

- 1. Marketable postsecondary degree** means an industry recognized credential, vocational certificate or license, associate degree, bachelor's degree or a graduate level certification/advanced degree.

A degree is considered unmarketable when (a) the applicant can show that the credential prepared them for a specific occupation that they are no longer able to perform due to physical or mental health limitations or (b) the applicant can show that the credential was received over 20 years ago and was intended to prepare the individual for a specific occupation which they have not worked in for the last 15 years or (c) The degree, credential or license was obtained in another country or jurisdiction and is not recognized by the appropriate professional licensing body as a marketable degree in Maine.

CSSP funds may be used to assist individuals licensed in other states or foreign countries obtain licenses/credentials recognized in Maine.