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## **NTCB Notes**

### **NEW ACCREDITED ORGANIZATION**

Pacific Health Options offers training in the following: Pain management - Using Interactive neuro technology (SCENAR) - this technology is cleared by the FDA and is covered by private, Workmen's Compensation as well as Medicare; Stress reduction - because many of our common diseases are stress related, it is PHO's belief that in all health issues, the Causal factor must first be addressed; Enhance peak performance: PHO conducts training seminars not only in Physiology Biofeedback but also in Neurofeedback utilizing advanced equipment and training

For more information on Training and other non invasive solutions to everyday health challenges, please contact:

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### **HOW TO RENEW:**

If your certification is expiring soon, you have the following options:

\*\* 20 CEUs are needed for renewal. You may claim CEUs over a 24-month period. If you previously held a three-year certification, you may use those (For 3 year renewals, you may use 60 CEUs). Renewal fees are \$65.00 plus \$25.00 for each additional certificate/certification. A \$25.00 past due fee is required for all late payments. Please call the NTCB if you wish reinstatement to discuss fees.

\*\* CEUs are available from any Accredited Organization (<http://ntcb.org>) or Accredited Organization offering on-line training: <http://ntcb.org/training.html>

\*\* Go to <http://ntcb.org/apply.html> and download the appropriate recertification form.

\*\* Fax in with credit card information via secured land line that is directly emailed to Jackie Olsen, Executive Director as a PDF file: 888-484-3111. Your renewal will be processed within one week.

\*\* Scan/email in with credit card information to [ntcb.info@gmail.com](mailto:ntcb.info@gmail.com). Your renewal will be processed within one week.

\*\* Mail your renewal with a check or credit card information to NTCB, P.O. Box 103, Swannanoa, NC 28778. Please allow three weeks for processing after we receive your renewal form. Note: checks are held an additional week to insure the check clears the bank.

A certificate with a gold seal is sent out with your new expiration date indicated.

## **ATTENTION RAINDROP PRACTITIONERS**

All Certified Raindrop Practitioners (CRP) and Board Certified Raindrop Specialists (BCRS) must complete their coaching requirements before the expiration date, or your certification will not be renewed. Please go to <http://healercoach.com> or <http://aromatherapycoach.com> to sign up for the next class. If you have any questions, please call 800-710-1539, extension 4 (workshops) or write to [healercoach@gmail.com](mailto:healercoach@gmail.com).

## **ON-LINE TESTING FOR BIOFEEDBACK**

The NTCB has developed an online Specialist certification exam. Beginning October 1, 2009, the NTCB exam will no longer be offered during the Intermediate and Advanced courses. This will end the proctoring, exam fee collection and mailing of exams to the NTCB. For applicants choosing to take the exam during classes through September, the proctored examination will be available. Students will be notified that they now have the option of taking the exam online.

Please note the new procedures effective October 1, 2009:

1. Students attend the Intermediate and Advanced Training course.
2. The Quantum Academies, Certified Biofeedback Instructors or other educational organizations will email the NTCB a list of students completing the Intermediate and Advanced Training course.
3. The NTCB will contact each student via email providing them with a special payment link. The examination fee is US\$200 for Certified Biofeedback Technicians, or US\$265 for non-CBTs.
4. The applicant submits the exam payment when ready to take the exam. Once payment is received, a unique password will be assigned and sent to the examinee which will be valid for a 24 hour period only. The examinee must begin the certification exam within the 24 hour period.
5. Upon completion of the exam the results will be emailed to the examinee and sent to the NTCB. The passing rate is now 70%.
6. The NTCB will email a Specialist application to the applicant to fill out, which can be returned by mail/email/fax.
7. Once the application is received the Specialist Certificate is issued if all certification requirements have been completed and the certification is current. The NTCB will also notify you of any requirements missing.

Please email me if you have any questions about this procedure.

## **SOCIAL MEDIA/NETWORKING**

There are many ways to reach out, inform, and drive people to your personal website ... Blogging is one of them. Blogging is used to inform, connect with like-minded individuals across the globe, and share information. As Natural Therapies professionals, this can be a valuable tool. Just remember the rules of coaching, however ... do not evaluate, recommend, suggest, diagnose, and/or treat.

## Why Blog?

You want to **find** other people who are interested in the same thing and **interact** with them.

You want to **create** something on the internet, backup interesting ideas.

You want to **write** about your life, because you are creative and want to **express**.

You want to **help** other people, to **entertain** them.

You want to **make** more **money**.

You know that being professional is about **communication** with other experts on your field.

You want to **change** the way you are living.

### Step 1: Sign Up

Go to: [www.blogger.com](http://www.blogger.com). Click on "Create a Blog" Enter your email address, a password, a display name, and check whether you want to receive email updates from Blogger. Type in the word verification text, and click "Continue".

**Step 2:** Enter a Blog title and URL you would like to use and see if that is available.

**Step 3:** Choose a template. This is how your blog style will look. You can customize this later on to something more personalized.

**Step 4:** Click on "Start Blogging". You can now begin posting content to your blog.

**How to post content to your blog:** Enter a title for your post. Enter text in the box below. You can customize the font and style of your text using the toolbar above. Add an image or video by clicking on the video or image icons on the toolbar. Choose an image from the web, or upload one from your computer. You can preview your post, save it for later, or publish it to be live on your blog.

**Dashboard:** From your blog dashboard you can view and edit your profile and add a profile picture. You can also change your blog layout, settings, edit posts, and choose to monetize (show ads on your blog or not).

## Have you moved lately?

Let us know how we can find you by sending us your new contact information - [ntcb.info@gmail.com](mailto:ntcb.info@gmail.com). Thank you!



Thanks for your continued support.

**Jackie Olsen, Executive Director**

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