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Hello, my name is Benjamin Hamilton and I am a LMT in Pittsburgh. I don't think it is fair to raise the renewal fee by so much considering how much some LMTs get paid. You would be forcing many of us to have multiple jobs, either as a Therapist or doing something else. Some of us don't have that ability. We have to pay a good amount of money to get our continuing education every two years, liability insurance every year, CPR every two years, and our licensing fees. Many of us would completely burn ourselves out if we needed to work more hours to be able to keep up with bills and everyday life. It is also a large amount of money to have to pay right after the holidays.

Raising it wouldn't be that bad but by that amount is kind of unfair. I am pretty sure some of the licensing renewal fees for other professions in the state of PA aren't that high for jobs that get paid significantly more than LMTs do. Maybe you should raise it but only by \$50 or something instead of \$125.

Thank you,
Benjamin Hamilton

Sent from my iPhone

