New York State Continuing Education requirements.

Effective January 1, 2004, to renew your NYS registration as a Chiropractor, you are required to complete 36 contact hours of continuing education credits in each three-year registration period.

- Of the 36 total contact hours, a minimum of one-third (12 hours) **must** be in Category 1 topics (Ethics, Documentation, and Patient Communication).

- The remaining two-thirds (24 hours) may be in Category 2 general topics. Courses/seminars in this category must be comparable to subject topics taught in professional education programs in chiropractic offered by higher education institutions that are accredited by the Council on Chiropractic Education.

- Finally, you may take up to one third (12 hours) of either Category 1 or Category 2 courses via a distance learning (e.g. internet based online or home study) format.

Contact the New York State Board for Chiropractic at (518) 474-3817 if you require additional assistance.