The following items are required before an interview appointment for First District License, Renewal of District License, Ordination, or Recognition of Credentials will be made.

<u>All forms/transcripts must</u> be submitted to the district office by November 30<sup>th</sup> through email or mail. <u>Faxed copies will not be accepted.</u> If your forms are not received on time, you should not expect to be granted an interview.

## <u>District License or Renewal of District License Checklist:</u>

1.	Application for District License completed and signed
2.	Local church board recommendation, signed by both the pastor/chairman of the Board
	and the secretary of the board, including the date of the board meeting approval
3.	Supervisor evaluation form filled out by a supervising ordained elder or deacon
4.	Mentor evaluation form filled out by mentor
5.	Background check application completed. An online training will also be required.
6.	Applicants Code of Conduct Agreement form
7.	All transcripts must be submitted to the Board of Ministry Secretary (email preferred):

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## First time applicants only:

Six classes from the Course of Study must be completed before the first district license can be issued. One of the six MUST be Nazarene Church History and Polity.

First time applicants must also complete the credential check form for the denomination (if they have not completed it before). This is a onetime submission.

## **Divorce Barrier:**

A history of divorce creates a barrier for ordination that MUST be removed before a candidate can be considered for a district license. If you have a been divorced and have not had this barrier removed, please contact the district office for the necessary forms you will have to fill out and submit.

## **Ordination and Recognition of Credentials Applicants:**

Must complete all forms required for district license as well as the following:

1.	Ordination application completed and signed (after being offered this at district license
	interview)
2.	Completed the Ministerial Workshop (required onetime)

Please note: It is the applicant's responsibility to make sure all paperwork is submitted by November 30<sup>th</sup>, including forms that must be filled out by their church board, supervisor, and mentor. If you have any questions, please contact Shay at the district office.

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