

Medical Laboratory Science (MLS)

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The Lincoln Memorial University's Bachelor of Science in Medical Laboratory Science fulfills all of the educational requirements for the states listed above with the exception of California, which requires the addition of three credit hours of physics (light and electricity).

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