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Tobacco Treatment Specialist Certification

Process for Retesting

Participant Instructions:

Visit our website http://ndc.mayo.edu.

- Select Education Program
- On the right side of the page look for **Online Registration System** and select **TTS Certification Updates**.
- You may also access by going to the <u>Tobacco Treatment Specialist Certification</u> web page and select the **DATABASE** <u>Login</u> link.

Look for the heading **Existing Users**

- Enter your email address and password. Select <u>Retrieve Your Password</u> if you are a first-time user or you have forgotten your password.
- Select **Edit Profile** to change your password and update your contact information.

Look for information under **Next Steps:**

- Select Retest Application.
 - On the Retest application form, indicate the proctor (supervisor) who will administer the exam(s).
 - o Complete and print the form and mail directly to us with a check payment.
 - o If you prefer to pay by credit card, please fax the Retest Application form to us at 507-255-0652 or scan and email the form to ndep@mayo.edu

Mailing address: Mayo Clinic, Nicotine Education Program; Colonial Bldg 3-10; 200 First Street, SW; Rochester, MN 55905

• The participant will contact the proctor to coordinate a date/time to retest.

NDC Education Program/Test Proctor:

- **1.** The proctor will be contacted via email by the Mayo Clinic Nicotine Education Program to confirm the exam date/time.
- 2. Rules for administering the exam will be communicated to the proctor (see below).
- **3.** A packet will be sent to the proctor that includes the exam(s), **Certification Test Proctoring form**, and a self-addressed envelope.
- **4.** After testing, the proctor will complete, sign, and return the **Certification Test Proctoring form** along with the completed exam(s) in the self-addressed envelope. This must be returned to the Mayo Clinic Nicotine Education Program within 45 days of the date the application was originally sent to the proctor.

Test Proctor - Rules for administering the exam:

- 1. The participant will need to be supervised by the proctor at all times during testing.
- 2. The participant is allowed a time limit of one hour to complete each separate exam(s).
- 3. The participant may not reference any materials such as books or notes during testing.
- **4.** Under no circumstances may copies of the test be reproduced. These materials are copyrighted and we need to maintain the integrity of our TTS Program.