

EMCC Requirements: 2004-2010 versus New Requirements

EMCC: 2004 – 2010	EMCC: 2011 →
Renew certification by passing the ConCert examination.	Renew certification by meeting all EMCC requirements (including APP) by your certificate's expiration date (applies to certificates that expire in 2013 and after).
Not completing your APP requirement changed your status to "clinically inactive."	
Pass eight LLSA tests per ten-year certification.	Pass four LLSA tests in years 1-5 of your certification and four LLSA tests in years 6-10 of your certification. (Applies to certificates that expire in 2017 and after).
Only allowed to take available LLSA tests dated <i>after</i> the year in which certification is earned or renewed.	Allowed to take any available LLSA test.
	NEW! CME credit is available for successfully completing LLSA preparation activities starting with the 2011 LLSA test.
	NEW! Beginning in 2012, some physicians, starting with those whose certificates expire in 2014, will begin reporting CME. Physicians will have to report 25 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™ per year, averaged over each five-year period.
Clinically inactive diplomates do not have Assessment of Practice Performance requirements.	No change.
Complete one Practice Improvement (PI) activity in years 1-4 of your certification and complete one PI activity in years 5-8 of your certification.	Complete one Practice Improvement (PI) activity in years 1-5 of your certification and one PI activity in years 6-10 of your certification.
Complete one Communication/Professionalism (CP) activity in years 1-8 of your certification.	Complete one Communications/Professionalism (CP) activity in years 1-5 of your certification and one CP activity in years 6-10 of your certification (requirement phased in with certificates that expire 2015 and after).
Complete all required LLSA tests before registering for ConCert examination.	ConCert and LLSA are independent of each other; no requirement to complete LLSAs before registering for ConCert (applies to certificates expiring in 2013 and after).
Pass ConCert examination by end of ten-year certification.	Pass ConCert examination at least every ten years.
Maintain medical licensure in compliance with ABEM Policy on Medical Licensure.	No change.