

# The Road to Success: PREPARING FOR THE RESNA EXAMS

0.6 CEU/6.0 CEC

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RESNA (The Rehabilitation Engineering and Assistive Technology Society of North America), as an interdisciplinary association of people with a common interest in technology and disability, issues the three credentials for service providers in the field of Assistive Technology:

**Assistive Technology Practitioner (ATP)** - For service providers who are involved in analysis of a consumer's needs and training in the use of a particular assistive technology device.

**Assistive Technology Supplier (ATS)** - For service providers who are involved with the sale, including determination of consumer needs and service of rehabilitation equipment, assistive technology and commercially available products and devices.

**Rehabilitation Engineering Technologist (RET)** - For service providers who apply engineering principles to the design, modification, customization and/or fabrication of assistive technology for persons with disabilities.

Upon successful completion of the required exam, RESNA certification is issued to candidates who may present themselves to the public as service providers. Such individuals are dedicated to working with persons with disabilities whom are interested in exploring assistive technology as an option to achieve their goals.

**For claims with dates of service on or after April 1, 2008, the specialty evaluation required for patients receiving a Group 2 single power option or multiple power option PWC, any Group 3 or Group 4 PWC, or a push rim activated power assist device for a manual wheelchair must be performed by a RESNA-certified Assistive Technology Practitioner (ATP) specializing in wheelchairs or a physician who is board-certified in Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation. The ATP or physician may not have any financial relationship with the supplier.**

**In addition, the wheelchair must be provided by a supplier that employs a RESNA-certified Assistive Technology Supplier (ATS) specializing in wheelchairs who is directly involved in the wheelchair selection for the patient.**

**Methodist Rehab & Pride will be hosting a one-day review that will cover the following topics:**

- Augmentative and Alternative Communication (AAC)
- Environmental controls
- Public policy and legislation
- Funding
- Job accommodations and worksite modification
- Technology for visually and hearing impaired
- Components of manual and power mobility including rehab applications
- Anatomy and physiology (quick overview)
- Principles and practice of service delivery



**\*Please see registration information on the reverse side of this flyer**

# PREP COURSE REGISTRATION

**Date:** Wednesday, October 31, 2007

**Time:** 1:00 pm - 6:00 pm

**Location:** Grand Casino & Resort  
13615 Old Highway 61N  
Tunica Resorts, MS 38664  
PH: (800) 946-4946

**Cost:** \$90.00

**Please make check/money order payable to:**

Methodist Rehabilitation Center

ATTN: Lisa Nichols

**Please mail this completed form to:**

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1350 E. Woodrow Wilson

Jackson, MS 39216

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(If more than one person will be attending from your company, please complete one registration form for each person. Photocopies accepted.)

**Company name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Company address:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Prep Course location you are attending:** Tunica Resorts, MS

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