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Order Waiving Face-to-Face Training Requirement

On March 4, 2020, the Governor proclaimed a [State of Emergency](#) to exist in California as a result of the impacts of COVID-19 to make additional resources available, formalize emergency actions already underway across multiple state agencies and departments, and help the state prepare to respond to an increasing number of individuals requiring medical care and hospitalization as a result of a broader spread of COVID-19.

Pursuant to the Governor's Executive Order [N-39-20](#), during the State of Emergency, the Director of the California Department of Consumer Affairs may waive any statutory or regulatory professional licensing requirement pertaining to individuals licensed pursuant to Division 2 of the Business and Professions Code, including requirements related to the education and training necessary to obtain licensure.

Accordingly, the Director waives California Code of Regulations, title 16, section 2021.3, subdivision (a), to the extent it requires the curriculum on regionally specific and important diseases and conditions to be presented "face-to-face" in the state.

This order is effective immediately but may be amended as circumstances require.

This order terminates 60 days from the date of the order, unless further extended.

Dated: June 4, 2020

Signature on File

Kimberly Kirchmeyer
Director