



ASET Cross Training Position Statement

The American Society of Electroneurodiagnostic Technologists recognizes that an institution may not have sufficient demand to employ a discipline specific electroneurodiagnostic technologist on staff. Therefore, ASET supports the concept of the multi-competent and cross-trained individual only when the following criteria are met.

The individual providing the electroneurodiagnostic services must:

- 1) have more than one year of electroneurodiagnostic education and a minimum of one year of END clinical experience to render testing without the direct supervision of a senior END technologist to comply with the "Minimum Educational Requirements for Performing END Procedures", as published by ASET; and
- 2) meet ASET's published competencies for the procedure being performed (available through www.ASET.org under "Best Practices"), as determined by the interpreting END physician; and
- 3) must maintain skill level based on appropriate regulatory and annual requirements by the employing facility.

ASET position statements reflect best practices for the profession, with ASET encouraging and promoting adoption of these within hospital laboratories, but they are not legal or regulatory requirements.