WHEN LIFELONG LEARNING MEETS ACCREDITED CME!
ACCME’s Goals

• Make it easy for accredited providers to offer a variety of MOC points/credits for existing and new activities
• Shared view of what counts
• Maximize flexibility and simplify by adopting trust-and-verify
• Centralized data management
• Recognize range of MOC expectations
  ➢ Lifelong learning and self-assessment
  ➢ Patient safety
  ➢ Practice improvement
A VISION FOR COLLABORATION

Opportunities for Boards

• Enhance the diversity and availability of educational activities
• Help diplomates find quality educational activities that meet their needs and address their gaps
• Manage learner completion data seamlessly for diplomates and the specialty boards
• Enhance the ability of specialty boards to identify
  ➢ competency gaps in their learners and
  ➢ needs for new activities to enhance the quality of practice
# History of Our Collaboration

## Milestones

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<td>September 2015</td>
<td>PARS open for registering activities for ABIM MOC</td>
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<td>December 2015</td>
<td>PARS learner reporting capability available</td>
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<td>August 2016</td>
<td>CME Finder launched; ABIM activities available for search in CME Finder</td>
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<td>November 2016</td>
<td>PARS open for registering activities for ABA &amp; ABP MOC; Learner reporting available in PARS for ABA MOCA</td>
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<td>Learner Reporting available in PARS for ABP MOC; Activities registered for ABA or ABP MOC appear in CME Finder</td>
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<td>April 2017</td>
<td>PARS open to register Practice Assessment (Part 4) ABIM MOC</td>
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<td>March 2018</td>
<td>PARS open for registering activities for ABPath MOC</td>
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<td>July 2018</td>
<td>Learner Reporting available in PARS for ABPath MOC; PARS open for registering activities for ABOHNS MOC; Activities for ABOHNS appear in CME Finder; Learner Reporting coming soon (Sept)</td>
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Data Management

• ACCME’s Program & Activity Reporting System (PARS)
  - Accredited providers already report activity data
  - Added new fields and functionality to attest board requirements have been met & register activities for MOC
  - Added functionality to report learner completion data
• ACCME makes data available to each Board
• CME Finder – learner/diplomate portal to find CME for MOC
Registering Activities for MOC in PARS
Learner Reporting

Enhancements…
- Restyled look
- Improved Search and Reporting Features
- ABPath Learner Reporting
- ABOHNS Activity Registration
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<th>Reporting Year</th>
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CME Finder – Physician Search Tool

- Search for activities that count for MOC
- Search by provider

Filter results by:
- Keyword
- Specialty
- Location
- Date

- Fee
- Activity Type
- Number of Credits
- Type of registration (i.e. limited vs open)
SUPPORTING COLLABORATION

Board Perspectives

Ann Harman
   American Board of Anesthesiology (ABA)
Natalie Trahey
   American Board of Internal Medicine (ABIM)
Ty McCarthy
   American Board of Pathology (ABPath)
Melissa Lamaffar
   American Board of Pediatrics (ABP)
Brian Nussenbaum
   American Board of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery (ABOHNS)
WWW.ACCME.ORG/CME-SUPPORT-MOC

Board Program Guides
CME for MOC Education

Registering CME Activities for MOC Points

Accredited providers can now register CME activities that relate to the scope of these boards for MOC points using ACCME’s Program and Activity Reporting System (PARS). This tutorial is designed to help accredited providers with the process of registering accredited CME activities for MOC points in PARS.

All CME providers accredited within the ACCME system already use PARS to enter data about each of their CME activities. CME providers can now also use PARS to register activities for MOC points by attesting to compliance with the requirements from the respective board(s). The following describes each step of registering an activity for MOC points.

STEP 1: UNDERSTAND THE PROGRAM EXPECTATIONS OF EACH OF THE PARTICIPATING BOARDS

Submitting Learner Data in PARS for MOC

This tutorial is designed to teach accredited CME providers how to upload participant information into ACCME’s Program and Activity Reporting System (PARS) for activities registered for Maintenance of Certification (MOC).

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Tutorial Menu
Your Next Steps?

For Boards:
- Contact the ACCME to start the conversation…
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For Providers:
- Review requirements @
  www.accme.org/cmeformoc
- Engage and plan
- Register activities in PARS
- Educate learners
- Assess change/value – innovate!
QUESTIONS?

Contact us info@accme.org and visit www.accme.org for resources!