



ABP-CERTIFIED PEDIATRICIAN

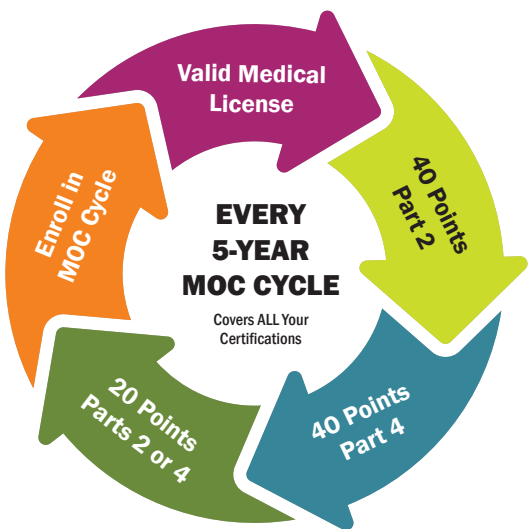
What Does MOC Mean for Me?

Maintenance of Certification (MOC) assures the public (parents, patients, hospitals, payers) that you continue to meet the same high standards through which you earned your certificate.

What are the Requirements to Remain Certified?

- Maintain an unrestricted medical license (Part 1)
- Earn 100 total MOC points in Self-Assessment (Part 2) and Quality Improvement (Part 4) activities in each five-year MOC cycle
- Pass a MOCA-Peds assessment or proctored exam in each five-year MOC cycle (dates vary during our transition period)
- Complete MOC enrollment in the final year of each MOC cycle
- Pay MOC fees for each certification you wish to maintain. Fees can be paid in full during MOC enrollment or can be paid in five annual installments.

To search for MOC activities and to track your progress, please check the MOC Dashboard of your ABP Portfolio (www.abp.org).



Pass General Peds Exam or MOCA-Peds Every 5 Years

Pay MOC Fee

General Pediatrics **CERTIFIED**



Pass Subspecialty Exam or MOCA-Peds Every 5 Years

Pay MOC Fee

Subspecialty **CERTIFIED**



What Qualifies for Part 2 Credit?

- ✓ ABP-developed activities (cost included in your MOC enrollment fee)
 - General Pediatrics Comprehensive Knowledge Self-Assessment (known as the practice exam)
 - Decision Skills Self-Assessment
 - Pediatric Subspecialty and other topic self-assessments
 - Question of the Week
- ✓ ABP-approved Part 2 activities through organizations such as the AAP
- ✓ Many other CME activities that also meet ABP requirements (www.cmefinder.org/ActivitySearchResults/ABP)

What Qualifies for Part 4 Credit?

- ✓ QI projects with 1-10 pediatricians that you completed at your institution and then were reviewed by the ABP for Part 4 MOC points (apply online; requires a review fee)
- ✓ MOC Part 4 credit for NCQA PCMH or PCSP recognition (apply online)
- ✓ ABP-approved institutional QI projects
- ✓ ABP-developed Performance Improvement Modules (PIMs) (cost included with your MOC enrollment fee)
- ✓ ABP-approved Part 4 online modules such as EQIPP with the AAP

Did You Know?

- ✓ Do you need a letter of good standing? You can access one at any time from your ABP Portfolio.
- ✓ Completing MOC with another ABMS board or in Canada may qualify you for reciprocal MOC credit for Part 2 and Part 4.
- ✓ Regardless of how many certifications you maintain, you need only 100 points within each five-year cycle.
- ✓ MOC Part 3, which previously required you to pass a proctored exam at a secure testing center, can also now be fulfilled through MOCA-Peds, an online non-proctored assessment platform.
- ✓ Your MOC Part 3 requirement has now been aligned with your MOC cycle. Your ABP Portfolio now reflects this change.
- ✓ You may choose to pay your MOC enrollment fee in annual payments or continue to pay the full fee once every five years.
- ✓ Each time you re-enroll into a new five-year MOC cycle, your point requirements are reset. There are no “rollovers.”
- ✓ Missing the deadline for ANY of your MOC points cycle requirements means you will no longer be certified in ANY area where you do not have a permanent certification. To regain certification, you can re-enroll and complete any missing MOC cycle requirements.
- ✓ Not passing your secure MOC Part 3 requirement by the exam or assessment deadline means that you are no longer certified in that area, unless you have a permanent certification in that area. To regain certification, you will have to pass your MOC examination.



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