



International Community Paramedic Certification

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- Launched in 2016
- Intended for paramedics who work in a community health setting at their full scope of practice.
- Recognizes that Community Paramedicine is a distinct domain of knowledge and a unique community of practice.
- Voluntary credential.

History

The intent of the CP-C® exam is to create a psychometrically valid and legally defensible measure of knowledge for all paramedics practicing in either a community paramedic or mobile integrated health model.

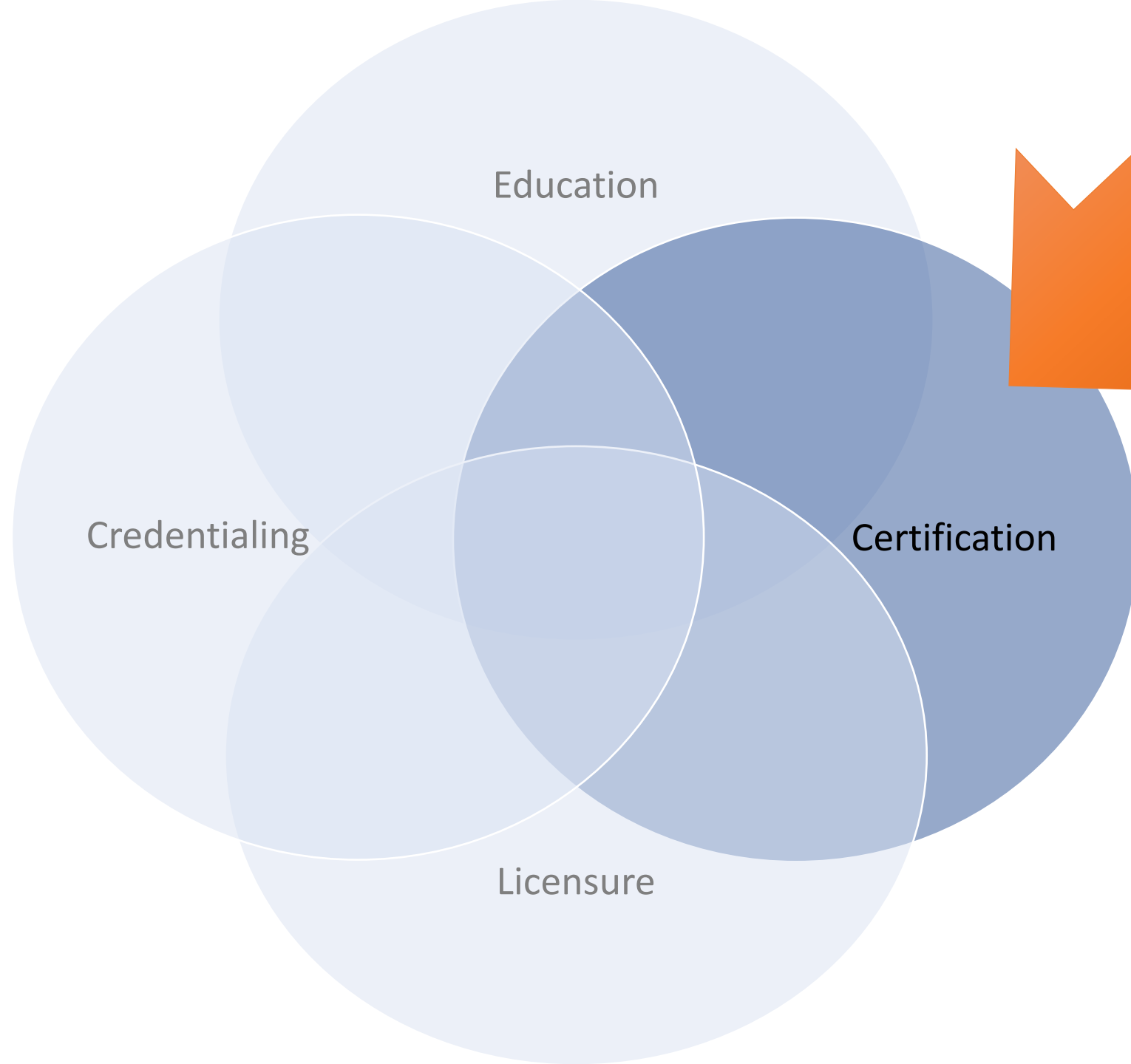
An exam process will validate the essential knowledge and judgment required for safe and competent practice would allow programs to establish a baseline for competency of providers as well as provide assurances to the public, insurers and other payor that they better understand what they are paying for.

The CP-C exam is available at designated testing centers worldwide.

Certification is ...

“a process, often voluntary, by which individuals who have demonstrated the level of knowledge and skill required in the profession, occupation, role, or skill are identified to the public and other stakeholders.”





7 Step Process

Establish a group of SME to create a job task analysis / role delimitation study.

Survey as many people worldwide that work in the area the credential is focused on.

Establish a new SME group to analyze the survey data and create a detailed content outline (exam blueprint).

Recruit item writers to write exam content and create an exam.

Beta test the exam worldwide.

Analyze the data from the beta exam and ensure that the exam is psychometrically sound and legally defensible.

Offer the exam and issue credentials for successful board certification.

Board Certification is




- A process to provide a globally validated measurement of Community Paramedic knowledge.
- Provides recognition for the unique domain of knowledge.
- Establishes a blueprint for curriculum design of what is being taught and practiced in domain.

Board
Certification is
not



- Not USA-centric
- Not an attempt to regulate community paramedicine practice
- Not an attempt to replace or change existing courses
- Does not provide a license to practice.



To obtain CP-C Board certification, the candidate must hold an unrestricted license or certificate to practice as an EMT, paramedic, or other nursing or community health worker with appropriate education and training as defined by local rule or regulation.



CP-C EXAM ELIGIBILITY



Exams delivered



Stats

IBSC exams delivered = 9,460

CP-C exams delivered = 577

110 scored items, 25 unscored

Min length – 46 minutes

Max length – 150 (ROOT = 10 candidates)

ROOT 50/50 P/F

Cut score is 73

Fail 263

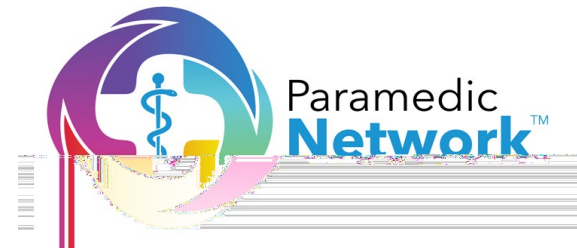
Pass 314

First time pass rate is 54%

Recert by CE – 100 hours every 4 years



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