Your students have worked hard to complete your program requirements and are now ready to take the exam. To become exam eligible with CDR, all graduates must be submitted by their program director into CDR’s REPS portal. Please review the below steps to ensure your graduates can be processed by CDR staff efficiently and may take the exam as soon as they are ready.

1. Log Into REPS
Log in to REPS at https://reps.cdrnet.org using your CDR ID as your username and the password assigned to you when you became a program director. If you forgot your password, please use the forgot password function or email cdrexams@eatright.org.

2. Add a New Class
On the Program Director’s Dashboard, select the option to Add New Class. You will be prompted to enter your class’ completion date (from your programs’ Verification Statement). Please note that only students who have completed your program on the same date may be entered together.

3. Add Candidates
On the Class Process page, add the names and emails of each student who completed your program on a given date. Once every student in the class has been added, check the box next to “Please click checkbox to send candidates email” and select Save & Send Email. Graduates are sent an email requesting they complete an online application.

4. Graduates Complete Demographics
Graduates will complete their portion of their REPS application, agree to the Code of Conduct, Non-Disclosure, and Candidate Code of Conduct. After the required information has been entered into the system, the student Demographic Info status on your Class Process screen will change to “Updated.” You will receive an email notifying you when each graduate has updated their information.

5. Entering Program Information and Documentation
Select Edit next to the student’s name to complete the education information portion of the Candidate Eligibility Application. The remaining items you are required to complete on their application are:

   a) Highest degree earned.
   b) Degree date (match degree conferral date on transcript).
   c) DPD program code and completion date (if required by your program type). Completion date in REPS must match the program completion date on the Verification Statement.
   d) Upload all required documents for each student (there will be a check list specific to your program type on the application page).

Press Save and Validate when each graduate’s application is complete.

6. Submit to CDR
After you have completed the remaining portion of each application, the status will change to Complete. Once all students in the class have a Status of Complete, you can submit the class to CDR using the Submit to CDR button. CDR reviews all applications within 48 hours. If your application is complete/correct you will receive an approval email from CDR. Graduates are then exam eligible and will receive an Authorization to Test email from Pearson VUE within 24 hours. This email will provide instructions on scheduling their exam.

7. Make any Corrections as Requested
If there is an error on an application submitted to CDR, you will receive an email asking you to make necessary corrections. These will be outlined within each candidate’s application.

Important Reminders
- The name you enter into REPS for a graduate MUST match their government-issued ID exactly or they will not be allowed to test. Please stress to your graduates the importance of reviewing their names in REPS and informing you of any issues.
- There are two dates on every Verification Statement (the program completion date and the signature date). The date you enter into REPS is always the program completion date.
- The most current program director forms are in the forms tab of REPS.

Resources: https://www.cdrnet.org/ProgramDirectors
- Program Director Guide
- REPS FAQ

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