



California Sex Offender Management Board

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Dear Treatment Provider,

CASOMB's records currently have you listed at the Associate or Apprentice provider level.

If you are **licensed** with the Board of Psychology or the Board of Behavioral Sciences and meet the current Independent provider level requirements CASOMB encourages you to matriculate prior to May 31, 2022 under the current Independent provider level requirements:

- Experience: 750 hours within the last two (2) years. 500 of those were direct face-to-face offender client hours or providing supervision OR 2000 hours over lifetime.
- Training: 30 hours within last two years. 20 of those in Core Topics.

After July 1, 2022 in order to matriculate to the Independent provider level you must meet the new requirements which includes:

- Experience: 1,000 face-to-face client hours providing sex offender specific treatment or evaluation within the last five (5) years OR 2,000 face-to-face hours providing sex offender specific treatment or evaluation over lifetime.
- Training: 24 sex offender specific hours within the last two (2) years. Note: No more than 12 hours of SARATSO risk assessment training will be accepted.

To apply for Independent provider status, the individual shall complete and submit the following:

1. an Independent provider application
2. a signed attestation under penalty of perjury verifying that he or she has acquired the requisite hours of training and experience, and
3. a statement from each certified Independent or licensed Associate provider who provided the supervision verifying the following:
 - a) the time frame in which supervision was provided,
 - b) the hours of services provided by the supervisee are estimated to be correct, and
 - c) the readiness of the individual to become an Independent Provider.

Please e-mail CASOMB at CASOMB@cdcr.ca.gov to initiate the matriculation process no later than **May 31, 2022**.

Thank you,

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