IBHRE Exam Developer Honorarium Policy

Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to define the manner in which members who participate in exam development activities may be compensated for their contributions to IBHRE.

Policy

The International Board of Heart Rhythm Examiners (IBHRE) may, at the discretion of the Board of Directors, approve a budget for honoraria to be dispensed to IBHRE test writing committee physician and allied professional members on an annual basis. Based on the financial sustainability of the organization, a budget for honoraria shall be set by the Board at the beginning of each fiscal year.

Honoraria shall be dispensed to active committee members according to the extent of their participation. The Board shall approve a schedule of payments which will assign the amount of honoraria given for each activity. Honoraria will be given to active exam developers at the end of each fiscal year. Honoraria may only be granted when included in the approved budget as determined by the Board of Directors from time to time.

Honoraria shall be granted per participation in the following test development and scoring activities. Participation in the following activities shall be eligible for honoraria.

- Item writing ($250)
- Item review ($500 per day for face-to-face meeting; $250 for remote review)
- Form review ($500 per day for face-to-face meeting; $250 for remote review)
- Key validation ($250)
- Standard setting ($250)
- Standard setting exercise ($500 per day for face-to-face meeting; $250 for remote activity)
- Pool review ($500 per day for face-to-face meeting; $250 for remote activity)

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