



ABPA Proctor Notice #08-02

Notice to all ABPA Proctors. The ABPA Certification Committee is responsible for all aspects of the ABPA Tester and Specialist Certification Programs. One critical aspect of both programs is to eliminate conflict of interest or perception of conflict of interest in the administration of examinations. With regards to the tester certification program, the committee has determined that a conflict of interest exists when an ABPA proctor as a result of an ABPA certification, receives compensation directly or indirectly from the training provider, instructor of record, their agents or applicants. To an outside observer it may appear that payment may influence the decisions or behavior of the Proctor.

The Certification Committee has determined that, while proctoring on behalf of ABPA, proctors should receive no fees other than those provide by ABPA according to the rules of the certification program. It is critical to the success and growth of the program that the integrity and reputation of our proctors remain above reproach.

We thank you all for your work and assistance in maintaining the requirements that keep ABPA a shining example to the Backflow Prevention and Cross-Connection Control world.