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TDLR releases new list of revoked licenses

Complete TDLR list available online

AUSTIN – The Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation (TDLR) has released the newest list of people who are no longer authorized to perform or offer to perform licensed services in Texas.

TDLR urges consumers not to hire unlicensed service providers because they can endanger your health and property. TDLR licensees have passed examinations checking their subject-matter expertise, they have been educated on Texas laws and rules and have undergone criminal background checks. Certain service providers also may have insurance to cover any damages that might happen while they are working on your property.

This latest list includes actions TDLR took between May and August to safeguard consumers and protect public health and safety.

TDLR revoked several massage therapist licenses for engaging in sexual contact during treatment sessions, as well as several massage establishment licenses for allowing sexual contact to occur on the premises or allowing unlicensed individuals to perform massage therapy services.

TDLR also issued two cease-and-desist orders:

- Chinese Compassion Massage School is alleged to have provided unauthorized assistance to students by posting licensing examination materials to their website and YouTube channel.
- MPower Education is alleged to have operated a massage school without the required TDLR license and allegedly allowed students who did not have the required TDLR student permit to receive instruction and participate in internships.

Other enforcement actions included revoking the licenses of licensees who made false statements about their criminal histories or were convicted of offenses that prohibit them from holding those licenses. Other actions were against people who performed unlicensed services.

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Anyone listed on the Safeguarding Texans page is not authorized to perform, or offer to perform, licensed services in Texas. Please see <https://www.tdlr.texas.gov/safeguardingconsumers.htm> for additional details on each action.

Licenses Revoked Since April

License Type	City
Air Conditioning & Refrigeration	Katy, Mesquite
Athletic Trainers	Grand Prairie
Barbers	Dallas
Cosmetology	New Braunfels, Terrell, Vernon
Driver Education & Safety	Corpus Christi
Electricians	Arlington, Houston, Marion,
Massage	Austin, Dallas, Houston, Kingwood, Plano, Rockwall
Tow Company	South Padre Island
Tow Operator	Cleveland, Georgetown
Vehicle Storage Facility	Alamo

Cease and Desist Orders Since April

License Type	City
Massage School	Houston

TDLR maintains a database so that consumers can protect themselves against using unlicensed service providers. To see ALL violations by licensees – including license revocations, suspensions, and fines – search TDLR’s Administrative Orders database (<https://www.tdlr.texas.gov/cimsfo/fosearch.asp>).

To report unlicensed activity, file a complaint online: <https://www.tdlr.texas.gov/complaints/>.

About TDLR

TDLR provides regulatory oversight for a broad range of occupations, businesses, facilities, and equipment in Texas. The agency protects the health and safety of Texans by ensuring they are served by qualified, licensed professionals. Inspections of individuals, businesses, and equipment are done on a regular basis to safeguard the public. Currently, the agency regulates 39 business and occupational licensing programs with more than 1,000,000 licensees across the state.

Visit TDLR’s [website](#) for more information and resources. You can search the [TDLR licensee database](#), and also find [past violations](#) in which a final order was issued against companies or individuals. TDLR’s Customer Service line is available anytime between 7 a.m. until 6 p.m., Monday through Friday, at 1-800-803-9202. TDLR representatives are fluent in English, Spanish, Vietnamese, Korean and Mandarin.

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