Each on-line course listed on this page is approved by the Judicial Branch Certification Commission for continuing education for certified guardians. They are grouped by provider for convenience. A timeframe in which the on-line courses can be taken is provided.

Online Courses

Karywebucation, Inc.

Website: karywebucation.org

From this page, click the "Courses" tab. You will be prompted to submit an enrollment form, and will then receive a log-in code. A certificate of completion with the number of hours earned will be emailed to you upon completion of the course.

As of February 2015, two courses are approved, through 12/31/2015:

Social Security Explained, 2.0 hours, with no ethics and no legislative update.

The HIPAA Law and Medical Records, 2.0 hours, with no ethics and no legislative update.

• mmLearn.org Online Video Training

website: www.mmLearn.org

More information: info@mmlearn.org

mmLearn.org offers online video training on topics related to guardianship issues. For a list of mmLearn.org topics offered to certified guardians, please go to http://mmlearn.me.mmCEs. Each training prefaced listed for guardians is approved by the GCB for 1.0 hour of continuing education. 1.0 hour in ethics is approved for the training "Financial Abuse of the Elderly." To access the online video, click on "Learn More" in front of the course title. The provider requires payment of the fee and a completed feedback form to issue a certification of completion. All approved trainings may be used for guardianship continuing education through December 31, 2014.

Apollo Correspondence Courses/Professional Guardians Online Continuing Education Website: <u>www.professionalguardians.com</u>

Click on "Enroll" to see a list of courses and hours approved for each; all 6 courses listed are approved for guardianship continuing education. "Ethics and the Professional Guardian" is approved for 4.0 hours of ethics. Upon completion, you will take a test and will receive a certification of completion once you have passed the test. All courses are approved through 12/31/2014.

• Dynamic Learning Online

Website: <u>http://dynamicgrp.cm-hosting.com/catalog.php?category=41</u> This link will take you to the page E-Learning for the Health Care Professionals - Guardianship continuing education category. Follow the links below to go directly to each Board-approved course. No ethics or legislative update hours are approved for any Dynamic Learning Online course. All courses listed are approved through 12/31/2015.

The Effective Caregiver: Creating an Environment to Foster Independence [approved for 6.0 hours]

Guardianship of Elderly Wards: Understanding the Issues for Effective Caregiving [approved for 4.0 hours]

I.D.E.A.S., Inc. Home Modifications: **for People with Dementia** [approved for 2.0 hours]

Capacity Evaluation and the Appointment of a Guardian in the "Court of Last Resort" [approved for 2.0 hours]

I.D.E.A.S., Inc.: Home Modifications. This can be taken as a complete course, including the For People with Dementia section listed above, or in individual sections.

Complete Practitioners Program [approved for 9.0 hours] **for People Who Are at Risk for Falls** [approved for 2.0 hours] **for People with Motor Impairments** [approved for 2.5 hours] **for People with Sensory Impairments** [approved for 2.5 hours]

Sensory Processing Disorders: Their Effects on Learning, Behavior and Motor Control [approved for 13.0 hours]

Current Trends and Treatment in Dementia Management [approved for 10.0 hours]

Cardiovascular Disease and Mobility

[approved for 2.0 hours]

Healthy to the Bone: An Educational Took Kit

[approved for 2.0 hours]

Treatment Implications for Mid-Stage Dementia [approved for 3.0 hours]

[approved to: ere med.e]

Meal Time Matters [approved for 1.5 hours]

Boosting Your Disability I.Q.

Part 1 - Defining Disability [approved for 3.0 hours] Part 2 - Societal Attitudes Toward Disability and Their Impact [approved for 2.0 hours] Part 3 - The Disability Experience [approved for 3.0 hours] Part 4 - The Importance of Culture in Disability Services [approved for 2.0 hours]

Essentials for Communication in the LTC Environment [approved for 1.0 hour] **Essential Skills for Communication in Healthcare Environments** [approved for 2.0 hours] **Essential for End of Life Issues** [approved for 6.0 hours]

National Guardianship Association Website Training Modules Website: http://www.guardianship.org/training_modules.htm

The following online modules are currently approved for Texas guardianship certification. Certified and provisionally certified guardians can earn one hour of continuing education for each module successfully completed. Modules listed are subject to changes in offering and availability by the NGA. The NGA requires you to complete and submit a test, and obtain a passing score of 75 or higher, before it will issue a certificate of completion. A certification of completion is required to claim the continuing education for the Board's purposes. All courses listed are approved through 12/31/2015.

Due or Undue Influence: How Do You Draw the Line? [this module is approved for 1.0 hour in ethics]

A Protocol for Medical Decision Making

Investing Some Else's Money: The Prudent Investor Rule

The Use of Mediation in Adult Guardianship Cases

Sexuality and People with Mental Disabilities - The Issues, The Law and The Guardian

Assisted Living: What a Guardian Needs to Know

 University of Texas School of Law Continuing Education website: <u>http://utcle.org/ecourses</u> (then choose Guardianship and Elder Law)

The following online Guardianship and Elder Law courses are currently approved for Texas guardianship

certification continuing education. Hours approved for each course, with ethics and legislative update hours if any, are indicated below the course name. Verification of completion is required to claim continuing education for the Board's purposes.

Note:

Some courses may reference Guardianship Credit upon submission of an affidavit and a \$25 fee. This applies to individuals who are certified as Guardians Ad Litem, not to guardianship certification continuing education. Some courses may designate certain hours as "Guardianship" credit. Again, this refers to individuals who are certified as Guardians Ad Litem. Certified and provisionally certified guardians can earn continuing education hours as listed below for each course.

Available through 02/28/2015:

When Worlds Collide: Estate Planning and Special Needs Trusts

[approved for 1.0 hour, all in ethics]

Available through 08/31/2015:

2014 Guardianship Bundle for Attorneys at Litem

[approved for 3.50 hours, with 1.75 hours ethics and 1.0 hour legislative update]

Determination of Capacity; Creating a Guardianship; Top 10 Mistakes

[approved for 2.00 hours, with .75 hours ethics and 1.0 hour legislative update]

Elder Law and Medicaid: The View from HHSC; Dealing with Non-U.S. Applicants for Benefits

[approved for 1.0 hour, with no ethics and no legislative update]

Elder Law Primer: A Toolkit; Nursing Facility and Home Health Care Contracts [approved for 1.5 hours, with no ethics and no legislative update]

End of Life Issues, VA Benefits and Other Hot Topics in Estate Planning

[approved for 2.75 hours, with no ethics and no legislative update]

Available through 11/30/2015:

Medicare Basics and Levels of Care

[approved for 1.5 hours, with no ethics and no legislative update]