



THE NATIONAL MARITAL AND FAMILY THERAPY EXAMINATION

EXAMINATION PROCESS

The Certification Examination is administered monthly during an established one-week testing period on a daily basis, Monday through Saturday, excluding holidays, at computer-based testing facilities managed by PSI. PSI has several hundred testing sites in the United States, as well as Canada. Scheduling is done on a first-come, first-served basis. To find a testing center near you, visit <http://candidate.psiexams.com> or call 1-800-733-9267.

Please note: Hours and days of availability vary at different centers. To schedule your examination appointment, you must have received an Eligibility Notice first from PTC.

FEES

Examination Fee	\$350
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OBTAIN A HANDBOOK FOR CANDIDATES AND APPLICATION

Visit www.ptcny.com/clients/amftrb to download PDF version of the Handbook. The Handbook for Candidates is also available at www.amftrb.org.

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EXAMINATION DATES

*Applications are due on the 1st of the month prior to your chosen testing period

2015 TESTING PERIODS

January 2015 (application due 12/1/2014)

January 17—January 24, 2015

February 2015 (application due 1/1/2015)

February 14—February 21, 2015

March 2015 (application due 2/1/2015)

March 14—March 21, 2015

April 2015 (application due 3/1/2015)

April 18—April 25, 2015

May 2015 (application due 4/1/2015)

May 9—May 16, 2015

June 2015 (application due 5/1/2015)

June 20—June 27, 2015

July 2015 (application due 6/1/2015)

July 18—July 25, 2015

August 2015 (application due 7/1/2015)

August 15—August 22, 2015

September 2015 (application due 8/1/2015)

September 19—September 26, 2015

October 2015 (application due 9/1/2015)

October 17—October 24, 2015

November 2015 (application due 10/1/2015)

November 14—November 21, 2015

December 2015 (application due 11/1/2015)

December 12—December 19, 2015

Handbook for Candidates and Application form are available at www.ptcny.com/clients/amftrb

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The Association of Marital and
Family Therapy Regulatory
Boards

<http://www.amftrb.org>



VALUE OF CERTIFICATION

PURPOSE OF THE EXAMINATION

The Association of Marital and Family Therapy Regulatory Boards (AMFTRB) National MFT Examination assists state licensing boards in evaluating the knowledge of applicants for licensure. AMFTRB offers a standardized examination for use by its member boards in order to determine if these applicants have attained the knowledge considered essential for entry level professional practice and to provide a common element in the evaluation of candidates from one state to another. The contribution of subject matter experts, AMFTRB, and Professional Testing Corporation (PTC) are used in the development and continuing improvement of the examination. The National MFT Examination is only part of the overall evaluation used by the member boards.

The examination is designed to assess this knowledge through questions focused on the tasks that an entry level marital and family therapist should be able to perform and the knowledge required to perform those tasks successfully. Candidates who have completed the required academic and supervised experiential preparation and who have developed the level of competence necessary for entry level professional practice in marital and family therapy should be able to pass the examination.



WHAT CONTENT IS COVERED ON THE EXAMINATION?

The National Marital and Family Therapy Examination is a computer-based examination composed of a maximum of 200 multiple-choice, objective questions with a total testing time of four (4) hours. Questions will be in the following areas:

- I. The Practice of Systemic Therapy
- II. Assessing, Hypothesizing and Diagnosing
- III. Designing and Conducting Treatment
- IV. Evaluating Ongoing Process and Terminating Treatment
- V. Managing Crisis Situations
- VI. Maintaining Ethical, Legal, and Professional Standards

A detailed exam content outline is available in the Handbook for Candidates. The Handbook is available for download at www.ptcny.com/clients/amftrb or www.amftrb.org.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

You must first contact your state licensing board for application and eligibility requirements. State licensing board application deadlines, requirements, and fees for licensure may be in addition to those of AMFTRB's.

After the state licensing board has approved you to sit for the examination, the state licensing board will email you an approval letter with an approval code and links to the Professional Testing Corporation's Online Application System (<https://secure.ptcny.com/apply>). Complete the online application and submit examination/testing fee payment. Applications are not considered complete until all information has been provided and payment is received. Retain this link and code for future use.

Within six (6) weeks prior to the start of the testing period, you will receive an Eligibility Notice from PTC via email. The Eligibility Notice includes an eligibility number and information on how to set up your examination location, date, and time through PSI. Retain this document. A printed copy of the Eligibility Notice must be presented along with your current driver's license or passport at the testing center.