

## **IMPORTANT DATES AND DEADLINES FOR RNs and APRNs**

### **Active COAs, CTPs, CTP-Es**

If you held an active COA, CTP, or CTP-E on or before April 6, 2017, the expiration date established by law has been changed to December 31, 2017 in the Ohio eLicense system. This change coincides with HB 216 being effective on April 6, 2017.

Please remember to follow the deadlines below to renew your RN license and complete the COA renewal/APRN license issuance process.

### **RN License Renewal and COA Renewal/APRN License Issuance**

APRNs may renew their RN license and complete the COA renewal/APRN license issuance process on or after July 1, 2017.

The final deadline to renew **RN licenses** is **October 31, 2017**.

- The late processing fee for RN renewal goes into effect on September 16, 2017.
- Those renewing their RN license on or after September 16, 2017 will pay an additional \$50.00.
- APRNs must renew their RN license to be eligible to complete the COA renewal/APRN license issuance process.

The final deadline for APRNs to **complete the COA renewal/APRN license issuance process** is **December 31, 2017** because HB 216 specifies that current COAs will remain valid until December 31, 2017.

- The renewal/license issuance fee is \$135.
- There is no late processing fee for the COA this year.

The Board recommends APRNs complete the RN renewal and the COA renewal/APRN license issuance processes at the same time to assure timely renewals. Please remember to complete **BOTH** processes in order to complete all the required steps to become a licensed APRN.

### **Questions?**

**We want to answer your questions, but we don't want to miss your call. We will be renewing and issuing over 200,000 nursing licenses in 2017.**

**If you have questions concerning licensure and HB 216, please e-mail us so we can more timely address your questions and those of your fellow licensees.**

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