

**TITLE 16 OCCUPATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSING**  
**CHAPTER 22 PSYCHOLOGISTS AND PSYCHOLOGIST ASSOCIATES**  
**PART 29 CONDITIONAL PRESCRIBING OR PRESCRIBING PSYCHOLOGISTS: CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATE RENEWAL**

**16.22.29.1 ISSUING AGENCY:** Regulation and Licensing Department Board of Psychologist Examiners.  
[16.22.29.1 NMAC - Rp, 16.22.29.1 NMAC, 11/15/06]

**16.22.29.2 SCOPE:** This part applies to the board, conditional prescribing and prescribing psychologists.  
[16.22.29.2 NMAC - Rp, 16.22.29.2 NMAC, 11/15/06]

**16.22.29.3 STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** This part is adopted pursuant to the Professional Psychologist Act, NMSA 1978 Section 61-9-17.1  
[16.22.29.3 NMAC - Rp, 16.22.29.3 NMAC, 11/15/06]

**16.22.29.4 DURATION:** Permanent.  
[16.22.29.4 NMAC - Rp, 16.22.29.4 NMAC, 11/15/06]

**16.22.29.5 EFFECTIVE DATE:** November 15, 2006, unless a later date is cited at the end of the section.  
[16.22.29.5 NMAC - Rp, 16.22.29.5 NMAC, 11/15/06]

**16.22.29.6 OBJECTIVE:** The objective of Part 29 is to set forth the provisions, which apply to all of Chapter 22, and all persons affected or regulated by Chapter 22 of Title 16.  
[16.22.29.6 NMAC - Rp, 16.22.29.6 NMAC, 11/15/06]

**16.22.29.7 DEFINITIONS:** [RESERVED]  
[Refer to 16.22.1.7 NMAC]

**16.22.29.8 REQUIREMENTS:**

**A.** Conditional prescribing and prescribing psychologists shall complete CPE requirements as specified 16.22.9 NMAC.

**B.** A conditional prescribing or prescribing psychologist shall complete at least twenty (20) CPE hours in psychopharmacology or psychopharmacotherapy each year. A conditional prescribing or prescribing psychologist shall maintain a complete, accurate, and current record of additional CPE hours earned annually. This record shall include the date, title, sponsor, and program category of each program attended, the number of hours earned, and a certificate or other evidence of attendance or completion provided by the program sponsor. The record shall be available to the board upon request.

**C.** Psychopharmacology or psychopharmacotherapy CPE hours may be earned in any program category described in 16.22.9 NMAC, of these regulations. The additional CPE hours earned in categories I and II may be used to fulfill the minimum/maximum number of hours for categories I and II required for license renewal, provided that the minimum/maximum requirements for each category are met as well as the aggregate minimum total number of hours.

[16.22.29.8 NMAC - Rp, 16.22.29.8 NMAC, 11/15/06]

**16.22.29.9 CERTIFICATE RENEWAL:**

**A.** Concurrent renewal of certificate and license. The prescription certificate shall be renewed concurrently with the active unrestricted license. The conditional prescribing or prescribing psychologist shall submit the certificate renewal application on forms approved by the board. The conditional prescribing or prescribing psychologist shall provide evidence of malpractice insurance and additional CPE required by the board, and shall pay a certificate renewal fee established by the board.

**B.** Voluntary surrender. A licensee in good standing may voluntarily surrender a conditional prescription certificate or prescription certificate.

[16.22.29.9 NMAC - Rp, 16.22.29.8 NMAC, 11/15/06]

**HISTORY OF 16.22.29 NMAC:**

**History of Repealed Material:**

16.22.29 NMAC, Prescribing Psychologists: Continuing Professional Education and Certificate Renewal - Repealed  
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