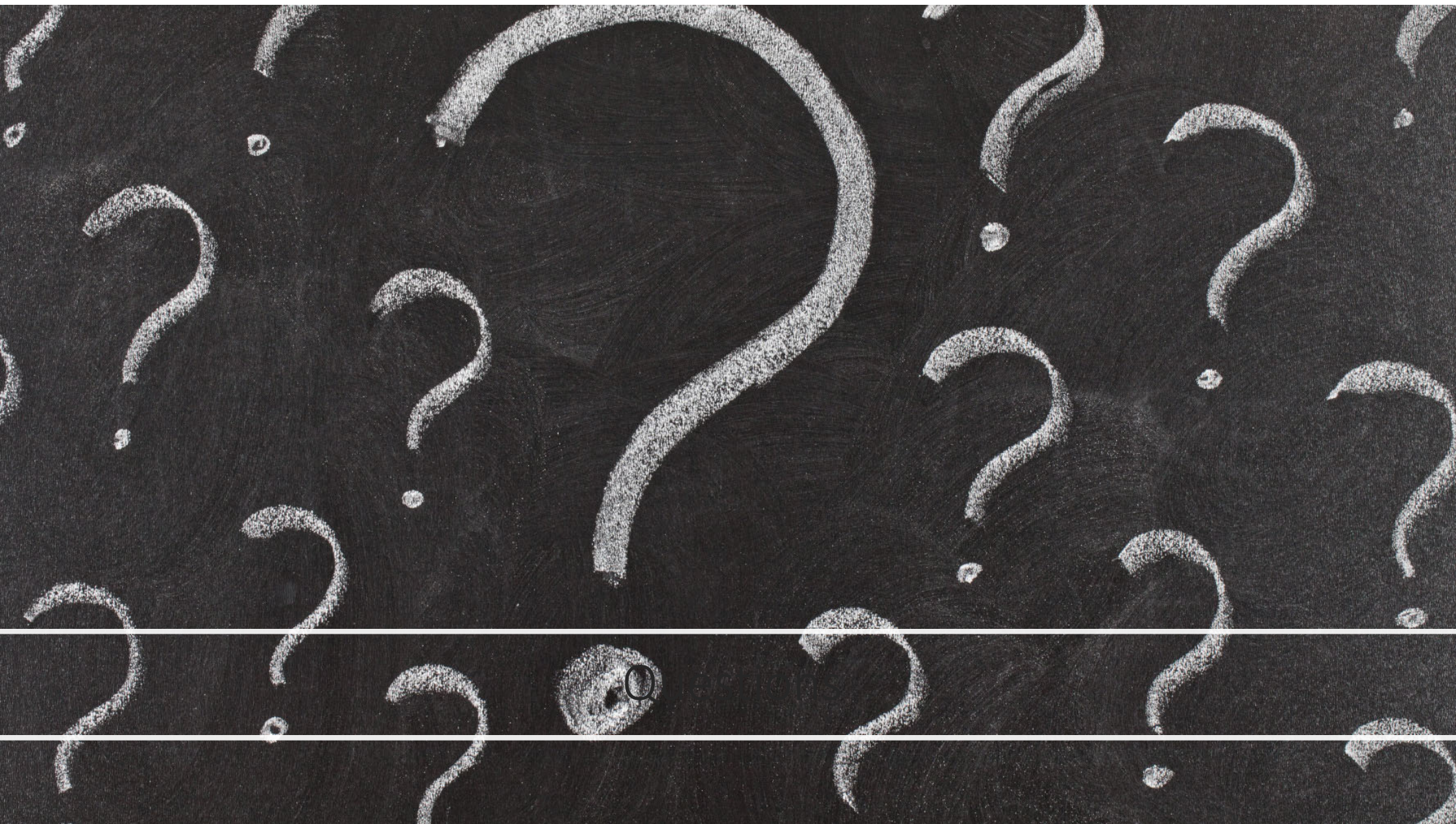


2013-2019 Data

Candidate Process – Direct vs. Pre-Approval



The direct exam registration path (in green) significantly reduces the time to licensure.



CLARB 2020 Annual Meeting

Thursday, September 10 – Virtual Meeting

11:30 – 12:30 Pre-meeting session – Thriving during COVID-19

1:00 – 4:30 CLARB Annual Meeting
Remote Proctoring Pilot update
2021 Task Analysis
Diversity, Equity and Inclusion
CLARB 2.0 – Re-envisioning for the Future
Elections
Outgoing Volunteer Recognition

5:00 – 6:00 Social Activities

Elections Reminder

- Ballots and credentials letter due September 7
- Credentials letter is completed by staff or non-voting board member
- Board members or staff may be voting delegate
- Any tie will be voted on at the Annual Meeting via email ballot (must be completed by credentialed delegate in attendance)

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