



North Carolina State Hearing Aid Dealers and Fitters Board

CONTINUING EDUCATION REPORT OF PROGRAM ATTENDANCE (F24-CER)

Reporting Fee: \$15.00

Note: 21 NCAC 22F Section .0200 CONTINUING EDUCATION contains all NC rules about obtaining and reporting continuing education to meet license renewal requirements. Licensees are responsible for reviewing and understanding regulatory requirements. 22F .0202(b): The CEU Accrual Period for each license renewal shall be the calendar year preceding license renewal. 22F .0201(3): "CEU reporting deadline" means the tenth day of January which immediately follows the CEU Accrual Period.

Follow Rule 21 NCAC 22F .0208 to record Self-Study CEUs with the Board

Complete the online CEU Verification Report and print confirmation sheet as a cover sheet to mail form or payment.

Electronically submitted forms should not be mailed -- keep the form for your records until credits are posted online.

Mail form and fee to: NC Hearing Aid Dealers and Fitters Board, 3801 Lake Boone Trail, Ste 190, Raleigh, NC 27607

Form with fields: Course ID #: 17-00111, Title: 2017 SELF-STUDY for Renewal (CEUs must be completed between 1/1/2017-12/31/2017), Print Name, License Number, Licensee Signature.

Table with 8 columns: Date Completed, SESSION TITLE, CEUs, Online ID #, Accrediting Organization(s), Category 1 or 2, 21 NCAC 22F .0203 Content Category Reference. Row 1: 02/01/2017, Sample one-hour infection control course, 0.10, 478992, AAA, HIS, 2, C9.

In order to receive credit, ATTACH the TRANSCRIPT showing your score on quiz, date course completed, title of course, and CEUs offered. A report without a transcript or a transcript without a complete report form will not be processed.

\* See Page two for instructions to complete "21 NCAC 22F. 0203 Content Category Reference" column.

Total number of CEUs earned in CATEGORY 1: [format 0.10] and in CATEGORY 2 [format: 0.10]

FOR BOARD USE ONLY:

EU \_\_\_\_, Category 1: \_\_\_\_, Category 2: \_\_\_\_, Course ID: 17-00111, Transcript Verified \_\_\_\_, Content \_\_\_\_, Fee \_\_\_\_, Pmt Id \_\_\_\_, License No. \_\_\_\_

## **IDENTIFYING TOPIC USING BOARD CONTENT CATEGORIES**

F23-SSR (Updated 12/2013)

Identify the content of the self-study program using the letter and number from Rule 21 NCAC 22F .0203 that best describes the self-study session. You can write reference with or without ( ) around reference.

### **21 NCAC 22F .0203 CONTENT CATEGORIES**

*(a) Sessions assigned to Category 1 or Category 2, as described herein, satisfy the continuing education requirement for license renewal. Category 0 sessions, as described herein, do not satisfy any part of the continuing education requirement.*

**(b) Category 1 is for amplification and hearing rehabilitation issues, and shall be assigned to continuing education sessions which are comprised of the following topics:**

- (1) hearing aid technology: instrument circuitry and acoustic performance data;
- (2) earmold or shell coupling systems: design, selection, modifications, and ear impressions;
- (3) hearing aid selection procedures, verification, fitting and adjustment techniques, and servicing or repairs; and
- (4) aural rehabilitation using amplification: auditory training, hearing aid orientation and counseling techniques, and hearing aid validation techniques.

**(c) Category 2 is for hearing loss, regulations, and consumer-related issues, and shall be assigned to continuing education sessions which are comprised of the following topics:**

- (1) biological, physical, and behavioral bases underlying normal and pathological hearing processes;
- (2) detection, assessment, or monitoring of hearing impairment (such as measurement techniques and test interpretation), including intraoperative monitoring;
- (3) cochlear implants or implantable hearing devices;
- (4) central auditory processing;
- (5) assistive listening devices, including FM Systems and ancillary wireless devices;
- (6) techniques for development of speech and language in children with hearing loss, or augmentative and alternative communication strategies for children or adults with hearing loss;
- (7) cerumen management, dizziness, or tinnitus as it directly pertains to persons with hearing loss;
- (8) hearing impaired consumers' views of the hearing health care industry and consumer complaints;
- (9) infection control issues for the hearing health care profession;
- (10) professional conduct and regulatory issues pertaining to the fitting and selling of hearing aids; and
- (11) hearing aid business practices such as hearing aid office management, sales contracts, and hearing aid marketing or industry trends.

**(d) Category 0 shall be assigned to all unapproved sessions in a continuing education program, including sessions comprised of the following programs, activities and topics:**

- (1) financial planning unrelated to the fitting or programming of hearing instruments;
- (2) computer training unrelated to the fitting or programming of hearing instruments;
- (3) employment contracts;
- (4) balance mechanism or tinnitus, if not directly pertaining to persons with hearing loss;
- (5) cerumen management, if not directly pertaining to persons with hearing loss;
- (6) training designed for license examination preparation;
- (7) factory tours, poster sessions, open forum sessions, and poster-type sessions conducted at a CE Program where participants are free to determine the amount of time that they interact with multiple presenters; and
- (8) all other topics not listed as approved for Category 1 or Category 2.

*History Note: Authority G.S. 93D-3(c); 93D-11; Eff. September 1, 2013.*