CONTINUING EDUCATION
STRATEGIC PLAN PROGRESS REPORT

CE-1 Develop cohesive continuing education guidelines.
Conduct annual review of continuing education guidelines and revise as needed.
September 2009: The Board is in the process of updating its continuing education regulations.
November 2009: The Board sponsored a continuing education workgroup on November 9, 2009.
January 2010: The Board sponsored a continuing education workgroup on January 20, 2010.
February 2010: The Board is in the process of updating its continuing education regulations.
May 2010: The Board is in the process of updating its continuing education regulations.
August 2010: Board approved draft propossed language for continuing education.
December 2010: The Board has proposed modification to the text of sections 1397.60-1397.7 of Division 13.1 of Title 16 California Code of Regulations. Public notice went out on January 3, 2011.
February 2011: The Board is in the process of completing the continuing education rule making file.
May 2011: The Board continues to move forward with the continuing education rule making file.
Monitor, review and report on emerging issues in the practice of psychology that impact continuing education.
September 2009: N/A
November 2009: N/A
February 2010: N/A
May 2010: N/A
August 2010: The Board will be discussing ways to educate psychologists concerning the new proposed regulation.
February 2011: The Board is exploring ways to educate licensees regarding the proposed continuing education changes. Ideas include: using the Board's website, email listserve, renewal notices and by partnering with CPA.
May 2011: The Board continues to explore ways to further educate psychologists and providers. Board and staff will be working with MCEP and CPA to insure a smooth transition into the new continuing education regulation.

CE-2 Ensure licensee compliance with continuing education requirements.
Monitor CE compliance of licensees.
September 2009: The Board reviewed continuing education compliance statistics.
November 2009: The Board reviewed continuing education compliance statistics.
February 2010: The Board reviewed continuing education compliance statistics.
May 2010: The Board reviewed continuing education compliance statistics.
August 2010: The Board would like to discuss ways to reduce the non-compliance rates.
December 2010: The Board is continuing to explore ways to reduce the non-compliance rates and have asked that it be added to the February agenda.
February 2011: Due to time and staffing constraints, the Board feels the current process is adequate but will revisit if non compliance rates exceed the normal ranges.
May 2011: The Board continues to feel the current process is adequate.
Require evidence of CE compliance of all licensees prior to license renewal.
September 2009: Ongoing
November 2009: Ongoing
February 2010: Ongoing
May 2010: Ongoing
August 2010: The Board has expressed commitment to exploring how this can be accomplished; discussion ongoing.
December 2010: Discussion ongoing.
February 2011: New regulation will include random audits; current regulation requires MCEPAA to conduct 100% audits.
May 2011: New regulation will include random audits; current regulation requires MCEPAA to conduct 100% audits.
Review outreach related to information and feedback about continuing education from both mental health and non-mental health psychologists.
September 2009: N/A
November 2009: N/A
February 2010: N/A
May 2010: N/A
August 2010: Due to state budget mandates, the Board has been unable to participate in outreach activities.
December 2010: While still working within budget restrictions, the Board and staff continue to seek participation in outreach activities.
February 2011: Jeffrey Thomas, Robert Kahane and Karen Johnson attended the April CPA Convention in San Diego. Staff worked to improve communication and awareness related to BOP activities.
May 2011: Due to the current state and DCA mandates, the Board has been unable to participate in outreach activities.
Work with APA on common continuing education interests.
September 2009: N/A
November 2009: N/A
February 2010: N/A
May 2010: N/A
August 2010: N/A
December 2010: N/A
February 2011: N/A
May 2011: N/A