

# MAINTENANCE OF CERTIFICATION

Navigating the Center for Experiential Learning's

MOC Requirements and Resources

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## INTRODUCTION

Did you know that many activities which already meet the requirements for CME and provide individualized assessment and feedback to learners may also be eligible for Maintenance of Certification (MOC) credit?

### What is MOC Credit?

MOC credit is required for board-certified physicians in order to maintain one's certification in specific medical specialty boards (e.g. Internal Medicine, Pediatrics, Surgery, Anesthesiology, etc.)

### The Benefits

Integrating MOC credits into your accredited CME activities offers several benefits such as:

- Enhanced learner participation
- Enhanced learner engagement
- Reduces the burden for physicians by allowing them to earn both CME and MOC for the same activity

## 8 PARTICIPATING BOARDS

- American Board of Anesthesiology (ABA)
- American Board of Internal Medicine (ABIM)
- American Board of Orthopedic Surgery (ABOS)
- American Board of Otolaryngology–Head and Neck Surgery (ABOHNS)
- American Board of Pathology (ABPath)
- American Board of Pediatrics (ABP)
- American Board of Surgery (ABS)
- American Board of Thoracic Surgery (ABTS)



## DETERMINING ELIGIBILITY

**Your activity may be eligible for MOC credit if you answered YES to all of the following questions:**

1. Is your activity approved for *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*?
2. Are your learners board-certified physicians?  
(See participating boards below)
3. Does your activity currently offer or plan to offer individualized evaluation and feedback?

## NEXT STEPS

Once you've determined that your program is eligible, integrating MOC credits into your existing CME program can be completed in a few simple steps:

1. Review the ACCME's comprehensive CME for MOC resources on [ACCME's website](#).
2. Review the CEL's MOC guidelines and customized checklists for the specific collaborating boards on [CEL's website](#).
3. Determine the best evaluation and feedback tools and methods for your CME program.
4. Contact the certification office to discuss.

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