



MHRT/C Certification Program Update

IMPORTANT CERTIFICATION DEADLINES

Time is running out to **complete full MHRT/C certification** under the old 2009 Guidelines! Applicants who hold a Provisional Level A or B certificate, or who graduated from an approved academic program before September 2019, have limited time to earn their certificate using the **old requirements (2009 Guidelines)**.

Here are key deadlines concerning applications started under the 2009 Guidelines:

- **As of June 30, 2020** – Non-academic training under the 2009 Guidelines, Amethyst or Newhouse, will no longer be available.
- A Provisional Level B certificate holder using these non-academic courses under the 2009 Guidelines to earn the full certificate, must complete them by **June 30, 2020**.
- **December 31, 2020** – This is the last chance for applicants who **earned a degree approved for full certification prior to 9/1/19**, to apply for full certification. After this date, all applications will be reviewed under the new guidelines.
- Provisional Level A certificate holders should reapply **now** under the current (new) guidelines for a new Provisional and we will determine what requirements need to be completed for full certification.

The redesigned MHRT/C program is fully implemented. If you have any questions about certification status, please do not hesitate to contact the Center for Learning at (207) 626-5280.

What if a certificate expires?

Full MHRT/C certificates without a current expiration date are invalid.

To renew a certificate, an individual must submit documentation of 18 hours of continuing education completed during the period listed on the certificate.

Applicants will receive a new certificate upon approval, valid for two years from the new expiration date.