* A **New Licensee Requiring CE** is an individual that is issued any of the following licenses:
Life, Variable Life & Variable Annuity, Accident & Health/Sickness, Property, Casualty, Personal Lines or Adjuster.

Example: 1) An individual that was issued a Life license, effective January 1, 2022, **is** a New Licensee Requiring CE.

2) An individual that was issued a Credit license, effective January 1, 2022, **is not** a New Licensee Requiring CE.

Pursuant to N.C.G.S. 58-33-130(d), **Biennial** (every two years) continuing education (CE) requirements shall be **24 credit hours.** The Commissioner may by rule establish a staggered system in which the credit hour **compliance period is based on the month and year of birth** of each individual licensee.

The licensee's birth year determines if an individual must meet CE on an even or odd year.

Example: 1) **2000** is considered an **EVEN** year.
2) **2001** is considered an **ODD** year.

The licensee's birth month determines the month continuing education is due.

Example: An individual **born in October** would need **24 hours** of CE completed by the **last day of October** in the compliance year.

Example: 1) An individual with a birth date of December 1, **2000, licensed in 2023,** is required to meet **24** hours of CE by December 31, **2026.**

2) An individual with a birth date of October 1, **2001, licensed in 2023,** is required to meet **24** hours of CE by October 31, **2025.**

The following chart shows the first deadline a New Licensee is required to meet CE for the first biennial compliance period

	Month of Birth																							
	Jan		Feb		Mar		Apr		May		Jun		Jul		Aug		Sept		Oct		Nov		Dec	
License Issue Year	odd	even	odd	even	odd	even	odd	even	odd	even	odd	even	odd	even	odd	even	odd	even	odd	even	odd	even	odd	even
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