

LICENSE EXAMINATION & PREPARATION

Section 501 - Candidates licensed in a profession that includes neurotherapy within their scope of practice are not required to become a Licensed Neurotherapist unless:

- a. Required to do so by federal, state or provincial regulations; or
- b. They treat clients with neurotherapy for conditions, diseases, disorders and trauma outside their scope of practice; or
- c. They have already or foresee allowing their primary license to expire.

Section 502 - Candidates shall have completed the following requirements before being allowed to take the license examination:

- a. All general academic requirements set forth in Section 101 of these regulations; and
- b. A three semester or forty clock hour course in human anatomy, human biology, human physiology, meridian anatomy, meridian physiology or any combination of these as described in Section 103 of these regulations; and
- c. A three semester or forty clock hour course in coaching from an approved educational organization unless this requirement is waived as described in Section 104 of these regulations; or
- d. A three semester or forty clock hour course in animal anatomy, animal biology or animal physiology as described in Section 103d of these regulations if the therapist plans to provide neurotherapy services solely for animals; and
- e. The completion of a forty clock hour classroom neurotherapy workshop required by Sections 105 through 110f; and
- f. If the licensure test is taken before the required internship has been completed, and the applicant passes the licensure examination, the license will not be issued until the completion of the required internship.

Section 503 - Candidates shall pass a comprehensive license examination with a score of eighty percent (80%) or higher:

- a. The neurotherapy license examination fee is \$350.00
US payable in advance of the examination date by certified funds; and
- b. The neurotherapy license examination will be given once each quarter at various locations throughout the Americas; and
- c. Those who pass the license examination and are otherwise qualified will be licensed for a term of one year, renewable annually; and
- d. Those candidates who fail to pass the license examination or who are otherwise not fully qualified will not be licensed at this time.

Section 504 - Candidates who are not fully qualified at this time may seek an alternative route to licensure by becoming certified, and remaining certified until all other licensure requirements have been fulfilled, as a:

- a. BCIAC-EEG by the Biofeedback Institute of America (BCIA); or
- b. Certified Neurotherapy Specialist or a Certified Stress Management Specialist by the Neurotherapy and Biofeedback Certification Board (NBCB); or
- c. Any other designation offered by any other neurotherapy certification board hereafter accredited by the Commission.

Section 505 - Candidates shall complete the following requirements immediately after being advised they passed the licensure examination:

- a. Write, post and reproduce their code of professional ethics as described in Section 205 of these regulations; and
- b. Write and reproduce their informed consent forms as described in Section 206 of these regulations; and
- c. Practice neurotherapy under the standards of professional conduct described in Section 207 of these regulations.

Section 506 - The examination covers knowledge of both biofeedback and neurotherapy, including:

- a. Clinical skills including client intake, contraindications, ethics, informed consent forms, possible side effects and how to handle these situations; and
- b. Referral requirements and knowing how and when to refer clients to particular professionals; and
- c. Scope of practice including what the clinician can and cannot do as a Licensed Neurotherapist; and
- d. Supervision requirements, supervisor requirements and the supervision process; and
- e. Definitions, objectives and goals of biofeedback and neurofeedback; and
- f. The types of neurotherapy equipment, legal operation and description of each type.