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ANATP/BNATP Monthly Update February 2022

- 1. Please note that there was not an update for January 2022.
- 2. Instructors who do not take a Train the Trainer course will not be issued an instructor code independent of a BNATP. The program coordinator must apply for instructor approval for all instructors who will teach based on education rather than completion of a Train the Trainer program.
- 3. If you are approved for hybrid instruction and are utilizing an online platform that you did not create, you must state what platform you are using in the notes section of the master schedule.
- 4. The master schedule for 2022-2023 has been redesigned slightly. The same requirements for submission and format are still in effect. It will be available on the nursealdetesting.com website soon.
- 5. All programs are due for renewal every two years. You must request reapproval via email. It is not automatic. Vocational programs are also renewed by IDPH every two years but must also send the annual IBHE approvals to request reapproval. *Many programs are failing to do this. Any programs that have not requested reapproval in a timely manner will be deactivated.*
- 6. The requirement for master schedules to be sent in the original .pdf format has been in place for three years now. I still receive schedules in the wrong format. In the future, if schedules are sent in the wrong format, they will be rejected, and **your class start time will be delayed**. *Please read the master schedule instructions step by step! I still keep getting responses that they are following the instructions only to find out that they have used Chrome or other software to complete the schedules. Do not use any software other than Adobe (which is free). If you do not have Adobe Reader (Adobe Acrobat Reader DC is the full name of the software), download it now. If you cannot download software to your computer, inform your IT department that you must have it. IMPORTANT NOTE: There are three other software programs that Adobe will attempt to install on your computer. You must uncheck these in order to prevent their installation. One of these is the Acrobat Reader extension for the Chrome browser. DO NOT DOWNLOAD OR USE THIS EXTENSION! Below is a screen shot of the first download page at get.adobe.com/reader.*



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As always, do not hesitate to call or email with questions.

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