



## North Carolina State Hearing Aid Dealers & Fitters Board

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### OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

#### BOARD-SPONSORED EXAMINATION PREPARATION WORKSHOP

Before taking the Licensing Examination for the first time, each **Registered Apprentice who does not hold a valid, permanent N. C. license as an Audiologist** must attend the Board's Examination Preparation Workshop, on at least one occasion. All Registered Apprentices, and those persons who have registered to take the Licensing Examination, are eligible to attend the scheduled Examination Preparation Workshop, which will be held on **March 10, 11 and 12, 2010, from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. each day** at NC A & T State University in Greensboro, North Carolina (directions on website).

- Eligible apprentices who hold a valid, temporary N.C. license as an Audiologist must **attend the first day (i.e., March 11) of the workshop.**
- Eligible attendees who hold a valid, permanent N. C. license as an Audiologist are not required to attend any session, but may elect to attend the first day of the workshop.
- **Apprentices taking all parts of the exam for the first time are required to attend on all three days, if such persons have not already attended the 3-day workshop.**

The \$50.00 per day registration fee and notice of intent to attend must be received at the Board Office by Wednesday, February 24, 2010. A \$25.00 processing fee shall be charged by the Board, for any check on which payment is refused by the payor bank, in accordance with board rules.

#### EXAMINATION PREPARATION WORKSHOP AGENDA

TIMES	SCHEDULE OF EVENTS
Workshop STARTS 9:30 a.m. and ENDS 4:30 p.m. [One-Hour Lunch Break]	Wednesday - 3/10/2010 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ General overview and introduction to the examination and forms</li><li>▪ General introduction to the examination regarding Parts 2 and 3 of the Written portion &amp; the Practicum portion</li><li>▪ Topic – Regulatory issues with practice questions</li><li>▪ Topic- Hearing aids and earmolds: technology/selection/postfitting issues with practice questions</li></ul>
Workshop STARTS 9:30 a.m. and ENDS 4:30 p.m. [One-Hour Lunch Break]	Thursday-3/11/2010 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ General introduction to the examination regarding Part 1 of the Written portions with practice questions</li><li>▪ General overview of the Simulator portion of the examination</li><li>▪ General Introduction to the Audiometric Response Simulator</li><li>▪ Topic – Hearing Assessment and Masking Rules with practice questions</li></ul>
Workshop STARTS 9:30 a.m. and ENDS 4:30 p.m. [One-Hour Lunch Break]	Friday- 3/12/2010 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ General Introduction to the Simulator Portion of the examination</li><li>▪ Topic – Hearing Assessment and Masking Rules with practice questions</li><li>▪ Simulator: Individual Practice</li></ul>

**NOTICE OF INTENT TO ATTEND EXAMINATION PREPARATION WORKSHOP  
AND REQUEST FOR RECOMMENDED READING MATERIALS**

Submit the following information to the Board Office, if attending the Examination Preparation Workshop and/or requesting a copy of recommending reading materials:

This notice must be received at the Board Office by Wednesday, February 24, 2010.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax#: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address (if requesting recommended reading materials):  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Apprentice Certificate #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email for confirmation of registration: \_\_\_\_\_

I plan to attend on:

- 03/10/2010 (\$50.00) and/or
- 03/11/2010 (\$50.00) and/or
- 03/12/2010 (\$50.00)

Total \_\_\_\_\_.

*MAIL FORM TO:*  
*NC State Hearing Aid  
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Note:

Participants are expected to bring to the Examination Preparation Workshop copies of all documents on the Board's Recommended Readings List (<http://www.nchalb.org/examination/readingsMay2007a.pdf>), which are noted as available on the Board website. If you do not have access to the Internet, these items are available from the Board Office and should be requested in writing by February 24, 2010.

**THE CHARGE FOR SUCH MATERIALS IS \$17.50, including postage.**

- I wish to purchase the recommended reading materials available on the Board website for \$17.50.

I have enclosed a check in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_.

<b>Board Use Only</b>		
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