NRP 8th Edition Instructor Eligibility and Maintenance

Eligibility

• Instructor candidates must have a current NRP 7th edition Provider Card or NRP 8th edition Advanced Provider status.
• An NRP instructor candidate must be a physician, registered nurse/nurse practitioner, respiratory therapist, or physician assistant with experience in the hospital care of newborns.
• The NRP instructor candidate must have current maternal-child educational or clinical responsibility within a hospital setting.
• It is recommended that NRP instructors and instructor candidates have ongoing delivery room experience.

Complete these Steps within One Year of Your Application Approval Date

If your NRP Provider eCard expires in less than one year, your renewal date will automatically extend by one year from your application approval date.

Maintaining your NRP Instructor Status

An NRP instructor in good standing remains an NRP instructor as long as the maintenance requirements are met before the instructor renewal date every 2 years. The NRP instructor must complete the steps below at some point before their renewal date, which is the last day of the month in which your NRP Instructor status was first attained. NRP Instructors at an RQI for NRP hospital should also maintain their Essentials eCredential.

If an instructor’s status expires prior to meeting these maintenance requirements, they must meet the current instructor eligibility requirements, apply to be an instructor candidate, and complete all current edition requirements to attain instructor status.