

Keeping Up With Your Continuing Certification

2023 ASA Annual Meeting Mini-Theater Presentation



Our Mission

To advance the highest standards of the practice of anesthesiology



Our Vision

To be a highly effective and respected medical specialty certifying board that instills confidence and trust



Our Director Values





Listen and Engage



Lead the Way to Elevate Standards

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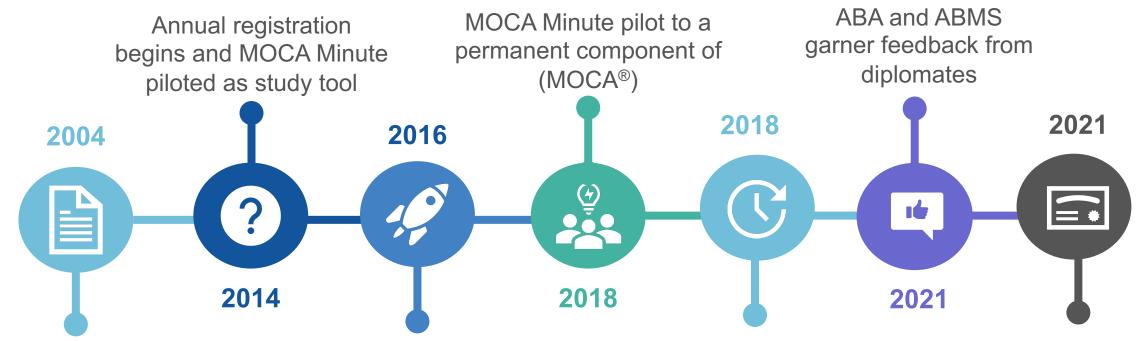


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Thank You, Board-Certified Anesthesiologists

ABA's Commitment to Continuing Certification

Evolution of Our Standards



Recertification program to Maintenance of Certification (MOC)

MOCA 2.0 launched with MOCA Minute

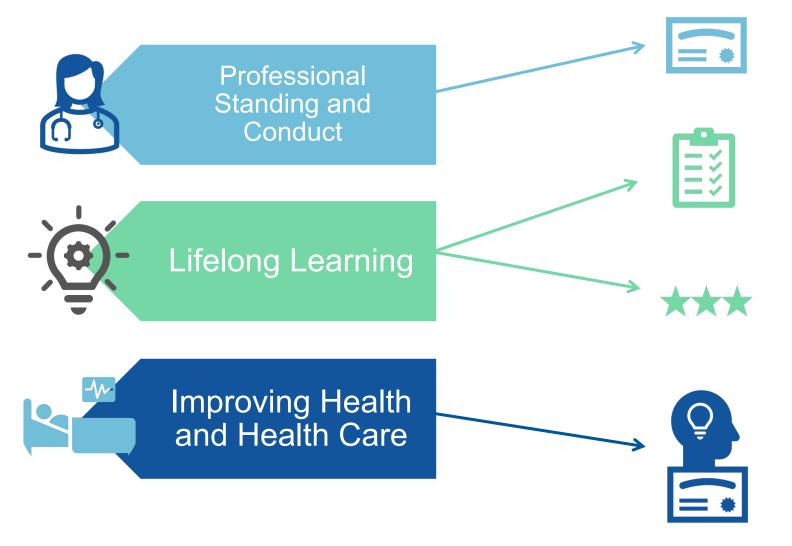
ABMS Vision for the Future Commission



ABMS announces new Standards for Continuing Certification



ABMS Continuing Certification Themes



ABA MOCA 10-Year Requirements

Medical License

Maintain an active, unrestricted medical licensure

MOCA Minute

Answer 120 questions each year; meet the performance standard

CME

Earn 250 Category 1 CME credits every ten years (20 Patient Safety)

Quality Improvement

Earn and attest to 50 QI points every ten years

10-to-Five-Year Certification Cycle

- ABMS determined current 10-year cycle is too long to keep up with the rate of medical practice guidelines and technical advancement
- ABA transitioning from a 10-to-five-year continuing certification cycle Jan. 1, 2024
- These standards simplify and streamline our current process while maintaining the value of our MOCA program — currently have requirements to meet every five years
- No change to continuing certification costs as a result of this transition



You will enter the new five-year certification cycle once your current certification ends



Designed based on independent Vision Commission recommendations that included physician and public feedback

Support of quality and practice innovation in continuing education

New ABMS Standards for Continuing Certification

	10-YEAR CYCLE	5-YEAR CYCLE	
Medical License	Maintain an active, unrestricted medical license annually medical license annually		
CME Credits	Earn 250 CME credits	50 CME credits Earn 125 CME credits	
QI Points	Earn & attest to 50 QI points	Earn & attest to 25 QI points	
MOCA Minute	Answer 120 MOCA Minute questions annually and/or maintain a MDT p-value of ≥ 0.10	Answer 120 MOCA Minute questions annually and/or maintain a MDT p-value of ≥ 0.10	

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Lifelong Learning - MOCA Minute & CME

CME Credits for MOCA Minute

- Earn CME credits for completing your quarterly MOCA Minute questions (up to 10 credits per year)
 - Answer all 30 MOCA Minute questions each quarter
 - Earn 2.5 credits per quarter



Reporting CME Activities

- Attest to 250 Category 1 CME activities by Year 10 of your MOCA cycle
- 20 of your credits must be patient safety credits
- All ASA-related CME activities are reported through ASA;
 no action is needed on your part



Quality Improvement

- List of Quality Improvement (QI) activities generated based on physician feedback about activities they were already doing in their practice
- QI activities are subject to audit
- Attest to QI activities in ABA GO

We Heard Your Feedback

25 total QI Points every five years 1 Point = 1 Hour*

*3 points for MOCA simulation

Examples of acceptable QI projects:

- Case Evaluations
- Morbidity & Mortality Conferences
- Case Discussions
- Point-of-Care Learning Projects
- Clinical Pathway Development Plans
- Institutional/Depart mental Quality Improvement Projects

ABA GO Resources

Knowledge Assessment Report

- Identify areas for opportunity related to your MOCA Minute performance
 - In-depth answer explanations with links to references and critiques
 - Relevant CME activities to enhance foundational knowledge
 - Review peer-to-peer response comparison
 - Access year-over-year MOCA Minute performance
 - Analyze up to 120 of your most recently incorrectly answered questions

CME Explorer

- Powerful Online CME Catalog of Information
- Quickly and seamlessly find Category 1
 CME activities that relate to knowledge
 gaps and count for MOCA credit in ABA GO





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Example 1 Example 1 Example 2 Exam

This report provides details about the questions you answered incorrectly and CMEs related to the question topics.

Please Select Year View Performance for: 2023 → Fundamental Topics In Anesthesiology # Incorrect: 1 Pharmacology # Incorrect: 4 **KEY POINT** Following succinylcholine administration, the combination of masseter muscle spasm and rigidity of other muscle groups suggests malignant hyperthermia, necessitating emergent intervention. **KEY POINT** PEER PERFORMANCE Prolonged nitrous oxide exposure should be avoided in 37% patients with potential B12 deficiency. **RESOURCES** Related CME Activities PEER PERFORMANCE **View Question Details** 86% **RESOURCES View Question Details** Related CME Activities

not financially benefit from diplomate participation in CME.



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Search for CMEs

CME Activity Type

Content Outline Topic Search

Select a Topic from the Dropdown

OVERVIEW OF ANESTHESIOLOGY TOPICS

Select a Section from the Dropdown

Review of Current Topics in Anesthesiology

Select a Sub-Section from the Dropdown

All Review of Current Topics in Anesthesiology

Select Optional Keywords

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Other

ANESTHESIOLOGY® 2022 - Virtual Experience

Activity Type: Patient Safety

Activity Format: Enduring Material Provider Name: The American Society of Anesthesiologists Expiration Date: 10/13/2023 Typical Learning Time: 43 hrs 30 min CME Credits: 43.50 Fee: Yes

ACE 2022 - Issue 19B Electronic

Activity Type: Patient Safety

Activity Format: Enduring Material Provider Name: The American Society of Anesthesiologists Expiration Date: 10/31/2023 Typical Learning Time: 30 hrs 0 min CME Credits: 30.00 Fee: Yes

ACE 2022 - Issue 19B Booklet

Activity Type: Patient Safety

Activity Format: Enduring Material Provider Name: The American Society of Anesthesiologists Expiration Date: 10/31/2023 Typical Learning Time: 30 hrs 0 min CME Credits: 30.00 Fee: Yes

#97470: Human Trafficking and Exploitation: The Texas Requirement

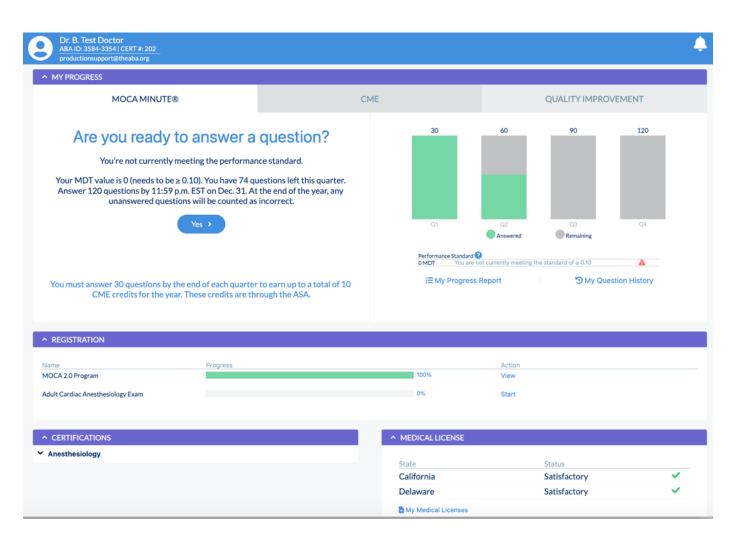
Activity Format: Enduring Material Provider Name: NetCE

Expiration Date: 10/31/2023 Typical Learning Time: 5 hrs 0 min CME Credits: 5.00 Fee: Yes

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ABA GO & Progress Reports

- On-demand, real-time overview of your certification status and progress toward MOCA requirements
- Verify and report CME and QI activities, answer MOCA Minute questions and update medical license status
- We heard you! Enhanced progress reports will be available in 2024
 - Progress reports for each subspecialty



Questions?



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