

National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians® <small>THE NATION'S EMS CERTIFICATION™</small>	<h1>Recertification Credits for Recent Completion of IBSC Examinations</h1>		
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Scope

This supplement describes recertification credit for Recent Completion of International Board of Specialty Certifications (IBSC) for Certified Flight Paramedic (FP-C), Certified Community Paramedic (CP-C), Certified Critical Care Paramedic (CCP-C), and Certified Tactical Paramedic (TP-C) examinations.

Description

The National Registry will award recertification credit for successful completion of IBSC examinations for Certified Flight Paramedic (FP-C), Certified Community Paramedic (CP-C), Certified Critical Care Paramedic (CCP-C), and Certified Tactical Paramedic (TP-C). The Recertification Credits awarded may be claimed towards the current recertification cycle in which the examination was successfully completed. Distributive Education limits do not apply to Recertification Credits for Completion of IBSC examinations.

Up to 30 credits may be applied for successful completion of a covered IBSC examination. Recertification Credits from the successfully completed examination is limited to application in the Local and Individual Components.

Credits applied for recertification are equivalent of one CEU per credit.

Participants entering these credits on the recertification application should identify the examination taken and attach a copy of the score report showing successful completion and the date of examination in the National Registry recertification application.

Rationale

IBSC certifications are accredited by the National Commission for Certifying Agencies (NCCA), verifying that certification industry standards are applied to the development, administration, and evaluation of examinations. IBSC examinations provide verification of competency in specialty areas of emergency medical services, within the larger domain of EMS competency.

Related Policies and Procedures

Alternative Recertification Credits for National Certification

References

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