

Therapeutic Recreation Associate/Texas Certified-TRA/TXC

Qualifying Components	Track 1	Track 2	Track 3	Track 4
Academic Education	Associate Degree with a major or emphasis in Therapeutic Recreation	Associate Degree or higher with a major in a related field	-	-
Experience	-	Not less than one (1) year full-time work experience (2000 hours) in therapeutic recreation	Not less than four (4) years full-time experience (8000) in therapeutic recreation	Not less than four (4) years full-time work experience (8000) in therapeutic recreation/activities setting AFTER acquiring CTRAC AD/TXC level
Continuing Education	-	-	-	-
Required Curriculum	A minimum of Six (6) semester units or twenty (20) quarter units of therapeutic recreation theory and practice content courses, completion of a minimum Three hundred and sixty (360+) Therapeutic Recreation Internship Hours	A minimum of Six (6) semester units or twenty (20) quarter units of therapeutic recreation theory and practice content courses, One of the courses must contain an Introduction to Therapeutic Recreation material. Each course must deal exclusively with therapeutic recreation content	Completion of one approved course in Introduction to Therapeutic Recreation and Therapeutic Recreation Program Design A minimum of fifteen (15) credit hours university coursework related to the CTRAC Body of Knowledge	Completion of one approved course in Introduction to Therapeutic Recreation Completion of one Therapeutic Recreation Program Design
State Exam	Required	Required	Required	Required