



Continuing Education Requirements for Nebraska Marriage & Family Therapists (And How to Stay on Track)

As a licensed marriage and family therapist (MFT) in the state of Nebraska, it is your responsibility to adhere to continuing education requirements each period in order to renew your license. Beyond license renewal being key to you maintaining your practice, continuing education is essential to stay abreast of what is happening in your field – something your clients will always appreciate you taking seriously. Education is how we all continue to learn and further hone our skills and expertise, so it's certainly something to be celebrated. Though education is fantastic, keeping on track with the many hours you need to fulfill can be a challenge. Thankfully, there is a fantastic resource available to help you with that. Before we dive into the resource, let's start by outlining what is required of Nebraska MFTs in order to renew their license each year.

Licensee Requirements for Nebraska Marriage & Family Therapists

Nebraska marriage and family therapists have a responsibility to complete 32 hours of continuing education every two years, ahead of the September 1 expiration date in even-numbered years. At least four of the required 32 hours must be regarding ethics in the field. There is no requirement that credits be earned through specific providers as the state does not proactively approve or review courses or programs. Licensed MFTs should use their professional judgement to decide if a course or program relates to their practice, which allows licensees the flexibility to take the courses they feel would give them the most benefit.

Key Takeaways:

- **Nebraska MFTs must complete 32 hours of continuing education every two years.**
- **Four of the 32 hours are required to be in ethics.**
- **Licenses expire September 1 of all even-numbered years.**

Given marriage and family therapists are likely to achieve their continuing education certificates in increments, from various workshops, conventions, agencies, and institutions, there is a lot of documentation to keep track of (potentially 32 or more certificates throughout the course of two years). As proof is required when you apply for renewal, it's imperative you keep all of those certificates in a safe place – easily accessible and easy to track your progress. CE Hub is the safe place you need to work through your continuing education with ease.

What is CE Hub?

CE Hub is an app built specifically for therapists. Recognizing the difficulty that is storing continuing education certificates and keeping track of your hours, CE Hub was created to take the stress out of continuing education requirements. Instead of worrying throughout the period that you may not be on track, or perhaps that you may have lost a document or two, CE Hub provides you the peace of mind you need to enjoy the learning process. Using the platform is simple: you sign up, upload your continuing education certificates as you obtain them, then CE Hub handles the rest. All of your continuing education credits are tracked for you, and you even receive a reminder when it's time to renew your license. Alleviate the stress of continuing education requirements by taking advantage of CE Hub today!

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Reference Link:

<https://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/pages/mental-health-and-social-work-practice.aspx>