

- (viii) American Society of Anesthesiologists
 - (ix) American Thoracic Society
 - (x) Critical Care Nurse Association
 - (xi) Tennessee Association of Cardiovascular and Pulmonary Rehabilitation
 - (xii) Tennessee Medical Association
 - (xiii) All hospitals or institutions belonging to the Tennessee Hospital Association or which are JTC accredited
3. The Committee consultant is vested with the authority to approve continuing education courses submitted in compliance with this rule. All such approvals must be presented to the full Board for ratification.
 4. If a person submits documentation for coursework that is not clearly identifiable as acceptable continuing education because its primary educational component does not clearly relate to the practice of polysomnography, the Committee or its consultant will request further written description of the coursework and how it applies to the practice of polysomnography. If the Committee determines that it will not approve the continuing education, the individual may be granted an extension, not to exceed ninety (90) days, to replace the coursework hours that were not approved by the Committee. Those hours will be considered replacement hours and cannot be counted during the next calendar year.

Authority: T.C.A. §§ 63-6-101, 63-31-104, and 63-31-109.