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Continuing Education Requirements for West Virginia Psychologists (And How to Stay on Track)

As a licensed psychologist in the state of West Virginia, it is your responsibility to adhere to continuing education requirements every 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 psychology – 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 West Virginia psychologist in order to renew their license each cycle.

Licensee Requirements for West Virginia Psychologists

Psychologists licensed in West Virginia are obligated to complete 20 hours of continuing education every two years if they wish to renew their license for another cycle. Ten of the required 20 hours need to be obtained through American Psychological Association (APA) or National Association of School Psychologists (NASP)-approved providers while three hours must be in ethics. Additionally, another two hours must be on mental health conditions common among veterans and their family members. Though proof of completion of all continuing education activities is not required with license renewal applications, the board does conduct randomized audits, so it is the responsibility of each licensee to maintain their own records.

Key Takeaways:

- · West Virginia psychologists must complete 20 hours of continuing education every two years.
- Three need to be on ethics and 10 from APA or NASP-approved providers.

Given psychologists 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 20 or more certificates throughout the course of the two-year time period). As proof is required if you are selected for an audit, 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 psychologists. 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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