

MyCME

AMERICAN BOARD OF ORTHOPAEDIC SURGERY MANDATED CME CONTENT REQUIREMENTS

CME Requirements At-A-Glance

Renewal Cycle:

Ten-year CME cycle broken into three-year increments

Minimum CMEs:

- [240 Orthopaedic-related Category 1 CME every 10-year MOC Cycle](#)
- [120 Orthopaedic-related Category 1 CME during the first three years of MOC Cycle](#)
- [20 of the required 120 CME credits must qualify as Self-Assessment credits](#)
- [An additional 120 Orthopaedic-related Category 1 CME must be completed at the time of registration for recertification \(MOC year 7, 8, or 9\)](#)
- [20 of the required 120 CME credits must qualify as Self-Assessment credits](#)

CME Requirements Detail

Evidence of Life-Long Learning and Self-Assessment is addressed through 240 credits of Category 1 Continuing Medical Education (CME) that include a minimum of 40 CME credits of Self-Assessment Examinations (SAE). By the end of the third year of their 10-year MOC cycle, Diplomates need to earn at least 120 CME credits that include a minimum of 20 CME credits of SAE.

MOC/CC Program Link

[American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery MOC Rules and Procedures](#)

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