

Guardianship Program Rules

204 Standards for Approval

The following standards shall be met by any course or activity for which approval is sought:

204.1 The course shall have significant intellectual or practical content and its primary objective shall be to increase the attendee's professional competence as a Guardian.

204.2 The course shall constitute an organized program of learning dealing with matters directly relating to the guardianship practice and/or to the professional responsibility or ethical obligations of a Guardian.

204.3 Each faculty member shall be qualified by practical or academic experience to teach a specific subject.

204.4 Thorough, high quality, readable, and carefully prepared written materials should be distributed to all attendees at or before the time the course is presented. It is recognized that written materials are not suitable or readily available for some types of subjects; the absence of written materials for distribution should, however, be the exception and not the rule. Providing students the materials on a computer disk or flash drive is encouraged. (Amended 3/8/10).

204.5 Courses should be conducted in a setting physically suitable to the educational activity of the program. A suitable writing surface should be provided where feasible.

204.6 No course will be approved which involves solely television viewing in the home or office or correspondence work or self-study. Video, motion picture, sound tape, or online presentations may be approved, provided they include a method of student-teacher interactive involvement.

204.7 All courses must be open to all certified professional guardians.

204.8 No course will be approved unless it has met the requirements of 205.1.

204.9 The course shall satisfy curriculum requirements established by the Board.