

RCRSP QUICK-FACTS

What is the Registry of Collegiate Recreational Sports Professionals (RCRSP)?

The Registry of Collegiate Recreational Sports Professionals (RCRSP) is a credential program that guides, encourages, and recognizes purposeful and continuous professional development for the field. RCRSPs are committed to developing the range of competencies essential to be successful in today's higher education environment.

Official title:

The official title conferred on registered professionals is "Registered Collegiate Recreational Sports Professional" (acronym: RCRSP).

Governance:

NIRSA's Collegiate Recreational Sports Professional Registry Commission (PRC) is responsible the policies and procedures related to the Registry.

Type of credential:

Credentialing is the umbrella term used for the many types of programs that exist. Such programs include licensures, certifications, accreditations, recognition designations, and certificates. The RCRSP is a credential type called a "designation."

How do I earn more CEUs?

RCRSP designation holders have many ways to earn the required CEUs within the three- year period. Any education offering provided by any entity if the education meets the criteria below. RCRSPs may earn a NIRSA CEUs by participating in education that is pre-approved for NIRSA CEUs. Pre-approved programs will advertise that they are a NIRSA CEU provider and will indicate the CEU value(s) of the event/session. RCRSPs may earn and report education from other, NON-pre-approved education providers (for example—other associations, specialty courses, etc.) if the education meets the criteria.

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Application:

There are three categories of admission to the Registry. For more information please see the RCRSP Handbook, available on the website.

Renewal:

To keep their credential current, RCRSPs must demonstrate that they have earned 45 NIRSA CEUs within a 3-year period by submitting a renewal application and a list of all CEU -eligible activities listed.

NIRSA CEU criteria

- **1. CONTENT**: The education offering must be competency-based. The content must support professionals' growth in at least one of NIRSA Core Competency areas
- 2. DURATION: The education must be at least 30 minutes (0.5 CEUs).
- **3. INSTRUCTIONAL DESIGN**: The education must have learning outcomes.
- **4. EVALUATION**: The education must include an evaluation. After the education offering, an evaluation of the program must be offered to learners. That may be in the form of a session evaluation, or post event evaluation.

Other reminders:

Most of NIRSA's signature events such as the NIRSA Annual Conference and Institute events will identify NIRSA CEU -eligible education and in marketing materials. However, if you participate in an education activity sponsored by another education provider (NIRSA regional/state events, or other sponsor), CEUs may or may not be advertised. However, if the education activity meets the above requirements, that educational offering may be applied toward your renewal.

It is the responsibility of the RCRSP designation holder to keep record of their participation in CEU-eligible educational activities to submit with their renewal application at the conclusion of the three year period. all CEU -eligible activities listed.



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