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MSCN-e (emeritus status)

MS nursing professionals who currently hold the MSCN credential but who retire from active practice may apply for Emeritus Status, which will be conferred on a one-time basis and will not require renewal, as it will be valid indefinitely. Those who are granted Emeritus Status will be able to use the designation of MSCN-e but will no longer be able to use the original MSCN designation.

• $125 One-Time Fee
• To apply online, please visit Professional Testing Corporation (PTC) website: https://ptcny.com/test-sponsors/msnicb/

1. Click “Apply Online”
2. Click “Start a New Application”
3. Under “Select Examination”, choose **MSNICB-MSCN-e - MSCN Emeritus Status** then follow the next instructions
ATTENTION MS CERTIFIED NURSES! HERE IS YOUR CHANCE TO GET 3 LEARNING ACTIVITY HOURS TOWARD YOUR NEXT CERTIFICATION.

Develop **five multiple choice questions** for the item bank to be used for a future MS Certification exam. We are especially looking for items related to application of MS nursing practice, patient scenarios, and new MS medications or procedures that have become generally accepted in MS practice. Furthermore, relapse diagnosis, pediatric MS, organizations (such as WHO, NMSS, IOMSN), and ethical practice are areas of interest. If possible, cite your recent sources so we can add them to the recommended list for literature.

Please click here to view the Item Writing Guide . Email your questions to june@mscare.org.

THE ONLINE PRACTICE TEST FOR MS NURSES IS NOW AVAILABLE!

The Online Practice Test for Multiple Sclerosis Nurses is now live and available for purchase. The fee is $50 and is payable by credit card at the PTC Online Testing System website.

Please read the information from this link before taking the practice test:

http://ptcny.com/candidate-corner/take-practice-test/
MSNICB ANNOUNCEMENT

The Multiple Sclerosis Nurses International Credentialing Board (MSNICB) is pleased to announce that we have entered 21st century technology. As of the next examination cycle, the certification examination for MS nurses will be **offered at testing centers throughout North America on computers**. We will no longer offer pen/paper testing on this continent although the examination will be still offered traditionally throughout the rest of the world.

The French (and all other foreign language translations) of the MSNICB exam will be given in a paper and pencil format. Only the English version will be given at the computer test centers.

Please go to [www.ptcny.com](http://www.ptcny.com) for more information.