

# Continuing Nursing Education Handbook

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Thailand Nursing and Midwifery Council

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# A Message from the President of the Thailand Nursing and Midwifery Council

Continuing Nursing Education is of paramount importance for knowledge and skills development of practitioners of nursing, midwifery or nursing and midwifery to acquire knowledge, skills and attitudes conducive to not only nursing practice of standard quality and in a timely manner but also adequate protection for consumers or clients using the nursing services which is recognized both in the profession and in society. The Thailand Nursing and Midwifery Council (TNC) has established the Center for Continuing Nursing Education (CCNE) since 2004 for the purpose of management relating to various aspects of continuing education for capacity enhancement of practitioners of nursing, midwifery or nursing and midwifery. A handbook of continuing nursing education has been prepared for members to use as a guideline for participation in continuing education activities based on each member's interest.

We take this opportunity to express our moral support to all nurses to gain the benefits of knowledge improvement and keep your knowledge current in order to be able to carry out quality work for maximum benefit to the public and one's self.

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President of Thailand Nursing and Midwifery Council

# A Message from the Secretariat of the Thailand Nursing and Midwifery Council

#### Dear Members of Thailand Nursing and Midwifery Council

On behalf of Thailand Nursing and Midwifery Council (TNC), I am pleased to welcome new TNC members and congratulate each of you on your passing the licensure examination and being licensed as a practitioner of nursing and midwifery. From now on, you are eligible to deliver professional services. Henceforth, you are required to attend/participate in continuing educational activities held by the institutions accredited by the Center for Continuing Nursing Education (CCNE) in order to accumulate continuing nursing education units (CNEUs) of no less than 50 CNEUs for your license renewal in the next five years, and for every license renewal thereafter.

Section 29 of the Nursing and Midwifery Profession Act B.E. 2528 (1985) and Amendment to the Nursing and Midwifery Profession Act B.E. 2540 (1997) regarding Registration and Issuance of License and so on stipulated that "all types of licenses shall be valid for five years from the date of issuance." TNC thereupon issued Regulations regarding Registration, License Issuance and License Renewal B.E. 2545 (2002) defining qualifications of a practitioner requesting license renewal as follows:

- 1. Being a practitioner of nursing and midwifery in the area of nursing services, administration, education, academic, research, or being an expert or an academic or serve as professional advisor, and
- (a) having increased academic or professional knowledge and competence, or

- (b) having participated in staff or professional development; or
- 2. Holding an additional educational qualification in nursing and midwifery or undertaking further studies in nursing and midwifery programs; or
- 3. Holding an additional educational qualification in other fields of study or undertaking further studies in other fields, and
- (a) having increased academic or professional knowledge and competence, or
  - (b) having participated in staff or professional development.

In addition to the issuance of the aforementioned Regulations, TNC issued the Notification on Criteria, Procedures and Conditions of Qualification Requirements for a Practitioner Renewing a License for Professional Practice in Nursing, Midwifery or Nursing and Midwifery B.E. 2546 (2003), which has been published in this handbook, as well as the Notification of the Thailand Nursing and Midwifery Council on Accreditation of Institutes Providing Continuing Nursing Education, Accreditation of Educational Programs/Courses and/or Continuing Education Activities and Awarding Continuing Nursing Education Units (CNEUs) B.E. 2556 (2013), only types of accredited continuing education activities and CNEUs awarded for each activity type category having enclosed herewith for the convenience of the members to participate in the activities of your choice.

Continuing education activities held by institutes/agencies and CNEUs awarded must be certified by the Center for Continuing Nursing Education (CCNE) so that members participating in the activities can obtain/accumulate CNEUs. If in doubt, check out the names of the institutes, projects/activities, activity date, venues and CNEUs awarded on

the CCNE website at <a href="www.ccne.or.th">www.ccne.or.th</a>. A certificate of participation issued by the institutes/agencies providing continuing educational activities should be kept as evidence of accumulated CNEUs for license renewal once every five years.

I wish all new members happiness and success in your professional practice and an increase in knowledge and competence gained from participation in continuing educational activities for the benefit of professional practice and clients/service users.

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Secretary General of Thailand Nursing and Midwifery Council

#### Preface

Section 29 of the Nursing and Midwifery Profession Act B.E. 2528 (1985) and Amendment to the Nursing and Midwifery Profession Act B.E. 2540 (1997) stipulated that all types of licenses shall be valid for five years from the date of issuance. Practitioners who have to renew their license for professional practice in nursing and midwifery must meet the requirements of the Notification of the Thailand Nursing and Midwifery Council (TNC). One key requirement a practitioner must pursue continuously is to increase academic or professional knowledge and competence, or participate in staff or professional development. TNC has defined a variety of activity type categories and types of activities for TNC members to choose for self-development and accumulate continuing nursing education units (CNEUs) for license renewal. The goal of having the members attend/participate in academic activities is to develop practitioners' capacity, keep up with new innovation, and promote ongoing learning for quality improvement in nursing practice to keep pace with changes.

The Center for Continuing Nursing Education (CCNE) has created the Handbook of Continuing Nursing Education and adjusted the criteria required for awarding CNEU in accordance with the Notification of Thailand Nursing and Midwifery Council on Accreditation of Institutes Providing Continuing Nursing Education, Accreditation of Educational Programs /Courses and/or Continuing Educational Activities and Awarding Continuing Nursing Education Units (CNEUs) B.E. 2556 (2013) for the members to study, comprehend, and use as a guideline to legally renew the professional license.

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## Notification of the Thailand Nursing and Midwifery Council

on Criteria, Procedures and Conditions of Qualification Requirements for a

Practitioner Renewing the License for Professional Practice in Nursing, Midwifery or Nursing

and Midwifery B.E. 2546 (2003)

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By virtue of Section 15 and Section16 of the Regulation regarding the Thailand Nursing and Midwifery Council on Registration, License Issuance and License Renewal, and Other Services Regarding the License for Professional Practice in Nursing, Midwifery or Nursing and Midwifery B.E. 2545 (2002), and with the consent of the Thailand Nursing and Midwifery Council Committee, Thailand Nursing and Midwifery Council hereby issues the Notification as follows:

Clause 1: In this Notification:

"Practitioner" means a practitioner of nursing, midwifery or nursing and midwifery profession.

"Program/Course" means a continuing educational program/course required for license renewal by a practitioner of the nursing, midwifery or nursing and midwifery profession.

"Continuing Nursing Education Units" (CNEUs) represent the number of continuing educational activities measured and awarded as units or credits based on the criteria defined by the Thailand Nursing and Midwifery Council.

"License" means a license to perform professional nursing, midwifery or nursing and midwifery services.

"Center for Continuing Nursing Education" (CCNE) means the Center for Continuing Education established by the Thailand Nursing and Midwifery Council.

Clause 2: A practitioner desiring to renew their license shall possess one of the following qualifications:

2.1 Being a practitioner of nursing and midwifery in the area of services, administration, education, academia, research, or being an expert or an academic or professional advisor, and

- 2.1.1 having increased academic or professional knowledge and competence,
- 2.1.2 having participated in staff or professional development;
- 2.2 Holding an additional educational qualification in other fields of study or undertaking further studies in other fields, and
  - 2.2.1 having increased academic or professional knowledge and competence,
  - 2.2.2 having participated in staff or professional development.
- 2.3 Holding an additional educational qualification in nursing and midwifery or undertaking further studies in nursing and midwifery programs including baccalaureate-level continuing education or an equivalent, graduate-level education, or having specialty training in nursing and midwifery, or short-term training courses of no less than four weeks.
- 2.4 Being a practitioner of the nursing, midwifery or nursing and midwifery profession not listed under 2.1-2.3 having completed professional training in accordance with the criteria, procedures, and conditions set out by the Thailand Nursing and Midwifery Council.
  Clause 3: Any educational program/course, training or activity increasing academic or professional knowledge and competence, or participation in staff or professional development shall be deemed as continuing education.
- Clause 4: A practitioner having the qualifications listed under 2.1 and 2.2 shall undertake the following activities in order to be awarded CNEUs:
- 4.1 Using the ID card as specified by CCNE to enroll and participate in attending lectures, discussions, seminars, and refresher courses throughout a given session
- 4.2 Studying only CCNE-approved continuing education textbooks for self-study or selfdirected learning
- 4.3 Submitting evidence of participation in staff or professional development activities to CCNE to record CNEUs within 60 days after the completion of the activity participation
- 4.4 Earning and accumulating CNEUs from attending a short-term training course in nursing of less than four weeks. The CNEUs awarded under paragraph one used as evidence for license renewal shall not be less than 50 CNEUs for license renewal for each program/course and certified by CCNE.

- Clause 5: A practitioner holding an additional educational qualification in nursing and midwifery or undertaking further studies in nursing and midwifery programs possessing the qualifications listed under 2.3 shall do as follows:
- 5.1 A practitioner holding an additional educational qualification in nursing and midwifery or undertaking further studies in nursing and midwifery programs of no less than one semester shall submit evidence of course completion (certificate or degree or certificate of completion) or evidence of current enrollment and an achievement test report for license renewal.
- 5.2 A practitioner receiving a letter of approval or diploma in a specialized field in nursing & midwifery or being in the course of training in a nursing and midwifery specialization shall submit a letter of approval/diploma or evidence of training in a nursing and midwifery specialization and an achievement test report for license renewal.
- 5.3 A practitioner having completed a short-term training course in nursing of no less than four weeks shall submit a transcript or certificate of completion for license renewal. Certificate of training completion under paragraph one shall be used as evidence for license renewal once per one program/course.
- Clause 6: A practitioner having qualifications listed under Clause 2.4 shall be required to do as follows:
- 6.1 A practitioner attending the training in programs/courses specified or approved by the TNC covering legal or general nursing content of no less than 40 hours shall submit evidence of completion for license renewal.
- 6.2 A practitioner participating in activities to increase academic or professional knowledge and competence, or participating in staff or professional development shall be deemed to have completed the training as specified in 6.1 mutatis mutandis. Evidence of accumulated CNEUs of no less than 50 CNEUs shall be submitted for license renewal.

Evidence of training completion or CNEU awarded as specified in paragraph one shall be used as evidence for one-time license renewal.

Clause 7: A practitioner having earned CNEUs awarded based on TNC-approved program/course or continuing education activities prior to the date this Notification shall come into effect, or a practitioner having completed the study/training, or studying or being trained in the program/course listed under Clause 5, which can be used as evidence for license renewal prior to the date this Notification shall come into effect, as the case may be, shall be deemed to fulfill this Notification's requirements.

This Notification shall come into force as from the day following the date of its publication in the Government Gazette.

Notified on this 11th day of July, B.E. 2546 (2003).

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President of Thailand Nursing and Midwifery Council

#### Center for Continuing Nursing Education

"ศูนย์การศึกษาต่อเนื่องสาขาพยาบาลศาสตร์" having the abbreviation as "ศ.น.พย." is named similarly in Thai as "Center for Continuing Nursing Education" having the abbreviation as "CCNE".

The Center for Continuing Nursing Education has been established with the objective to manage various aspects of continuing education in order to increase the capacity of practitioners of nursing, midwifery or the nursing and midwifery profession to have knowledge, skills and positive attitude towards the profession, enabling them to be capable of providing nursing services to meet the standards of the nursing, midwifery or nursing and midwifery profession.

"Continuing education" means educational programs/courses and/or short-term training courses provided for the purpose of capacity enhancement of practitioners of the nursing, midwifery or nursing and midwifery profession, including activities that increase academic or professional knowledge and competence, or participation in staff or professional development.

"Continuing nursing education unit" (CNEU) means the number of continuing educational activities measured and awarded as unit based on the criteria defined by the Thailand Nursing and Midwifery Council.

Continuing education has been classified into the following categories:

Activity Type Category 1: Increase in academic or professional knowledge and competence

Activity Type Category 2: Participation in staff or professional development

Activity Type Category 3: Attending educational programs or short-term training courses in nursing of less than four weeks

Activity Type Category 4: Undertaking studies in a graduate nursing and midwifery program

Activity Type Category 5: Having training in a nursing specialization program / diploma

#### Remarks:

- To renew the license to perform professional nursing, midwifery or nursing and midwifery services, CNEUs shall be accumulated during each five-year period from the date of issuance until the expiration date. Such accumulated CNEUs shall be used only once for license renewal
- Accumulated CNEUs earned from attending an academic conference on medicine or health sciences shall not exceed 10 CNEUs (10\*) during each five-year period. CNEUs of no less than 40 CNEUs shall be accumulated from nursing, making a total of 50 CNEUs.
- Accumulated CNEUs earned from attending an academic conference on medicine or health sciences for work improvement, such as anesthetic or dental services, shall not exceed 20 CNEUs (20\*\*) during each five-year period. CNEUs of no less than 20 CNEUs shall be accumulated from nursing, making a total of 50 CNEUs.
- To renew the license, a nurse practitioner (Primary Medical Care) shall accumulate CNEUs of no less than 30 CNEUs during each five-year period from refresher nursing practice (Primary Medical Care) and CNEUs of no less than 20 CNEUs from nursing, making a total of 50 CNEUs.

Activity Type Category	Activity Type	Attribute	Evidence/Document(s) Required for Registration	Measurement of CNEU	Proposed for Registration by
1	Increase in academic or professional knowledge and competence Attending lectures, discussions, seminars, and refresher courses: (1) Annual academic meeting (2) Refresher course or short-term training course (3) Workshop training (4) Seminar (5) Panel discussion (6) Lecture series (7) Special lecture	Increase in academic or professional knowledge and competence.	1. CNEU Certificate from TNC 2. Name and professional practice license no. of the attendee 3. Certificate or Certificate of Attendance/Training Completion	1 hour of attending activity types (1) – (7) = 1 CNEU - For nursing conference abroad, CNEUS earned shall be in accordance with CNEUS awarded by professional nursing organizations of that state or country 1 hour of attending medical or health science conferences qualified for CNEU award = 1 CNEU, but no more than	The training institute accredited by CCNE

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				10 CNEUs for each license renewal with the exception of anesthetic or dental services, 1 hour = 1 CNEU, but no more than 20 CNEUs for each license renewal.	
	Self-study or self-directed learning: (8) Self-study from academic articles (9) Self-directed learning through information technology (IT) such as academic articles online, e- learning, e-books, etc.	Individual activity: Self- study from educational materials produced by CCNE.	1. Result notification of completing a questionnaire concerning academic articles from CCNE 2. CNEU awarded from cone on www.cnethai.org	One article containing 10 questions; Earning 2 CNEUs for 6-10 correct answers; no CNEU awarded if less than 6 correct answers.	TNC member whose professional practice license is still valid or does not expire.

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	(10) Study in program/course	Individual activity:	1. Degree	Earning no more than 15	TNC member
	and/or training relating to health	Undertaking studies in	(copy)/Certification of	CNEUs for a program	whose
	science	graduate-level programs in	Student Status (in case of	completion of no less than	professional
		health science of no less	not yet graduated)	one semester.	practice
		than one semester.	2. Transcript (original)		license is still
					valid or
					does not
					expire.
2	Participation in staff or				
	professional development				
	(11) Publication of nursing	Individual or group activity	The original copy of the	1. International journals: The	TNC member
	article(s) in nursing journals or	relating to teaching,	nursing journal(s) or	first	whose
	relevant academic journals listed	services or nursing	relevant journal(s) that	author's name earns 10	professional
	in the database of TCI, ISI, or	research (academic	published the article or	CNEUs per article; other co-	practice
	Scopus	paper).	reprint.	authors earn 5 CNEUs per	icense
	- International journals			article.	is still valid or
	- Thai journals				

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				2. Thai journals: The first	does not
				author's	expire.
				name earns 5 CNEUs per	
				article;	
				other co-authors earn 3	
				CNEUs per article.	
	(12) Writing a nursing textbook or	Individual or group activity:	The original copy of the	1. The writer/author earns 50	TNC member
	book of no less than 50 pages a	Writing or paraphrasing	nursing textbook or book.	CNEUs for writing the whole	whose
	book (A4).	textbook(s)/book(s) in a		textbook/book.	professional
		systematic manner, having		2. Co-authors earn 5 CNEUs	practice
		the textbook/book of no		per chapter.	license is still
		less than 50 pages (A4)		3. The editor reviewing the	valid or does
		reviewed prior to		textbook /book earns 10	not expire.
		publication.		CNEUs per textbook/book	
				(in case of associate editors,	
				CNEUs shall be awarded in	
				proportion to their reviews.)	

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	(13) Scientific presentation at	Individual or group activity:	1. Invitation letter or	1. Presentation at	1. TNC
	- international conferences	Scientific presentation on	acceptance letter for	international conferences:	member
	- national conferences	nursing at a conference	scientific presentation	The first author's name	whose
		held by educational	2. Letter of certification	earns 10 CNEUs per article;	professional
		institutions or professional	/Certification of	other co-authors earn 5	practice
		organizations in the form of	Presentation	CNEUs per article.	license is still
		oral, poster, video,	3. The agenda showing	2. Presentation at national	valid or does
		presentation and so on.	the presenter's name or	conferences: The first	not expire.
			the preceding	author's name earns 5	2. The institute
			/proceedings	CNEUs per article; other co-	holding the
			showing the name and	authors earn 2 CNEUs per	conference
			academic work presented	article.	

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	(14) Editorial peer reviews	Individual activity: An	1. Letter of invitation to	The reviewer earns 2 CNEUs	1. TNC
		assignment from the editor	review the academic	per article.	member
		to revise and review	article(s)		whose
		academic article(s) on	2. The original copy of the		professional
		nursing for publication in	academic article(s) on		practice
		the journals listed in the	nursing		license is still
		databases of TCI, ISI or			valid or does
		Scopus, or TNC academic			not expire.
		article(s).			2. The institute
					preparing the
					academic
					article(s)

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	(15) Assessment (of the validity	Individual activity:	1. Letter of appointment	The expert assessing (the	TNC member
	and reliability) of research tools.	Assessment (of the validity	/invitation to be an expert	validity and reliability of)	whose
		and reliability) of nursing	assessing (the validity and	research tools earns 2	professional
		research tools developed	reliability of) nursing	CNEUs per article.	practice
		by nurses and graduate	research tools		icense
		nursing students.	2. Thank you letter for		is still valid or
			assessing (the validity and		does not
			reliability of) nursing		expire.
			research tools		
	(16) Acting as a member of a	Individual/group activity:	1. Letter of appointment to	The reviewer of the proposal/	TNC member
	research ethics committee for	Revising and reviewing	be an expert reviewing a	research ethics earns 2	whose
	proposal and editorial reviews.	proposal content or acting	proposal or a member of a	CNEUs per project.	professional
		as a member of a research	research ethics committee		practice
		ethics committee.	2. Thank you letter for		license is still
			reviewing the proposal		valid or does
			3. The minutes from the		not expire.
			reviewal		

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	(17) Peer review reader for	Individual activity: Being	1. Letter of appointment as	The peer review reader	1. TNC
	evaluation of academic position or	invited to be an expert	a peer review reader from	earns 5 CNEUs per case	member
	promotion in career path.	reading academic work	the Ministry or educational	evaluation.	whose
		taken into	institutions or agencies		professional
		consideration for obtaining	2. The minutes of		practice
		academic position or	reviewing academic work		license is still
		promotion in a career path.			valid or does
					not expire.
					2. The original
					affiliation.
	(18) Qualified external examiner of	Individual activity: Being	1. Letter of appointment as	The qualified external	TNC member
	a committee for thesis defense.	invited to be a qualified	an expert for thesis	examiner (committee) earns	whose
		external examiner of a	defense	5 CNEUs per thesis.	professional
		committee for graduate-	2. Thank you letter for		practice
		level thesis defense in	being the expert for thesis		license is still
		nursing.	defense		valid or does
					not expire.

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	(19) Being a lecturer or a panelist	Individual activity: Being	CNEU Certificate from	1 hour = 5 CNEUs	1. TNC
	as listed in activity type category 1	invited to be an expert to	TNC	(Total CNEUs cannot exceed	member
	(activity types 1 – 7).	give lectures or join in a		50 CNEUs for being a	whose
		panel discussion about		lecturer/panelist per	professional
		academic content		project/program.)	practice
		regarding nursing science.			license is still
					valid or does
					not expire.
					2. The training
					institute.
	(20) Being a preceptor/mentor for	Individual activity: Being	1. Letter of appointment as	1. Trimester system	1. TNC
	nursing students in various	appointed as a	a preceptor/mentor from	(12 weeks): Working hours	member whose
	programs/courses	preceptor/mentor for	an educational institution	of no less than 96 hours are	professional
		nursing students in a	2. Certificate of completion	required.Earning	practice cense
		nursing science program	of CCNE-approved	4 CNEUs per academic term	is still valid or
		of TNC-approved	program in Mentor's	2. Semester system	does not
		educational institutions.	Capacity Building in	(15 weeks):	expire.

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			Teaching	Working hours of no less	2. The
			3. Certificate of mentoring	than 120 hours are required.	institution
			practice from the	Earning 5 CNEUs per	appointing you
			supervisor	academic term	a preceptor
					/mentor
	(21) Being a special nursing	Individual activity for RN	1. Letter of	The special nursing	1. TNC
	instructor to teach practice in a	being invited to be a	invitation/appointment as a	instructor teaching eight-	member
	Bachelor of Nursing Science	special nursing instructor	special nursing instructor	hour practice in a Bachelor	whose
	Program and/or graduate	to teach practice, and	to teach practice	of Nursing Science Program	professional
	programs.	having qualifications that	2. Certificate of Practice as	and/or graduate programs	practice
		meet the conditions of the	a special nursing instructor	earns 2 CNEUs.	license is still
		programs.	teaching practice from the		valid or does
			supervisor or the		not expire.
			educational institution		

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					2. The
					institution
					appointing
					you a special
					nursing
					instructor
					teaching
					practice
	(22) Being an instructor to teach	1. Individual activity for an	1. The appointment and	1. The instructor providing	1. TNC
	courses in nursing specialization	adjunct instructor	course timetable	one-hour theory lecture	member
	program diplomas	2. Individual activity for a	2. Invitation letter and	earns 5 CNEUs.	whose
	- An instructor providing theory	nurse teaching practice	course timetable of	2. The instructor teaching	professional
	lectures		teaching practice	eight-hour practice earns 2	practice
	- An instructor teaching practice			CNEUs.	license is still
					valid or does
					not expire.

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					2. The
					institution
					appointing
					you an
					instructor
					teaching
					courses in
					Nursing
					Specialty
					Program/Diplo
					ma

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	(23) Producing educational	Individual activity:	Evidence of producing	The first author's name earns	TNC member
	materials with quizzes for self-	Writing/paraphrasing	educational materials with	5 CNEUs per article; other	whose
	study or self-directed learning,	academic articles/books	quizzes	co-authors earn 3 CNEUs	professional
	such as academic articles,	/e-learning and quizzes to		per article.	practice
	academic articles online, e- assess continuing				license is still
	learning,	education knowledge in			valid or does
	e-books, etc.	nursing			not expire.
	(24) Academic services project for	Group or individual activity	1. Academic services	Earning 5 CNEUs per project	TNC member
	the public, or service activity or	to create service activities	project for the public;	(not more than five persons	whose
	system creation project.	or systems beneficial for	service activity or system	totally).	professional
		clients.	creation project		practice
			2. Project performance		license is still
			report certified by the		valid or does
			supervisor of the original		not expire.
			affiliation		

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	(25) Establishing or Developing	Group activity to improve	1. CNPG development	The nurse taking part in	TNC member
	clinical nursing practice guideline	nursing and health services	project	establishing or developing	whose
	(CNPG).	through CNPG for specific	2. CNPG	CNPG earns 2 CNEUs per	professional
		symptoms with	performance/handbook	project.	practice
		health/nursing problem or			license is still
		the symptoms consistent			valid or does
		with professional standard			not expire.
		criteria and the potential of			
		that nursing setting.			
	(26) Being a part-time nursing and	A part-time activity to	Invitation letter to impart	The education provider	TNC member
	health education provider to the	impart a body of	the knowledge and thank	earns 2 CNEUs per activity.	whose
	public.	knowledge of nursing and	you letter from the host		professional
		health to healthcare	institution		practice
		personnel and the public.			license is still
					valid or does
					not expire.

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Category			for Registration	Measurement of CNEO	Registration by
			2. The training agenda		
			showing the education		
			provider's name		
			3. Evidence of providing		
			nursing and health education		
			in the form of media		
	(27) Innovation for nursing and	Individual and/or group	1. Innovative work	1. The major developer earns	TNC member
	health	activity: Developing/	2. Letter of confirmation	10 CNEUs per inventive	whose
		inventing tools,establishing	from the supervisor	work.	professional
		nursing procedures or		2. Other developers earn 5	practice
		developing management		CNEUs per inventive work.	license is still
		methods to handle		(Not more than five persons	valid or does
		symptoms and		totally.)	not expire.
		disseminating them to			
		general nurses to be			
		applied for the benefit of			
		nursing and health.			

Activity Type	Activity Type	Attribute	Evidence/Document(s) Required	Measurement of CNEU	Proposed for
3	Attending educational programs or short-term training courses in nursing of less than four weeks  (28) Attending educational programs or short-term training courses in nursing of less than four weeks	Individual activity: Having completed the short-term training course in nursing of less than four weeks.	for Registration  A copy of certificate	1 hour = 1 CNEU	TNC member whose professional practice license is still valid or does not expire.
4	Undertaking Studies of Graduate  Nursing and Midwifery Program  (29) Undertaking further studies in a Graduate Nursing and Midwifery  Program	Individual activity: Undertaking studies in a graduate nursing and midwifery program and having completed the	1. Degree (copy)/certification of student status (in case you have not graduated yet)	Having completed the study of no less than one semester earns 50 CNEUs.	TNC member whose professional practice license is still

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		study of no less than one	2. Transcript (original)		valid or does
		semester.			not expire.
5	Having training in Nursing Specialization Program/Diploma				
	(30) Having training in a Nursing Specialization Program/Diploma	Individual activity: Having completed the training in a nursing specialization program / diploma	A copy of certificate	Earning 50 CNEUs	TNC member whose professional practice license is still valid or does not expire.

# Record of Continuing Nursing Education Activities

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License No.:			Expiration Date of the License:				
Membersh	nip No	).:	Expiration Date of Mem	nbership Card:			
Activity Ty	pe Ca	ategory 1: Increase in acc	ademic or professional	knowledge and com	petence		
Da	ate	Training Project	Training Institute	Program Code	CNEU		
Activity Ty	pe Ca	ategory 2: Participation in	n staff or professional (	development activitie	S		
Da	ate		Description				
		Record activity type cat activity type no. 11 – 2		with the details descr	ribed in		
		ategory 3: Attending edu	icational programs or s	hort-term training cou	urses in		
Da	ate	te Description					
		Record activity type category 3, activity type no. 28					
Activity Ty	pe Ca	ategory 4: Undertaking s	tudies in Graduate Nurs	sing and Midwifery Pro	ogram		
Da	ate		Description				
	Record activity type category 4, activity type no. 29						
Activity Ty	pe Ca	ategory 5: Having training	g in Nursing Specializati	ion Program /Diploma	l		
Da	Date Description						
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