

**UNOFFICIAL REPORT OF MAJOR ACTIONS
COMMISSION FOR CONTINUING EDUCATION PROVIDER RECOGNITION
APRIL 20-21, 2023**

The Commission for Continuing Education Provider Recognition (CCEPR) met at ADA Headquarters in Chicago on April 20-21, 2023. The following is a summary of matters considered by the Commission and actions taken. The Commission:

1. Considered 10 new applications for ADA CERP recognition, 72 applications for continued recognition, 11 progress reports, and one substantive change report. The Commission granted initial recognition to seven providers of continuing dental education, and continued recognition to 71 providers. The Commission notified two providers of its intent to withdraw recognition if the programs are not brought into compliance with CERP Standards and withdrew recognition from one provider for failure to meet program requirements. The Commission discontinued recognition of 10 providers at the request of those providers. As a result of the Commissions' actions, 490 CE providers will be ADA CERP recognized, effective July 1, 2023. This total includes 34 providers approved through Joint Accreditation for Interprofessional Education.
2. Received information on 110 local or regional societies approved through the ADA CERP Extended Approval Process for the period May 1, 2023 –June 31, 2024.
3. Adopted a strategic plan for implementing the Commission's priorities for 2023-2025.
4. Amended the following ADA CERP Policies for clarity and to reflect current procedures: Policy on Pre-application Process for International Providers, Fees, and Policy Statement on Reporting Substantive Changes.
5. Conducted a working session as part of the process to revise the ADA CERP Recognition Standards.
6. Received information on two new Commissioners whose 4-year terms will begin in October 2023. Dr. Kelly Kennedy, selected by the American Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons, and Dr. Stanley Heleniak, selected by the American Society of Dentist Anesthesiologists..

CCEPR Members: Dr. Daniel J. Meara (Chair); Dr. Carlos A. Bertot; Dr. Edwin del Valle-Sepúlveda; Dr. Carlotta A. Evans; Dr. Kecia S. Leary; Dr. Marc G. Nuger; Dr. Kumar J. Patel; Dr. Seena Patel; Dr. Cynthia S. Petrie; Dr. Roberta Pileggi; Dr. Bruce Seidberg; Ms. Carol Trecek; Dr. Jasbir D. Upadhyaya; and Dr. Susan K. Zelazo-Smith.

Dr. Anthony R. Mecham, Dr. Raquel M. Rozdolski, and Dr. Arif Salman were unable to attend.

ADA Trustee Liaison: Dr. John Hisel, Eleventh District