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## MEMO

To: Polysomnography Related Respiratory Care Permittees  
From: Idaho State Board of Medicine  
Re: Continuing Education Requirement

The Respiratory Therapy Licensure Board has approved the following as acceptable for meeting continuing education requirements for permit renewal:

- i. Attending or presenting at conferences, seminars or in-service programs as they relate to polysomnography related respiratory care. Actual preparation time is also acceptable.
- ii. Formal course work in polysomnography related respiratory care related subjects.
- iii. Conduct of polysomnography related respiratory care research or grant supported activity.
- iv. Publication of an original article, review, or report of clinical experience in an appropriate professional publication.
- v. Passing the certification/registry or recertification examinations.
- vi. Correspondence or Polysomnography Related Respiratory Care journal home study courses approved by the American Association of Respiratory Care, Association of Polysomnographic Technologists, or other accredited association approved by the Respiratory Therapy Licensure Board.

**READING PROFESSIONAL JOURNALS IS NOT APPROVED FOR MEETING CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS.**

All licenses are required to be renewed annually before July 1st. Polysomnography related respiratory care permittees are required to provide proof of 12 hours of continuing education prior to renewal. Only CE hours acquired within the past 12 months will be accepted.