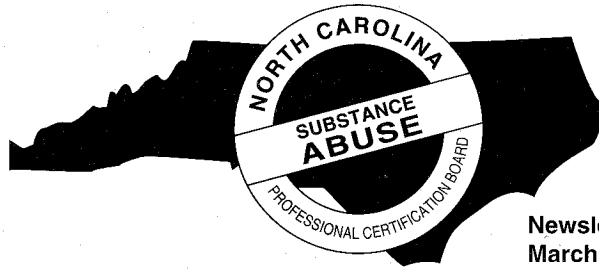


## North Carolina Substance Abuse Professional Certification Board

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### Announcement:

#### Community Colleges Approved!

The North Carolina Community College Substance Abuse Consortium submitted a formal proposal to the Certification Board asking to be recognized as approved certification sites. At the time of the proposal, during the year 2000, the Consortium member schools were Central Piedmont Community College, Guilford Technical Community College, Sandhills Community College, Southwestern Community College, Western Piedmont Community College, and Wake Technical Community College.

After completing a group site visit process, the Certification Board voted to approve the Consortium's proposal. The approval of the Community College application means that upon graduation from an approved North Carolina's Community College Human Services Technology, Substance Abuse (HST/SAB) course of study, individuals will be eligible to sit for the CSAC written examination, provided they also have submitted the required CNSAPCB paperwork in advance of the CSAC written test date and paid the required fees.

The NC Community College Consortium is facilitated by the North Carolina Initiative of the Mid-Atlantic Addiction Technology Transfer Center; a Center for Substance Abuse Treatment (CSAT) funded program. The North Carolina Initiative is located at the Governor's Institute for Alcohol and Substance Abuse. For more detailed information about the Consortium, individual schools, and faculty, please access the Consortium's web site at: <http://www.ncattc.org/cchec.htm> and/or contact Steve Applegate, Project Director, at [ncattc@ncattc.org](mailto:ncattc@ncattc.org) or 919-990-9559.

### Reminders . . .

#### Recertification

Please remember that the January 1, 2001 renewal date is here. By now, all persons whose recertification is due that date should have received applications for renewal of each credential held. All hours must have been completed by December 31, 2000 though all persons holding credentials have until March 31, 2001 to submit their application(s) for renewal.



#### HIV Training

Please remember that HIV Training for Certification/Recertification is all encompassing and includes HIV/AIDS/STD's/TB/Blood-borne Pathogens (including Hepatitis).

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