

Certification: Certified Medical Director Program

CME Definitions

Clinical CME: Clinical credit hours are AMA PRA category 1 Credits™, AAFP-approved, or AOA-approved credits on topics such as: diabetes, stroke, pressure ulcers, falls, hypertension, dementia, or other clinical issues seen in the long-term care patient population.

*For initial certification, clinical CME requirements are **in addition to any CME earned from the Core Curriculum**, which is **step 1** of the CMD application process.*

Management CME: Management topics relate to the management and leadership responsibilities in the post-acute and long-term care settings.

Management credits can come from such topics as: billing and coding, communications with patients and staff, ethics, risk management, QI, leadership, cultural diversity, regulations, or other topics that pertain to the management responsibilities of the post-acute and long-term care Medical Director.

*For initial certification, management CME requirements are **in addition to CME earned from the Core Curriculum***

Note: MOC reports **are not** acceptable as proof of CME earned.



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