APPENDIX E:



Continuing Education Credits

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Information for Application

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Web Links and Resources

INFORMATION TO APPLY FOR CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS

Workshop:	"Health Literacy Public Health Forums: Partners for Action"
Sponsor:	(insert state or county) public health department
Instructor:	(insert name)
Target audience:	Public health professionals interested in addressing health literacy issues in partnership with professionals from adult education and library services.
Goals:	The goal of the forum is to improve materials and program approaches to insure a match between programs and the documented average literacy skills of U.S. adults. The objectives of the forum are fourfold:
	1. Increase understanding of functional literacy.
	2. Become familiar with health literacy research and findings.
	3. Forge partnerships with local community resources for change.
	4. Explore action options.
Agenda:	Introduction
	Slide Presentation: "On the National Agenda: Health and Literacy"
	Question and Answer Period
	Networking and Evaluation
	Adjourn
Evaluation/usage:	(EXAMPLE) – At the forum I was able to network with various people from adult education and library services. I am currently developing a brochure about cancer and I am going to pilot my brochure at an adult education center. Also, one of the contacts I made offered to review my brochure before I send it out for internal review here at DPH. In the long run, I hope to convene a health literacy/plain language committee at DPH that will work on developing a plain language guideline for the state.

WEB LINKS AND REFERENCES FOR CONTINUING EDUCATION

- Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education Credentialing. Available at: http://www.accme.org
- The American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences. Available at: http://www.aafcs.org/
- American Board of Industrial Hygiene. Available at: http://www.abih.org/
- The American Council for Pharmaceutical Education. Available at: http://www.acpe-accredit.org/
- American Dental Association. Available at: http://www.ada.org/prof/ed/ce/index.asp
- American Dental Hygienist Association. Available at: http://www.adha.org/ce/index.html
- Board of Certified Safety Professionals. Available at: http://www.bcsp.org/
- Board of Registered Nurses. Available at: http://www.noca.org/ncca/accredorg.htm
- Commission on Dietetic Registration. Available at: http://www.cdrnet.org/
- National Association of Social Workers. Available at: http://www.naswdc.org/
- National Commission for Health Education Credentialing. Available at: http://www.nchec.org
- National Environmental Health Association. Available at: http://www.neha.org/