Registered Behavior Technician (RBT) Information

Training
• The training will cover all of the tasks and subtasks in the RBT Task List and the Professional and Ethical Compliance Code for Behavior Analysts that have been designated as being relevant for behavior technicians.
• The cumulative duration of training will be 40-hours.
• Successful completion of all items on the Competency Assessment.
• The training must be completed within a 90-day period.

Exam Content and Structure
• The Registered Behavior Technician examination is comprised of 75 multiple-choice questions. Each question has four possible answers. Examination content is based on the RBT Task List.
• In addition to the 75 graded questions, examinations typically include up to 10 ungraded pilot questions. Therefore, candidates sitting for the RBT examination will usually answer 85 questions total.
• Candidates are given a total of one and a half hours (90 minutes) to complete the examination. This includes time spent reviewing and agreeing to the Examination Terms and Conditions, reading instructions, and any breaks taken during the examination.
• The examinations are administered using a computer-based testing (CBT) format by Pearson VUE, Inc. of Minneapolis, Minnesota. Pearson VUE’s website offers a tutorial to become familiar with the CBT format, as well as information about what to expect at a Pearson VUE testing center.
• BACB examinations are professionally developed to accepted examination standards and are based on the results of a formal Job Analysis and survey. The BACB follows nationally accepted standards for test development.

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RBT Application Steps and Required Documents

• Create an account through the BACB Gateway. This will require entering some basic information.
• Select the “RBT” tab and create an application.
• Upload required documents
  - Certificate of completion of the 40-hour RBT training;
  - Completed RBT Competency Assessment, and;
  - Copy of a transcript or diploma verifying at least completion of high school.
• Identify the Responsible Certificant. This individual must hold the BCBA, BCaBA, or FL-CBA credential or be a member of a professional group officially granted supervisory privileges by the BACB.

RBT Fees (BACB Fees are nonrefundable)

• Application: $50
• Exam Appointment (paid to Pearson VUE): $45
• Annual Renewal: $35
• Late Fee: $50
• Insufficient Funds/Returned Check: $45

Exam Retakes

• Applicants may retake the exam within one year of their initial approval and only after a score has been processed.
• No retake application is required. Email approval confirming the ability to retake will be sent approximately one week after a failed result is received from Pearson VUE.

Registry

• Newly approved RBTs will appear in the RBT Registry within one week of their application approval.
• Their name will appear along with the name of the Responsible Certificant (i.e., BCBA and/or BCaBA) serving as their designated Responsible Certificant. Please note that RBTs will not receive a certificate; the registry will be the only source of confirmation of their registration status.