

CERTIFICATION & RENEWAL DISHONESTY SANCTIONS



- The EMS Commission and IDHS do not accept “accidental” renewals where someone claims they did not mean to renew online. There are three verifications to successfully renew online so renewal is always an intentional act.
- The sanctions can be issued for either certifications dishonesty discovered during an audit or following an investigation.
- Any late submissions after the certification or licensure renewal date must pay the \$50.00 reapplication fee per EMS rules in addition to any sanctions listed here.

Renewed online but did not have signatures when it was submitted.

Private Reprimand

\$50.00 fine

Renewed online and less than 5 hours below minimum hours after an audit due to rejected listings.

Private Reprimand and must make up hours

\$100.00 fine

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Renewed online and greater than 5 hours below minimum hours after audit due to rejected as not in good faith or unreasonable subjects for EMS.

7-day suspension followed by 2-year probation period. Make up missing hours in 30 days and have manual renewal next cycle.

\$200.00 fine

Renewed online and did not have sufficient hours to meet the minimums (either submitted knowing this or just did not add up hours).

7-day suspension followed by 2-year probation period. Make up missing hours in 30 days and have manual renewal next cycle.

\$200.00 fine

Renewed online and audit reveals forged signatures, made-up education that did not occur, or grossly inaccurate hours listed or other forms of fraud.

Suspension up to 30-days followed by 2-year probation period. Must make up missing hours in 30 days and have manual renewal next cycle.

\$500.00 fine