



**CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT (CPD) COUNCIL OF
PHYSICAL THERAPY
Resolution No. 02
Series of 2020**

**GUIDELINES ON THE EVALUATION AND GRANTING OF CPD CREDIT UNITS TO
REGISTERED AND LICENSED PHYSICAL THERAPISTS WHO PROVIDED
ESSENTIAL SERVICES DURING THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY
DUE TO CORONA VIRUS DISEASE 2019 PURSUANT TO COMMISSION
RESOLUTION NO. 1239 (S.2020)**

WHEREAS, the Commission issued Resolution No. 1239 (s.2020) entitled "Granting Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Credit Units to All Professionals Providing Essential Services during the State of Public Health Emergency due to Corona Virus Disease 2019 (COVID-2019)", provides for the guidelines on how professionals can earn CPD credit units; and

WHEREAS, the said guidelines mandated all CPD Councils to issue their respective rules on the evaluation of the applications based on the following, but not limited to, duration or period of engagement or services rendered and the nature of the assignment or task.

NOW THEREFORE, the CPD Council of Physical Therapy **RESOLVES** to issue these guidelines on the evaluation and granting of CPD credit units to professionals pursuant to Commission Resolution No. 1239 (s.2020), as follows:

Section 1. Matrix of Activities Conducted by professionals. The following is the matrix of activities conducted by all professionals who provided essential services during the State of Public Health Emergency brought about by the COVID-19 crisis:

For the Local and Overseas Filipino Physical Therapists:

ACTIVITY	ASSIGNMENT/TASK	DURATION	CPD CREDIT UNITS EARNED AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS
Public health education	PT answering queries about COVID-19 through electronic platform	At least 1 week of service 5 weeks or more of service	5 25 Supporting Document: Certification (Annex A) or Self-declaration (Annex B) Resolution No. 1039 s. 2020) which need not be notarized.
Telehealth services	Production and publication of printed or electronic materials on COVID-19 prevention and control	1 set of original printed or electronic materials related to PT services	5

		9 sets of original printed or electronic materials related to PT services	45 Supporting Document: Certification (Annex A Resolution No. 1039 s. 2020) which need not be notarized.
Social Responsibility	Assembled PPE gears and distributed to hospitals	1 day of engagement	1 Supporting Document: Certification (Annex A) or Self-declaration (Annex B) Resolution No. 1039 s. 2020) which need not be notarized.
Serving in the triage area of medical institutions	Screening and referral of COVID -19 patients	At least 1 week of service 9 weeks or more of service	5 45 Supporting Document: Certification (Annex A Resolution No. 1039 s. 2020) which need not be notarized.
Institution based evaluation and management of COVID-19 patients	Evidence based pulmonary rehabilitation for COVID-19 patients	At least 1 week of service 9 weeks or more of service	5 45 Supporting Documents: Certification (Annex A Resolution No. 1039 s. 2020) which need not be notarized.
Institution based health and wellness promotion to prevent COVID-19 infection	Exercise prescription for health and wellness for general population of patients/clients	At least 1 week of service 9 weeks or more service	5 45 Supporting Document: Certification (Annex A Resolution No. 1039 s. 2020) which need not be notarized.
Telehealth services	Virtual screening and referral for COVID-19 patients	1 patient screened and referred to services. 45 patients screened and	1 45

		referred to services	Supporting Document: Certification (Annex A Resolution No. 1039 s. 2020) which need not be notarized.
Telehealth services	Virtual exercises for health and wellness for general population of patients and clients	1 patient / client given exercise prescription 45 patients/clients given exercise prescription	1 45 Supporting Document: Certification (Annex A Resolution No. 1039 s. 2020) which need not be notarized.
PT Telehealth	PT taught exercises to geriatric population through video	1 hour of service	1 Supporting Document: Certification (Annex A) or Self-declaration (Annex B) Resolution No. 1039 s. 2020) which need not be notarized.
Professional PT activities to enhance knowledge, skills, and values related to COVID-19	Attended virtual trainings for PTs related to professional practice to address COVID-19 and cascaded to fellow PTs	1 hour of training 5 hours of training	1 5 Supporting Document: Certification (Annex A) or Self-declaration (Annex B) Resolution No. 1039 s. 2020) which need not be notarized.
Other activities as may be approved by the CPD Council		Within the duration of ECQ/MECQ/ GCQ	To be determined CPD Council upon submission of Certification or Declaration (Template found in Annex "A" or "B" of Resolution No. 1239 s. 2020)

Section 2. Effectivity - This resolution shall take effect immediately.

Done, this **11th** day of **December, 2020** in Pasay City, Philippines.

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