

# January Review

The NCBTMB Approved Provider Team anticipates an overwhelming number of initial and renewal applications through the end of 2007. We must therefore request that all applicants withhold any correspondence with the NCBTMB concerning their decision status until a decision letter has been mailed or e-mailed to you. If you have not received a written or electronic decision letter within 5 business days of the **"You Will Receive Notification By"** date, please send an e-mail to [ce@ncbtmb.com](mailto:ce@ncbtmb.com).

**Communications to our office by phone or e-mail prior to your decision letter will impede our efforts and slow down the approval process for everyone. The Approved Provider Team thanks you for your cooperation and patience while we try to process each application as efficiently and swiftly as possible.**

## Three Possible Decisions

**Approved** Approval status is granted for three (3) years. For initial applicants: all courses submitted that you have taught (that fit the NCBTMB guidelines for continuing education) will be retroactively accepted to award continuing education credit to NCBTMB certificants. This retroactive credit reflects the last two years from the date of approval.

**Approved Pending for Version 1.5.1 only** Minor deficiencies exist in the application; once remedied by the applicant, the application is approved.

**Denied** Does not meet the NCBTMB's definition of a provider of continuing education for the field of massage therapy/bodywork. The provider may appeal the decision. (Read the appeal process below)

### Appeal Process

Individuals or organizations may appeal the Continuing Education Committee's decision to defer or deny an application. Within sixty (60) days of receipt of a decision letter, a Letter of Appeal must reach the NCBTMB office showing reasonable cause for reconsideration. This is best done by addressing the committee's concerns – point by point – as described in the decision letter that the applicant received. Failure to respond within the time frame will result in forfeiture of the fee and require re-submission on the part of the applicant. There are and will be no exceptions to this rule.

## INITIAL APPLICANTS

Last Name	First Name	Organization Name (if Applicable)	Received Date	Decision	
				Status Awarded	You Will Receive Notification By:
Brown	Valerie	Breast Friends Massage	12/1/2008	Approved	Letter sent 1/21/2009
Lombardo	Lou		12/1/2008	Approved	Letter sent 1/28/2009
Kennedy	Loree	America's Institute of Traditional Medicine	12/1/2008	Approved Pending	Letter sent 2/3/2009
Fried	Robert M.	dba: Robert M. Fried Continuing Education Institute	12/1/2008	Denied	Letter sent 1/29/2009
Laughlin	Kit		12/3/2008	Approved	Letter sent 1/30/2009

Rockwitz	Ed	dba:Ahhh Massage	12/3/2008	Approved	Letter sent 2/3/2009
Bomkamp	Debra	Professional Therapy Education Collabrative(PETC)	12/3/2008	Approved	Letter sent 1/20/2009
Perry	Dale		12/3/2008	Approved Pending	Letter sent 2/3/2009
Beatty	James Michael	A Balanced Massage Education	12/3/2008	Approved	Letter sent 1/23/2009
Gamman	Tonya		12/4/2008	Approved Pending	Letter sent 1/30/2009
Maughon	Sandra	North Georgia Technical College	12/4/2008	Denied	Letter sent 1/20/2009
Lavin	Penny Price	One Light Healing Touch	12/4/2008	Approved	Letter sent 2/3/2009
Fein	Joel		12/4/2008	Approved	Letter sent 2/3/2009
Sohn	Lucinda	Elements if Wellness School of Massage	12/5/2008	Approved	Letter sent 2/2/2009
Fasano	Francesca	dba: Beacon Wellness Arts Center	12/5/2008	Approved	Letter sent 1/29/2009
Fleisher	Kimberly	The Reiki School and Clinic	12/8/2008	Approved Pending	Letter sent 1/19/2009
Thayer	Steven	The Center of Being	12/8/2008	Approved	Letter sent 1/21/2009
Schwartzman	Jessica	Legge Method Organization	12/9/2008	Approved	Letter sent 1/30/2009
Scheuermeier	Max	Sunshine Massage School	12/9/2008	Approved	Letter sent 2/3/2009
Cox	John Edward	dba: Wisdom Shop	12/9/2008	Approved	Letter sent 1/28/2009
Callahan	Regina M.		12/15/2008	Approved	Letter sent 2/2/2009
Yandle	Abbie	Emergency Response Massage International, Inc.	12/15/2008	Approved	Letter sent 1/26/2009
Hernandez	Veronica	Body Care School of the Healing Arts	12/15/2008	Denied	Letter sent 1/30/2009
Miller	Kimberly	Georgia Massage Institute	12/15/2008	Approved	Letter sent 1/26/2009
Stevenson	Melinda	Therapeutic Touch Magazine	12/15/2008	Denied	Letter sent 1/30/2009
Jakober	Lisa		12/15/2008	Approved	Letter sent 1/29/2009
Halaschak	Jeff	dba: CE Spa Solutions	12/15/2008	Denied	Letter sent 2/2/2009
Fischer	Lynn	dba: Simple Movements	12/15/2008	Approved	Letter sent 1/28/2009
McConnell	Angela	QiRei Shiatsu LLC Integrative Health	12/15/2008	Approved	Letter sent 1/20/2009
Heffner	Sue	IPSB - The Institute of Psycho-Structural Balancing	12/18/2008	Approved	Letter sent 1/28/2009
Murphy	Regina	Emotional Sound Techniques Association	12/18/2008	Approved	Letter sent 1/21/2009
Lankston	Nancy	dba: Heart of Healing	12/18/2008	Approved	Letter sent 1/29/2009

## RENEWAL APPLICANTS

Last Name	First Name	Organization Name (if Applicable)	Received Date	Decision	
				Status Awarded	You Will Receive Notification By:
Whitridge	Pete	Pete Whitridge	12/1/08	Approved	Letter sent 1/19/2009
Barnett	Elizabeth	Reiki Healing Connection	12/1/08	Approved	Letter sent 1/12/2009
Schurehr	Maureen	Rising Moon Natural Healthcare	12/4/08	Approved	Letter sent 2/3/2009

