

Accreditation Information

ON-LINE EVALUATIONS & CERTIFICATES

Evaluations & Certificates: On-site paper evaluations and certificates are no longer available. Within 2 weeks of the program's completion, attendees will receive an e-mail with the evaluation/certificate link and your confirmation number, which contains 10 characters. Follow the directions for completing your evaluations and printing your certificate. You must complete all posted evaluations in order to print your continuing education certificate. Please follow directions carefully and press the submit button when completing an evaluation. No partial credit can be awarded. Late arrival or early departure will preclude the awarding of continuing education credits and the certificate will be withheld. A complete verified list of all programs attended may be obtained at any time by sending a written request, self-addressed, stamped envelope, and a \$5.00 processing fee to the CHEP office.

Report of Training: It is the program participant's responsibility to ensure that this training is documented in the appropriate location according to his/her locally prescribed process. Continuing education credits awarded for participation in the CE activity may not apply toward license renewal in all states. It is the responsibility of each participant to verify the requirements of his/her state licensing board(s).

Americans with Disabilities Act Policy: If you require any special accommodation to attend and fully participate in an educational program, please provide information about your requirements to the Chesapeake Health Education Program, Inc. (CHEP) office at 410-642-1857 at least 30 days prior to the conference.

Faculty Disclosure: Alliance between a speaker and any commercial organization must be disclosed for the purpose of determining the presence of bias or influence over the educational content. Written and verbal notification of a speaker's disclosure will be provided to participants on the day of the program.

Accreditation / Approval:

Physicians (ACCME): Chesapeake Health Education Program, Inc. is accredited by MedChi, The Maryland State Medical Society, to provide continuing medical education for physicians. Chesapeake Health Education Program, Inc. designates this educational activity for a maximum of the stated number of *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits TM*. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Nurses (ANCC): The Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation. The VAMHCS designates this educational activity for the stated number of contact hours in the program logistics section of each program denoting the ANCC accreditation contact hours in continuing nursing education.

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Psychologists: The VA Maryland Health Care System (VAMHCS), Perry Point Division is approved by the American Psychological Association to sponsor continuing education for psychologists. The VA Maryland Health Care System (VAMHCS) maintains responsibility for the program and its content.

Social Workers (SW): The Maryland Board of Social Work Examiners certifies that this program meets the criteria for the stated number of contact hours in the program logistics section of each program denoting the SW credit hours of Category 1 continuing education for social workers and associates licensed in Maryland.

Certified Counselors (NBCC): The Chesapeake Health Education Program, Inc. is approved by the National Board for Certified Counselors (NBCC) to offer continuing education accreditation for National Certified and Licensed Counselors. We adhere to NBCC Continuing Education Guidelines. Provider #6140. This CE program has been approved by the National Board of Certified Counselors for the stated number of contact hours in the program logistics section of each program denoting the NBCC contact hours.

Addiction Counselors (NAADAC): This course has been approved by the National Association of Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Counselors for the stated number of contact hours in the program logistics section of each program denoting the NAADAC accreditation educational credits. Provider #00156.

Dentists & Dental Hygienists (ADA/AGD): The Chesapeake Health Education Program, Inc. is an ADA, CERP Recognized Provider. This activity is awarded the stated number of contact hours in the program logistics section of each program denoting the ADA, AGD accreditation contact hours.

The Chesapeake Health Education Program, Inc. has been designated an approved sponsor by the Maryland constituent of the Academy of General Dentistry. The formal continuing education programs of this program provider are accepted by AGD for Fellowship/Mastership credit. The current term of acceptance extends from 11/01/08 to 12/31/11. This CHEP CDE program is accepted by the AGD for the stated number of contact hours in the program logistics section of each program denoting the ADA, AGD accreditation membership maintenance, Fellowship and Mastership credits.

The following professional associations designate CHEP as a sponsor of continuing education on a program-by-program basis.

Dental Assistants (DANB): This program has been approved by the Dental Assisting National Board, Inc. for the stated number of contact hours in the program logistics section of each program denoting the DANB accreditation contact hours. Approval# to be printed on certificate.

Dietician (CDR): This program has been approved by the Commission on Dietetic Registration (CDR) for the stated number of contact hours in the program logistics section of each program denoting the CDR accreditation contact hours.

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Emergency Medical Services (EMS): Courses denoting the EMS Credits available notation will receive credit from the Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems (MIEMSS)

Emergency Physicians (ACEP): Application has been made to the American College of Emergency Physicians for ACEP Category I credit.

Nursing Home Administrators (NHA): This course has been approved for the stated number of contact hours in the program logistics section of each program denoting the NHA accreditation contact hours by the Maryland Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators. Folder # to be printed on certificate.

Occupational Therapists (OT): This Continuing Education program has been approved by the Maryland State Board of Occupational Therapy Practice for the stated number of contact hours in the program logistics section of each program denoting the OT accreditation contact hours.

Physical Therapists (PT): This course meets the basic criteria of the Maryland State Board of Physical Therapy Examiners for the stated number of contact hours in the program logistics section of each program denoting the PT accreditation contact hours.