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Q: Am I eligible to challenge the EPC exam?

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If you have a question, please email it to info@asep.org and we’ll reply right away and maybe put it in the Newsletter.

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What’s New This Year?

Happy New Year! We started 2016 with more people taking up the membership drive challenge. We’ve had a surge of memberships in the last month so thanks to everyone who’s shared ASEPs with a friend or colleague! Continue your efforts to educate and motivate others to join so we can grow into some new and exciting areas.

ASEP is working to identify opportunities and services that our members find beneficial and important. We’d like to hear from you. Please send your ideas to info@asep.org and we will work them into our strategic planning.

One of the initiatives we are currently looking into is to identify professional liability insurance providers who would like to work with ASEPs. If you would like to share your experience or recommendations with us, please email them to us.

We are also interested in feedback or other ideas from our membership. Of course ASEPs is dedicated to accrediting academic EP programs and credentialing individual EPs, so anything that you can contribute that will help us with those goals is welcomed!

Another group we’d like to hear from are the entrepreneur EP’s who have started their own businesses. If you’d like to contribute ideas or even articles in the PEPonline, or new JEMonline, please connect with us to learn more or submit your thoughts and ideas for future newsletters.

Do you know of any businesses that would like to advertise through ASEPs? If so, please send us their information so that we can reach out to them. If they offer a valuable service or product that EPs can use in their practice, we’d like to bring it all together!

In closing, send us your thoughts, questions, and experiences. Share ASEPs with your friends and colleagues. Most importantly, have a wonderful and prosperous 2016!

-Shane Paulson CEO, American Society of Exercise Physiologists

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CrossFit: Remember What You Have Learned; Apply What You Know

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ABSTRACT

Mullins NM. CrossFit: Remember What You Have Learned; Apply What You Know. JEPonline 2015;18(6):32-44. The purpose of this article is to present important considerations regarding participation in CrossFit programming. CrossFit has motivated many people to incorporate regular exercise into their lifestyles, and to achieve real changes in physical fitness. However, some CrossFit customs impose very high risk-benefit training and conflict with standards of professional fitness practice. The objectives are to educate and minimize risk, not to criticize.

What is the Minimum Volume of Aerobic Physical Exercise Necessary to Elicit Postexercise Hypotension?

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ABSTRACT

Barreto CB, Aguiar SS, Palmeira R, Coelho Junior HJ, Gargaglione EML, Oliveira JF, Pires FO, Asano RY. What is the Minimum Volume of Aerobic Physical Exercise Necessary to Elicit Postexercise Hypotension? JEPonline 2015;18(6):1-12. Benefits from physical exercise are not restricted to a chronic stimulus. They can also be observed after a single session of exercise (such as the phenomenon called postexercise hypotension, PEH). While moderate aerobic exercise is known to cause PEH, the minimum exercise volume to elicit this phenomenon is not well elucidated. Twenty-two normotensive sedentary healthy adults were allocated to two groups: the Control Group (CG, n = 9) and the Exercise Group (EG, n = 13). The EG was randomly assigned to three aerobic exercise protocols with different volumes (10 min [S10], 20 min [S20], and 30 min [S30]) at 60% of heart rate reserve. Before and during the 30 min after the exercise bout, blood pressure was recorded. Results showed that moderate aerobic exercise sessions lasting 20 and 30 min significantly decreased the systolic blood pressure throughout the period after the exercise bout (S20: P<0.0001, ES15′ = 1.3, ES30′ = 1.6; S30: P<0.0001, ES15′ = 1.1, ES30′ = 1.4). Hence, the minimum exercise time to observe PEH after engaging in moderate aerobic exercise is 20 min.
EPC REGISTRY

The American Society of Exercise Physiologists endorses those individuals who have successfully challenged the EPC Board Certification Exam and maintain a current paid member status with the organization.

Even though ASEP had previously listed all EPC individuals on the public website, a growing number of inquiries from employers and credentialing reviewers require us to have up-to-date information on our endorsed EPCs. For this reason, ASEP now requires individuals sustain their membership with ASEP to be listed on the EPC Registry and be endorsed by ASEP.

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