



Nonverified Course Content Attestation

Current Coursework Requirements as of 2022*

Overview

This attestation may be completed by the university to establish behavior-analytic content hours in a course that is not part of a [Verified Course Sequence](#) (VCS). Please complete one attestation for each nonverified course.

Only use this form if all of the following are true:

- This course is **not** part of a current or former VCS based on the date the course was completed.
- This is the first and only Nonverified Course Content Attestation submitted for this course on these dates. Once a Nonverified Course Content Attestation has been submitted, the content hours are used for **all** BCBA and BCaBA applicants from that institution, regardless of which set of coursework requirements it was submitted under. We recommend that the institution keeps the completed form in their records for reference.
- You can agree to all of the attestations on the following page.



Nonverified coursework will no longer be accepted as part of a BCBA or BCaBA certification application as of January 1, 2026.

Instructions:

This attestation must be completed by the Chair, Dean, or VCS Coordinator.

Before completing this attestation, please review: (a) the syllabus from the time period the hours are allocated, (b) a record of how the course appears on a student transcript, and (c) the BACB's 2022 Coursework Requirements outlined in the [BCaBA](#) and [BCBA](#) Handbooks. Please pay careful attention to the freestanding course requirements outlined in the handbooks. Non-freestanding content hours in areas where freestanding coursework is required cannot be used to meet our eligibility requirements.

Based on this review:

- determine how many hours were taught in each content area and
- determine how long the course was taught with this same syllabus. The first term/year offered and last term/year offered fields will establish the timeframe that this course followed a particular syllabus and contained the same course content.

Complete this form in its entirety for consideration. Incomplete documents will not be accepted.

Please email the completed form to applications@bacb.com and note in the email that you are submitting a Nonverified Course Content Attestation for [student's name]. Save a copy in the university records for future reference, as these records cannot be changed and will be used for future applicants.

General Course Information

Institution Name: _____

Department: _____

The following course number, name, number of credits, and term/year must match the information provided in a transcript **exactly** for hours to be allocated in a certification application.

Course Number: _____

Course Name: _____

Course Abbreviation as it Appears on a Transcript (if applicable): _____

This Content Hour Allocation is Valid From First Term/Year: _____ Last Term/Year: _____

Credit Level: _____ Credit System: _____

Number of Credits: _____

Total Instructor-Led Hours: _____ (may not exceed number of credits—e.g., 1 credit/quarter ≤ 10 hours)

Professor/Instructor Name(s): _____

*The current coursework requirements are outlined in Pathway 2 of the [BCBA](#) and [BCaBA Handbooks](#).

Course Content Hour Information

Based on the syllabus from the dates when the course was offered, enter the number of instructor-led hours covered in each category below. The total hours may not exceed the number of credits listed on a transcript (e.g., 1 credit/semester ≤ 15 hours; 3 credits/semester ≤ 45 hours).

BACB Ethics Code and Code Enforcement Systems; Professionalism	Philosophical Underpinnings	Concepts & Principles	Philosophical Underpinnings; Concepts & Principles (BCaBA use only)	Measurement, Data Display and Interpretation; Experimental Design	Behavior Assessment	Behavior-Change Procedures; Selecting and Implementing Interventions	Personnel Supervision and Management

Course Content Attestations

Please read the following attestations:

- I have confirmed that this course is not part of a [Verified Course Sequence](#) for the dates listed above.
- I have thoroughly reviewed the BACB's Pathway 2 behavior-analytic coursework requirements outlined in the [BCaBA](#) and [BCBA](#) Handbooks and made the hour allocations accordingly.
- The hours listed, including the requirements for freestanding hours, only reflect time spent engaging in instruction (e.g., live or recorded didactic instruction, interactive training and role-play, class presentations, and/or synchronous class discussions) and do not include time spent engaged in independent activities (e.g., reading, preparatory assignments, asynchronous discussions, and/or fieldwork activities).
- I have reviewed and will retain (for at least 2 years) copies of syllabi used to make these hour allocations and will provide them to the BACB upon request.
- I understand that the BACB will enter this information into course records and use it to determine whether students, now and in the future, have met the BACB's coursework requirements.
- I understand that the BACB may make course content information in this document publicly available.
- I understand that I may not retroactively revise these content hours and that the BACB will not allow me any additional opportunities to modify my statements regarding the allocation of hours for this course (taught in the same term and year by the same instructor).
- I understand that the proposed hours may be rejected if they are not aligned with the BACB's coursework requirements, if the BACB has conflicting records, if insufficient supporting documentation is found upon an audit, or if they are overturned in the event of appeal. Rejected coursework attestations may result in the inability to submit future attestations.
- I have the authority to sign this form, and I completed it to the best of my knowledge. I further attest that the information provided within is accurate and consistent with the culture of integrity associated with my institution.

By signing, I hereby agree to the previously stated Course Content Attestations.

I am the: Dean Chair VCS Coordinator

Email Address: _____

Printed Name: _____

Signed Name: _____ Date: _____

Instructions for the student: No action is required. The Chair, Dean, or VCS Coordinator will submit this form with the student's name so that the BACB can use it in a certification application or as part of a preliminary coursework evaluation.