

Hawai'i Educator Preparation Program Updates November 2023

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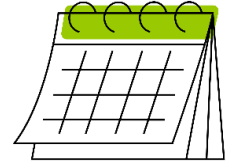
On October 27, the Hawai'i Teacher Standards Board approved the following New Business Items (NBI).

- [NBI 23-12](#) License Affirmation
- [NBI 21-02 Revised](#) Valid Government Issued Photo Identification
- [NBI 12-27 Revised](#) Student Teaching Policy for HTSB Approved Educator Preparation Programs
- [NBI 23-16](#) Adoption of the Council for Exceptional Children's Early Interventionist/Early Childhood Special Education Standards

- Please communicate with your teacher candidates to use a **personal** email address not linked to a college/school and upload a **valid government-issued photo** identification when submitting their application. The HTSB will not proceed with reviewing their application without these items.
- All teacher candidates need a Student Teaching Permit or an Emergency Hire Permit before their clinical practicum/student teaching semester.
- Use the [HTSB Public License Search](#) to verify the permits or licenses for your teacher candidates. You can also check on the licensure fields of mentor/cooperating teachers.



Upcoming HTSB Events



- Congratulations to the **45 teacher candidates** who obtained a Student Teaching Permit.
- Licensing Specialist RJ Rodriguez for his time at the HTSB. RJ accepted a position with the Hawai'i Department of Education.
- UHM Library Information Science and Chaminade University for hosting their approved accreditors and the HTSB during their campus site visit. All EPPs for participating in the HTSB Annual Meeting and submitting the Annual Report.
- Participants who attended the EPP Consortium on Hawaiian Language, History, and Culture at the Bishop Museum.
- EPPs who participated in the Dive into Education event with the Leeward High School Teacher Academies and to UHWO for being the host

- Model Code of Ethics: Online Resources for EPPs
 - Nov 14 & 28, 9:00 – 10:00 a.m.
 - [RSVP Here](#)
- [HTSB Board Meetings](#)
 - December 1, 2023
 - January 12, 2024
 - February 9, 2024
 - March 15, 2024
 - April 26, 2024

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