CME Requirements At-A-Glance

Renewal Cycle:

Biennial – Licenses expire December 31 of even-numbered years

State-Mandated CME Requirements:

- 50 (25 CME hours each year of the renewal cycle)
- 2 hours of CME in Opioids, Pain Management, and Addiction

State-Mandated CME Content Detail

Licensees are required to earn 50 Category 1 CME every two-year renewal cycle.

For license renewals (unless you do not hold a valid DEA registration), at least two of the total hours of CME that are required to qualify for renewal must be specific to pain management and opioid use and addiction. Courses must be category 1 of AMA-approved education, or Category 1 or 2 of AOA-approved education.

To fully document compliance with the opioid education requirement, the title/description of the program on your Certificate of Completion should specifically reference all three areas of the required subject matter: pain management, opioid use, addiction.

Accepted CME

State Statutes and Codes

Alaska Medical Statutes and Regulations
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