



Republic of the Philippines  
Professional Regulation Commission  
Manila



**MEMORANDUM**

**TO: PROFESSIONAL REGULATORY BOARDS  
CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCILS  
REGIONAL DIRECTORS/OICs/REGIONAL COORDINATORS  
CPD SECRETARIAT  
CPD FOCAL PERSONS  
ALL CONCERNED**

**FROM: YOLANDA D. REYES**  
Commissioner  
Oversight for CPD

**SUBJECT: UPDATES ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF CPD PROGRAM**

**DATE: MAY 15, 2019**

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In order to continuously apply maximum flexibility and affordability in the implementation of the CPD program during the transition period, the following updates shall be observed:

1. For purposes of renewal of the Professional Identification Card (PIC)
  - 1.1 Masters and Doctorate degrees earned beyond five (5) years shall be accepted as CPD compliance of professionals;
  - 1.2 Excess CPD credit units may be carried over only to the next renewal cycle; and
  - 1.3 Participation in activities enumerated below shall earn credit units as follows:

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Credit Units</u>
a. PRC Year-End Performance Assessment (YEPA) and Mid-Year Performance Assessment (MYPA)	12
b. PRC Committee meetings	2
c. Consultative meetings initiated by the PRC and/or various PRBs	6- whole day 3- half day

Certificates of Participation will be issued for the abovementioned activities and may only be used for purposes of PIC renewal.

- 2) For invited foreign speakers, a Special Temporary Permit (STP) will no longer be required if the engagement does not exceed three (3) days. However, for health cluster no contact with patient during hands-on-exercises shall be observed.

For strict compliance.