The Commission for Continuing Education Provider Recognition (CCEPR) met on March 19-20, 2015 at the ADA Headquarters Building. The following is a summary of actions taken by the Commission:

1. Granted recognition or continued recognition to a total of 71 providers of continuing dental education. The Commission acted on 13 new applications for recognition and 66 applications for continued recognition. Including the Commission’s March 2015 actions on recognition, 435 CE providers are currently ADA CERP recognized.

2. Adopted Procedures for an Adverse Action Against a Provider.

3. Approved editorial revisions to the ADA CERP Recognition Standards and Procedures to reflect CCEPR oversight responsibilities for CERP.

4. Directed that a call for comments be circulated to the communities of interest requesting input on revisions to the ADA CERP Recognition Standards and Procedures, with a deadline for comment by July 1, 2015. The Commission will consider submitted comments at its September 2015 meeting.

5. Appointed an ad hoc committee to review the Eligibility Criteria for international providers.

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