

Continuing Education Credit / Contact Hours

Continuing education credit/contact hours for school nurses may be earned in some states, but not all.

School Nurse CEUs Offered

The following states DO require continuing education units for RNs/LPNs to maintain their certification/licenses. Each of these states has told us they will accept BER/IED's approval by the California Board of Registered Nursing as a Continuing Education Provider.

Alabama	Kentucky	North Dakota
Alaska	Louisiana	Ohio
Arkansas	Michigan	Pennsylvania
California	Minnesota	Rhode Island
District of Columbia	Nebraska	South Carolina
Florida	Nevada	Texas
*Illinois	New Hampshire	West Virginia
**Indiana – if lapsed	New Jersey	Wyoming
Iowa	New Mexico	
Kansas	North Carolina	

* Illinois CPDU credits do not transfer/apply towards the CE credits required for APRN renewal in Illinois

**CEUs are only required in Indiana if a nurse allows their license to lapse.

NOTE: APRNs need to check with their certifying agency to determine if the course meets the additional CEU requirements for their specialty area.

Those states which DO NOT require continuing education units for RNs/LPNs to maintain their certification/licenses, but may require CEUs for APRNs, are as follows:

Arizona	Maryland	South Dakota
Colorado	Mississippi	Tennessee
Connecticut	Missouri	Vermont
Georgia	Montana	Virginia
Idaho	*New York	Washington
Indiana	Oklahoma	Wisconsin
Maine	Oregon	

*NY only requires an infectious disease course every 4 years. BER/IED school nurse courses do not cover this in sufficient detail to fill this requirement.

NOTE: APRNs need to check with their certifying agency to determine if a course meets the additional CEU requirements for their specialty area. BER/IED is approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing, Provider #CEP 15144.

Certificate of Participation

The Certificate of Participation will include the following statement, including the specific number of CEUs/Contact hours for each course, in all of the above states:

Provider approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing, Provider #CEP 15144, for ___ CEUs/Contact hours for RNs and LPNs. The participant shall maintain the certificate of completion for a period of four (4) years after the course concludes.

****APRNs need to check with their credentialing agency to determine if this course meets the additional CEU requirements for their specialty area.****

School Nurse CEUs Not Offered

The following states DO require continuing education units for RNs/LPNs to maintain their certification/licenses, but DO NOT accept our approval by the California Board of Registered Nursing as a Continuing Education Provider. Therefore, participants attending our school nurse courses cannot receive CE/contact hours specific to nursing to apply toward maintaining their certification/license. ***Participants may still receive general teaching continuing education units for these states with prior district approval.***

Delaware

Hawaii

Utah