

**CONTINUING EDUCATION COMMITTEE REPORT
February 8, 2006**

Since the January 11, 2006 Board meeting, the following programs have been received and reviewed by the members of the Continuing Education Committee. The programs listed meet the criteria set forth in COMAR 10.29.05.03 Standards of Continuing Education Pre-approval.

Motion: The Committee requests Board approval/disapproval of the following programs:

<u>Name of Sponsor & Program</u>	<u># of Hours Requested & Approved</u>
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Regulatory Support Services

Preneed Laws and Regulations	3.0
How to apply FTC Compliance to your Business Practices	3.0
804-784-7347	
various times and locations	

National Funeral Directors and Morticians Associations

Cremation and the Funeral Director Success or Mere Survival	2.0
How to get your customers to pay you	1.0
President Roundtable	2.0
Embalming Technique for Today's Practitioner	2.0
Identification, Inspection and Documentation	2.0
404-286-6680	
Reno Nevada	
April 10, 2006	

Kids on Wheels Foundation

The Challenge to Get Involved	4.0
410-729-4080	
Baltimore, Maryland	
February 11, 2006	

CMI Education Institute

Grief Counseling and Clinical Practice	
716-332-0300	6.5
4/10/06 – Baltimore	
4/11/06 – Hagerstown	

Aurora Casket Company

Balanced Funeral Arrangement-Making the Emotional Connection	3.0
1-800-457-1111	
Hunt Valley, Maryland	
4/1/06	

Delmarva Funeral Service Association

Cremation: Don't Sell Yourself Short	2.0
410-754-7385	
11-10-05 (This seminar has already taken place)	

Mortuary Air Force – Dover	3.0
	Requesting 3.0 instead of 1.5
February 7, 2006	

Selected Independent Funeral Homes	
2006 Group Meeting Series	8.75
Making the Cremation Customer your family forever	
Conducting Military Funerals	
Limiting Cremation Liability	
Quality Control Procedures in the Prep Room	
Selected Resources, Inc.	
Insuring Against Disaster	
847-236-9401	
various times and places	
Maryland State Funeral directors Association	
MSFDA Board and Quarterly Meeting	1.5
410-553-9106	
3/8/06	
Annapolis, Maryland	
Intersecting Roles of Social Workers, Pastoral Care and Funeral Providers	5.0
April 6, 2006	
Baltimore, Maryland	
International Cemetery and Funeral Association	
2006 Advanced Seminar in Quality Funeral Care	14.0
703-391-8400	
March 24 – 26, 2006: Chicago, IL	
April 7-9, 2006: Atlanta GA	
June 23-25, 2006: Portland OR	
September 25-27, 2006: Washington DC	
December 1-3, 2006: Albuquerque, NM	
Batesville Casket Company	
The Steps to Successful Technology Use in the Funeral Home	2.0
Date and Time to be Determined	
National Funeral Directors and Morticians Association	
District II Seminar	8.0
410-327-3100	
March 31 – April 1, 2006	
Hunt Valley	
National Guardian Life Insurance Company	
Trends in Aging	3.0
608-443-5281	
April, 06 – (TBD)	
Location: TBD	
Planning for Final Expenses	2.0
608-443-5281	
April, 06 – (TBD)	
Location: TBD	
Wills and Trust basics and their affect on final expense planning	3.0
608-443-5281	

April, 06 – (TBD)
Location: TBD

Social Security and Medicare 3.0
608-443-5281
April, 06 – (TBD)
Location: TBD

Funeral Planning Workshop 4.0
608-443-5281
April, 06 – (TBD)
Location: TBD

Stella Maris
Diversity and Cross Cultural Issues in Bereavement 3.0
410-252-4500
April 11, 2006
Timonium, Maryland

Stress Management for Healthcare Professionals 3.0
410-252-4500
March 14, 2006
Timonium, Maryland

Individual request:

Ann Zink Rowe

Cincinnati College of Mortuary Science
The Good Death, Good Grief, Good Funerals 6.0
July 29-30, 2005

Hospice Volunteer Training

Mr. Robert Rankin provided a three-hour presentation on 3.0
Funeral planning and education to Hospice volunteers
August 25, 2005