AXP Supervisor update

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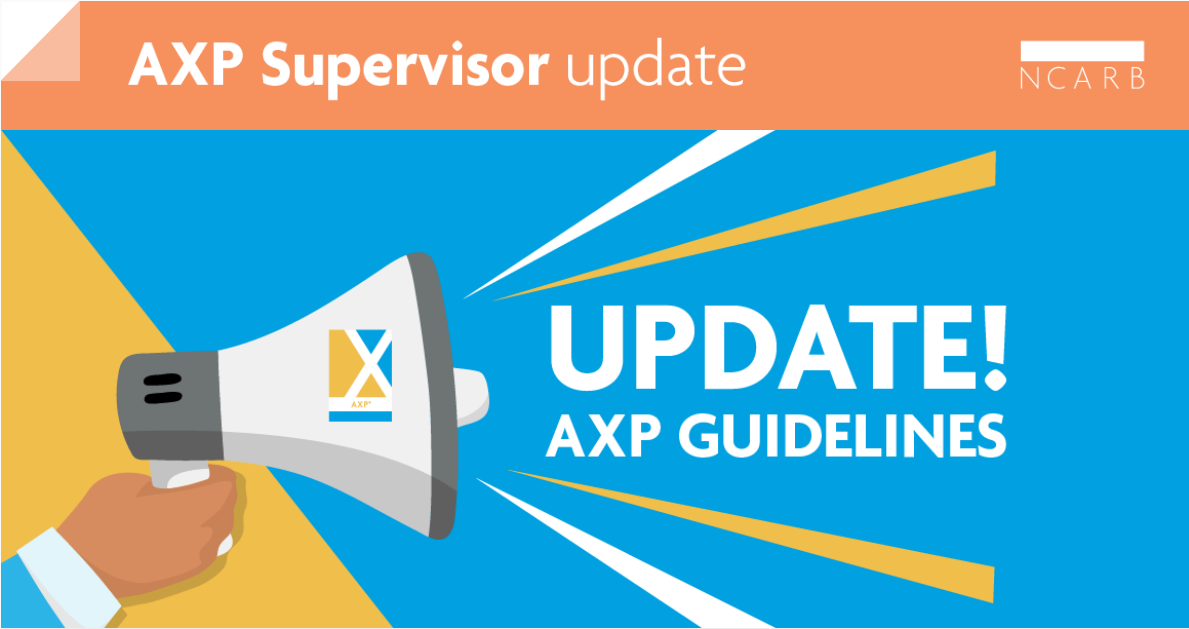AXP GUIDELINES

FEATURED BLOG POST

Understand the Upcoming AXP Changes »

As a reminder, several updates to the Architectural Experience Program® (AXP®) will launch on November 18, 2025. These updates are designed to align the program with the *NCARB Competency Standard for Architects* and to address common administrative impediments faced by candidates on the path to licensure—including the experience program's reporting requirement.

Explore AXP Updates

Experience Area Spotlight: Programming & Analysis »

The Programming & Analysis experience area covers the first phase of a project, which focuses on researching and evaluating client requirements, building code and zoning regulations, and site data to develop recommendations on the feasibility of a project. For more information about all experience areas, read the *AXP Guidelines*.

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Answers to Your Top Questions About the Upcoming AXP Changes »

NCARB experts recently led a webinar to explain the upcoming AXP changes and respond to questions from licensure candidates and architects—including questions about the new reporting requirement policy. Here are answers to some of the top questions we've received.

IPAL Policy Changes Expand Access to Accelerated Licensure Program »

On July 1, 2025, NCARB implemented several policy changes to the Integrated Path to Architectural Licensure (IPAL)—an accelerated pathway to licensure for motivated students—to make the program more accessible to a wider range of academic programs and remove identified barriers for IPAL student success.

Explore New Architecture Education and Experience Data »

Focusing on education and experience as the ways most candidates develop core licensure competencies, the 2025 edition of *NCARB by the Numbers* shares key insights about licensure candidates navigating education requirements and gaining experience as part of the AXP.