

Education Specialist Report: CNE and IV Therapy

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September 2021

1. New Long-Term CNE Providers

- Debriefing the Front Lines Inc. LT0308-0621

2. Voluntary Relinquishment of Long-Term CNE Providership

- Robert J. Dole VA Medical Center LT0083-0927
- Allied Health Career Training, LLC LT0302-0917
- Kansas Heart Hospital, LLC LT0258-1009
- Hagan and Associates, LLC LT0267-1010

3. New Single-Offering CNE Providers

- Kansas Department of Labor – 47th Annual Workers Compensation Seminar
- Johnson County Community College – Trending Emergence of Simulations and Digital Technologies

4. New IV-Therapy Providers: None

5. 2021 CNE and IV Therapy Annual Report Data

Of the 100 Long-Term CNE Providers approved by KSBN, 91 submitted the Annual Report covering data from July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021. A summary of these reports is located in the CNE & IV Therapy Committee Packet. While 2,819 CNE opportunities were offered, twenty-one of the ninety-nine Long-Term Providers who submitted data did not offer any CNE. This is largely in part due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

All 24 IV Therapy Providers submitted the Annual Report covering data from July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021. A summary of these reports is located in the CNE & IV Therapy Committee Packet. 86 IV Therapy Certification Courses were offered, resulting in 457 LPNs becoming IV Therapy certified. Five of the twenty-four IV Therapy Providers did not offer a certification course, largely in part due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

6. Delinquent CNE and IV Therapy Providers

On April 19, 2021, a certified letter was sent to fourteen Long-Term CNE Providers and two IV-Therapy Providers who had not yet submitted the Annual Report and/or Annual Fee for 2020. These providers were asked to submit their delinquent reports and/or fees by May 15, 2021. Five Long-Term CNE Providers did not submit the delinquent Annual Report and Annual Fee & one Long-Term CNE Provider did not submit the delinquent Annual Report.

The Annual Report and Fee for 2021 was due July 31, 2021. To date, the same five Long-Term CNE Providers who did not submit the Annual Report and Annual Fee in 2020 have

not submitted them for 2021 either. There is also one other Long-Term CNE Provider who has not submitted the Annual Report and Annual Fee for 2021. Additionally, two Long-Term CNE Providers have not submitted the Annual Report for 2021 (one of which did not submit the Annual Report in 2020 and one of which has relinquished providership voluntarily). Three Long-Term CNE Providers have not submitted the Annual Fee for 2021.

7. IV-Therapy Certifications through LPN Curriculum

KSBN has received twelve rosters for graduating classes who successfully completed IV-Therapy as a part of their LPN Curriculum. Of the 93 graduates, 39 have been licensed.

8. IV-Therapy Test Questions Taskforce

The newly formed IV-Therapy Test Questions Taskforce met via Zoom on August 10, 2021. The current IV-Therapy Test Questions pool was reviewed by the present members. It was discussed that many of the questions on the test pool now are either outdated practices or do not apply to an LPN's scope of practice. The taskforce will seek approval from the Board to create a new pool of 100 test questions for IV-Therapy certification.

June 2021

IOAs

Received: 86
Approved: 64 (2,115.0 hours)
Denied: 44
Pending: 0

LTP Applications

Received: 1
Approved: 1
Denied: 0
Pending: 0

SP Applications

Received: 0
Approved: 0
Denied: 0
Pending: 0

IVT Providership Applications

Received: 0
Approved: 0
Denied: 0
Pending: 0

July 2021

IOAs

Received: 122
Approved: 76 (2,764.9 hours)
Denied: 46
Pending: 0

LTP Applications

Received: 1
Approved: 0
Denied: 0
Pending: 1

SP Applications

Received: 1
Approved: 1
Denied: 0
Pending: 0

IVT Providership Applications

Received: 0
Approved: 0
Denied: 0
Pending: 0

August 2021 (as of 08-18-21)

IOAs

Received: 89
Approved: 57 (2,112.6 hours)
Denied: 9
Pending: 0

LTP Applications

Received: 0
Approved: 0
Denied: 0
Pending: 0

SP Applications

Received: 1
Approved: 1
Denied: 0
Pending: 0

IVT Providership Applications

Received: 0
Approved: 0
Denied: 0
Pending: 0