

Board of Registered Nursing (BRN)

The California Board of Registered Nursing (BRN) is a state governmental agency established by law to protect the public by regulating the practice of registered nurses. The BRN is responsible for implementation and enforcement of the Nursing Practice Act: the laws related to nursing education, licensure, practice, and discipline. The Nursing Practice Act created a nine-member Board which serves as the BRN decision-making body.



BRN CONTINUING EDUCATION PROGRAM

Since July 1, 1978, California registered nurses have been required to document continued competency by completing a minimum of 30 contact hours every two years in subjects relevant to the practice of nursing. Courses must be taken from providers approved by the BRN or other entities recognized by the Board.

SKILLSOFT'S AFFILIATION WITH BRN

Skillsoft is an approved licensed Continuing Education Provider in the State of California. Through this honor, Skillsoft has been recognized as a provider of continuing education courses to assist California Registered Nurses in their ongoing professional development. Skillsoft's CEP number is 13334.

OBTAINING A CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION

Individuals can obtain a formal CEU credit certificate from Skillsoft by sending an email to certificaterequests@skillsoft.com and including learning progress report to validate successful course completion. The progress report should include the following information:

- 1. Learner name
- 2. Registered nurse license number or other identification number
- 3. Course title
- 4. Course Start Date
- 5. Course Completion Date
- 6. Test score (A score greater than 70% is required to receive CEU credit.)

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