Registration Eligibility Application and Exam Process—RD and DTR Exams

**Step 1**
Application Submission
Program director submits candidate eligibility application to CDR.

**Step 2**
Application Approval
CDR reviews the application. Upon approval, a candidate’s data is sent to CDR’s testing vendor Pearson VUE.

**Step 3**
Eligibility Confirmations
Candidates receive an eligibility confirmation email from CDR and an Authorization to Test email from Pearson VUE.

**Step 4**
Exam Scheduling
The exam is scheduled and paid for on Pearson VUE’s website.

**Step 5**
Taking Exam
After completing the exam, candidates receive either a passing* or failing** score report.

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*If you pass the exam, click here and follow the steps on the "Newly Credentialed RD and DTR—Initiating and Maintaining Your Credential" graphic.

**If you fail the exam, click here and follow the steps in the "Candidates Who Did Not Pass RD or DTR Exam" graphic.