

# EARNING CME CREDITS AT MEDMASTERY

## A step-by-step Guide

*So you're a clinician who needs to fulfill CME (or equivalent) requirements? Well, consider that problem solved.*

*With the Medmastery Pro Membership you can now become a great clinician AND accomplish your CME requirements conveniently from your living room.*

***Here's how...***



Become a great clinician by learning important skills you can use today!

[www.medmastery.com](http://www.medmastery.com)

## LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR CME CREDITS...

- Medmastery has entered into a joint providership with CME Consultants, who is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.
- All our activities have been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME).
- Medmastery is also accredited by the European Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (EACCME), who has mutual recognition agreements with over 20 European countries.
- Clinicians can earn *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™* and European CME credits (ECMECs) when completing our courses and workshops.
- CME certificates can be viewed and downloaded conveniently at any time 24/7 as long as you have a Pro Membership.



## HOW TO EARN AND CLAIM YOUR CME CREDITS ON MEDMASTERY...

- In order to claim CME credits, you need an active Medmastery Pro Membership (Don't have a Pro Membership yet? Click [here](#) for more information).
- Login to your account, go to the course library and select the course or workshop you want to earn CME credits for.
- Successful completion requires a passing score of at least 70%.
- Please submit the post-evaluation form after completion of a course or workshop. The post-evaluation form is a requirement of the ACCME (Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education) and EACCME (European Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education), and helps them to evaluate the effectiveness in meeting identified educational goals.
- Once you've completed the above steps, your CME certificate will be ready for download on the course page.

# TRANSFERRING CME CREDITS TO YOUR COUNTRY...

*Here's how you can transfer the credits earned on Medmastery to various other countries<sup>1</sup>...*



<sup>1</sup> We regularly collect information about how to transfer *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™* and European CME credits (ECMECs) to other countries. The information presented in this document was retrieved from the websites of various national accrediting bodies. Medmastery does not guarantee that your national accrediting body will transfer the credits as described. Should you be aware of any changes to the procedures described below, please email us at [support@medmastery.com](mailto:support@medmastery.com)

## EUROPEAN COUNTRIES WITH MUTUAL RECOGNITION AGREEMENTS WITH EACCME:

The following countries have signed mutual recognition agreements with EACCME and will accept Medmastery's European CME credits:

- Austria
- Belgium
- Croatia
- Cyprus
- Finland
- Georgia
- Greece
- Hungary
- Ireland
- Regione
- Lombardia
- Luxembourg
- Malta
- Norway
- Poland
- Romania
- Slovakia
- Slovenia
- Spain
- Sweden
- Turkey
- United Kingdom  
*(Royal College of Physicians only)*

Upon successful completion of your Medmastery course, please submit your Medmastery certificate to your national or local medical association.

# EUROPEAN COUNTRIES WITHOUT MUTUAL RECOGNITION AGREEMENTS WITH EACCME:

## GERMANY - *Tach auch!*



**Bundesärztekammer**

The German Medical Association (Bundesärztekammer) recognizes European CME credits. Physicians can submit their Medmastery course certificate to their state medical association (Landesärztekammer) in order to claim credits. In some states, physicians must submit their certificate to their district medical association (Bezirksärztekammer). Please find the contact information for the 17 state medical associations here: [www.bundesaerztekammer.de](http://www.bundesaerztekammer.de)



**Landesärztekammer  
Rheinland-Pfalz**

Physicians that are part of the Landesärztekammer Rheinland-Pfalz, must submit their Medmastery certificate to their district medical association (Bezirksärztekammer). Here is the contact information for for the 4 Rheinland-Pfalz district medical associations: [www.laek-rlp.de](http://www.laek-rlp.de)

## ITALY - *Ciao!*



**National Commission for  
Continuing Medical Education**

Medmastery is considered as a Foreign Provider. Italian physicians can earn up to 50% of their credits

needed over a three-year period from foreign providers. However, credits from foreign providers will only be recognized at 50% of the credit awarded and no more than 25 credits per course.

Health professionals registered to an order or members of a professional organization have to send a request to claim credits and all the relevant documents to their order/organization. Other professionals (not enrolled in any order or organization) have to send the same documentation to this email address:  
ecm.professionistisanitari@agenas.it

## THE NETHERLANDS - *Hoi!*



Nederlandse Internisten  
Vereniging (NIV)

The NIV recognizes European CME credits and doctors of internal medicine can use them for their Dutch registration. Please note that the course must be within the field of internal medicine.

In order to claim credits, NIV members have to send a request, fill out a form and enclose their Medmastery certificate to: [secr@niv.knmg.nl](mailto:secr@niv.knmg.nl)

## UNITED KINGDOM



Royal College of  
General Practitioners

The RCGP operates its own CPD accreditation scheme for activities relevant to the CPD of GPs and other Primary Care clinicians. There is currently no arrangement in place to convert activities accredited for CME in the US to be accredited for GPs in the UK.

## OTHER COUNTRIES:

### AUSTRALIA - G'day mate!



Royal Australasian College of Physicians (RACP)

The RACP MyCPD program is a self-directed and self-reporting tool enabling participants to record and report on CPD activities they judge relevant to the scope of their practice. RACP Fellows who complete a Medmastery course are eligible to claim one credit per *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™* toward Category 6 requirements of the RACP MyCPD Program.

You can find more information about the continuing professional development (CPD) program together with the login link and requirements on the following website: [www.racp.edu.au](http://www.racp.edu.au)

### CANADA - HELLO! - BONJOUR!



Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada (RCPSC)

A personal learning project (PLP) is a self-initiated learning activity that is stimulated by a question, issue, or dilemma in your professional practice. Medmastery courses can be considered a stimulus for a Personal Learning Project under Section 2 for two credits per hour and physicians can self-record their participation in their MAINPORT ePortfolio. Contact [cpd@royalcollege.ca](mailto:cpd@royalcollege.ca) if you have any questions or concerns. For more information: [www.royalcollege.ca](http://www.royalcollege.ca)



## HONG KONG - *Nei ho!*



The minimum CME/CPD requirement is 90 points in a three-year cycle. Self-study is accepted as a form of CME/CPD. One hour of self-study corresponds to one CME credit. However, self-study is only accredited with prior approval from the College concerned, and with the necessary evidence that it has been carried out diligently:

You can apply for CME points from the The Hong Kong Medical Association after completing an activity and getting your certificate. To retrieve CME points, please submit the following supportive documents to [cme@hkma.org](mailto:cme@hkma.org):

- Filled application form
- The module author's information
- The certificate awarded
- The module's learning outcomes

For more information, go to: [www.hkcp.org](http://www.hkcp.org)

## KUWAIT - *مالسلا مكيلي عو*



Kuwait Institute for Medical  
Specialization

The Kuwait Institute of Medical Specialization (KIMS) recognizes programs accredited by the ACCME. Practitioners are encouraged to use web-based learning for continuing education and continuing professional development. The maximum number of CME/CPD credits that may be claimed on accredited

CME/CPD activities undertaken through the Internet is limited to five credits within a 24-hour period. For more information, go to: [www.kims.org.kw](http://www.kims.org.kw)

## UNITED ARAB EMIRATES - مالدسلا مكيلعو



### Dubai Health Authority (DHA)

The Dubai Health Authority recognizes CME programs that are accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) as equivalent. Therefore, physicians can submit credits earned from Medmastery to fulfill DHA Continuing Education requirements. For more information, go to: [www.dha.gov.ae](http://www.dha.gov.ae)



### Health Authority - Abu Dhabi (HAAD)

The Health Authority Abu Dhabi recognizes CME programs that are accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) as equivalent. Therefore, physicians can submit credits earned from Medmastery to fulfill Category 1 HAAD Continuing Education requirements. For more information, go to: [www.haad.ae](http://www.haad.ae)

# CONVERT CME AMA CATEGORY 1 CREDITS™ TO OTHER TYPES OF CREDITS

## American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP)

Medmastery courses are considered as professional enrichment activities and thus, acceptable as AAFP Elective credits. The maximum credit allowance for professional enrichment activities is limited to 25 AAFP Elective credits per three-year re-election cycle. For more information, go to: [www.aafp.org](http://www.aafp.org)

## American College of Emergency Physicians (ACEP)

Active ACEP members must earn 150 hours of CME credits every three years. Of the 150 hours, 60 must be designated as ACEP Category I. Get more information here: [www.acep.org](http://www.acep.org)

## American Academy of Nurse Practitioners

American Academy of Nurse Practitioners (AANP) accepts CMEs from organizations accredited by the ACCME. When entering your Medmastery certificates into the log, you will be asked to enter the total number of contact hours for each course. One *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit*™ equals one contact hour. For more information, go to: [www.aanpcert.org](http://www.aanpcert.org)

## **American Nurses Credentialing Center**

The *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™* Medmastery provides can be used to fulfil Category 1 Continuing Education Hours requirements. For more information please visit: [www.nursecredentialing.org](http://www.nursecredentialing.org)

## **American Academy of Physician Assistants (AAPA)**

Medmastery courses, which are certified for *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*, are accepted by the American Academy of Physician Assistants (AAPA). Physician assistants are required to log at least 50 credits of Category 1 CME during each two-year logging cycle. For more information, go to: [www.nccpa.net](http://www.nccpa.net)