

260.–465. Certification

(For Consecutive Recertification Periods)

The following certifications are approved by CDR for consecutive recertification periods (can be used to recertify in repeated recertification periods indefinitely). For approval, the program must be dietetics related, must require candidates to meet eligibility requirements and pass an examination to become certified initially, and must require certificants to pass an examination for recertification in order to remain certified. Refer to Appendix C, pages 13–16, for a list of approved certifications for consecutive recertification cycles and associated contact information.

Eligibility for CPE credit in a given cycle is based on date of notification of successfully meeting certification or recertification requirements. CPEUs can be awarded for qualifying certifications earned during the current 5-year recertification cycle and up to 6 months before your current recertification cycle. The date of completion of the certification can be either the date of notification of successful completion of the requirements for certification or the date of the examination required for certification. You must complete the certification examination before May 31 of the last year of the recertification cycle. Notification of successful completion of the certification should be received by May 31 of the last year of the recertification cycle, so that you can record the certification on your Step 2: Activity Log before you finish and submit your Activity Log on May 31 to CDR for review. However, if you receive notification of successful completion by June 30 of the last year of the recertification cycle, you can record the certification on your Activity Log and finish and submit your Activity Log no later than June 30 to CDR for review.

Completion of the certification provides 75 CPEUs.

Maximum CPEUs per 5 Years
No Maximum
Description for Activity Log
Certification Obtained, Provider, Date of Notification, CPEUs Requested
Audit Documentation to Retain
Copy of document verifying date of issue and duration of certification, Provider Contact Information

260:AADE — BCADM Board Certified Advanced Diabetes Management ¹	337:CDR — CSO Board Certification as a Specialist in Oncology Nutrition	420:IBLCE — IBCLC International Board Certified Lactation Consultant ^{1,2}
300:NBNSC — CNSC Certified Nutrition Support Clinician	340:CDR — CSP Board Certification as a Specialist in Pediatric Nutrition	460:NCBDE — CDE Certified Diabetes Educator ¹
330:CDR — AP Advanced Practice Certification in Clinical Nutrition	360:CDR — CSPCC Board Certification as a Specialist in Pediatric Critical Care Nutrition	462:CDECB Canadian Board Certified Diabetes Educator ¹
335:CDR — CSG Board Certification as a Specialist in Gerontological Nutrition	380:CDR — CSR Board Certification as a Specialist in Renal Nutrition	465:NCSF Certified Personal Trainer ¹
336:CDR — CSOWM Board Certification as a Specialist in Obesity and Weight Management	385:CDR — CSSD Board Certification as a Specialist in Sports Dietetics	

¹ For consecutive recertification periods only if recertification is by examination.

² Available to DTRs also.

480.–651. Certification (for Alternate Recertification Periods)

The following certifications are approved by CDR for alternate recertification periods (this is to say that they can only be used for all 75 CPEUs every other recertification period). This is because certificants are not required to pass an examination for recertification.

For approval, the program must be dietetics-related, must require that candidates meet eligibility requirements and pass an examination for initial certification.

The date of completion of the certification can be either the date of notification of successful completion of the requirements for certification or the date of the examination required for certification.

Refer to the Appendix for a list of approved certifications for alternate recertification periods and their contact information.

Completion of the certification provides 75 CPEUs.

Maximum CPEUs per 5 Years
No Maximum
Description for Activity Log
Certification Obtained, Provider, Date of Notification, CPEUs Requested
Audit Documentation to Retain
Copy of document verifying date of issue and duration of certification, Provider Contact Information

480: AADE Board Certified Advanced Diabetes Management	531: ACSM Health/Fitness Director	625: NASM Certified Personal Trainer
490: ACCL Clinical Lipid Specialist	532: ACSM Certified Clinical Exercise Physiologist	630: NBCC National Certified Counselor
500: AAFCS Certified in Family and Consumer Sciences	533: ACSM Program Director	635: NCBDE Certified Diabetes Educator
515: ACE Certified Advanced Health & Fitness Specialist	545: SNA School Nutrition Specialist ¹	637: CDECB Canadian Board Certified Diabetes Educator
516: ACE Certified Group Fitness Instructor	550: IAEDP Certified Eating Disorders Registered Dietitian ³	640: NCHCEC Certified Health Education Specialist
517: ACE Certified Health Coach	560: IFT Certified Food Science ¹	645: NCSF Certified Personal Trainer
518: ACE Certified Personal Trainer	600: HQCB Certified Professional in Healthcare Quality	647: NESTA Personal Fitness Trainer
529: ACSM Certified Personal Trainer	610: IBLCE International Board Certified Lactation Consultant ¹	650: NSCA Certified Strength & Conditioning Specialist
530: ACSM Certified Exercise Physiologist	620: NAFEM Certified Foodservice Professional ²	651: NSCA Certified Personal Trainer

¹ Available to RDs and DTRs

² Available to DTRs only

³ See Appendix page 15