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Rehabilitation Council of India

**A Statutory Body Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment
Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan)
Govt. of India**

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Office Memorandum

Sub: Continuing Rehabilitation Education (CRE) Programme: reg

The Rehabilitation Council of India (RCI) is a statutory body constituted by the Government of India under an Act of Parliament namely Rehabilitation Council of India Act, 1992 RCI is mandated among other things to regulate and monitor the training of rehabilitation professionals and personnel, promote research in rehabilitation and special education and to maintain a Central Rehabilitation Register (CRR) of professionals and personnel.

2. It is mandatory for all rehabilitation professional/personnel registered in the CRR of RCI to renew their registration once in seven years and for such renewal they must accumulate 100 Continuing Rehabilitation Education (CRE) points. The professionals who participate in such CRE programmes get 6 CRE points for each day of the programme.

3. The objectives of CRE are i) to upgrade the knowledge & skills of in service & practicing Rehabilitation Professionals & Personnel already registered with the RCI u/s 19 of the RCI Act of 1992 and ii) to update Professional knowledge of master trainers working in the field of Rehabilitation & Special Education. The updated knowledge is critical to providing better and appropriate services to the primary stake holders to which they are entitled.

4. RCI approved institutions/universities conducts Continuing Rehabilitation Education (CRE) programme throughout the year with prior approval of this Council.

5. It has been brought to the notice of the Council that no leave is sanctioned to rehabilitation professional/personnel registered in the CRR of RCI employed across country for attending the CRE programme and treated as absent.

6. Accordingly, all RCI approved institutions/universities and Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) are requested to allow their rehabilitation professional/personnel working with them to attend the RCI approved CRE programme for a maximum of 3 to 5 days in a year, which may be treated as an official duty.


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To,

All RCI approved Institutions/State Project Directors, Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan

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