



## KENTUCKY LICENSING BOARD FOR SPECIALISTS IN HEARING INSTRUMENTS

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### MEMORANDUM

Re: 201 KAR 7:075. Continuing education requirements

To: All Specialists in Hearing Instruments licensees

As mandated by 201 KAR 7:075 "Each licensee shall be required to complete a minimum of ten (10) continuing education hours in order to renew his or her license each year." It also states that "A minimum of five (5) of the required ten (10) continuing education hours shall be attained through programs sponsored by entities listed in Section 3(1) of this administrative regulation and attended in person by the licensee in a live, classroom presentation format."

In light of the Covid-19 pandemic, the board has voted to waive all continuing education requirements for the 2020 licensure year. We believe that this will more closely align with public health officials' directives about social distancing and gatherings in public places. However, this waiver only affects Continuing Education. Proof of equipment calibration in 2020 will still be required to renew your license.

This decision will in no way reflect the continuing education requirements for the 2021 licensure year or years prior to 2020. All licensees are still expected to follow all other laws and regulations that are covered in the Laws and Regulations Booklet.

In this unprecedented time, I ask you to stay safe and continue to do an excellent job serving the great people of the Commonwealth.

Best Regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Travis Corder".

Travis Corder  
Board Chairman