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I am in opposition to the Pennsylvania Board Proposal to Limit Online Continuing Education credits. I have used this method recently to obtain my necessary Continuing Education credits, and found the process very rewarding. As a business owner, husband, father, and coach, time is of a premium for me, my family, and my business. Not only do the online class offerings provide the necessary information for continuing education, but these classes present the information with a minimal impact on my family and business. I no longer have to limit my hours of operation, or close my practice down completely. I am able to obtain the education credits that I desire to keep me current with industry wide policies and practices. The educational component is vital to my continued success as a chiropractor and medical professional. Additionally, we are somewhat limited in Pittsburgh as to the number of seminars that are offered, and the variety offered, within the necessary time frame, and online courses eliminate that situation. Travelling for seminars in other cities comes with increased travel costs, and more time away from family and business. Online courses satisfy the educational component in our profession with minimal disruption.

Sincerely, Richard H. Robbins, D.C.