

# ABP-CERTIFIED PEDIATRICIAN

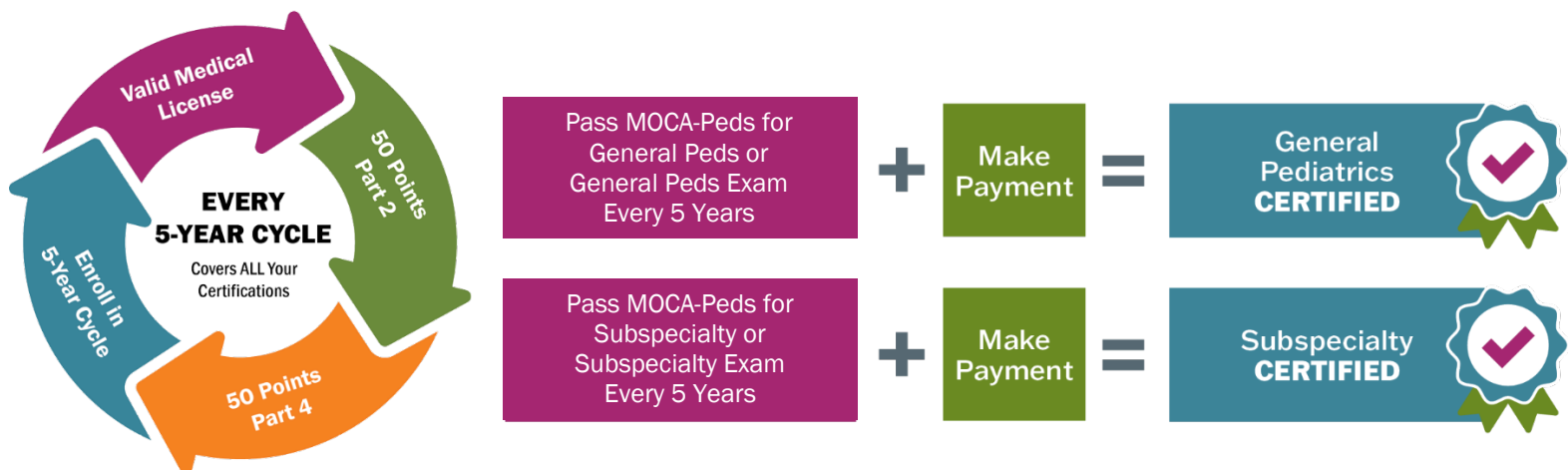
## What Are My Requirements?

Certification assures the public (parents, patients, hospitals, payers) that you continue to meet the same high standards through which you earned board certification.

### What are the Requirements to Remain Certified?

- Maintain a valid, unrestricted medical license (Part 1).
- Earn 100 total points in Self-Assessment (Part 2) and Health Care Improvement (Part 4) activities in each five-year cycle.
- Pass MOCA-Peds or the proctored exam in each five-year cycle (check your ABP Portfolio to confirm your due dates).
- Complete enrollment in the final year of each five-year cycle.
- Fees can be paid in full during enrollment or can be paid in five annual installments.

To search for activities and to track your progress, please check your ABP Portfolio ([www.abp.org](http://www.abp.org)).



### What Qualifies for Self-Assessment (Part 2) Points?

- ✓ ABP-developed activities such as Question of the Week, Decision Skills, and other topic-specific self-assessments
- ✓ Your attestation of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) education
- ✓ Internet Search and Learn, such as UpToDate
- ✓ Credit for resuscitation certifications (ACLS, ATLS, BLS, NRP, PALS, and PFCCS)
- ✓ ABP-approved self-assessment activities through organizations such as the AAP
- ✓ Many other CME activities that also meet ABP requirements (<https://www.cmepassport.org>)

### What Qualifies for Health Care Improvement (Part 4) Points?

- ✓ Your own Quality Improvement (QI) project (1-15 pediatricians) that you submit to the ABP or your local Portfolio Sponsor Organization
- ✓ Large QI Projects or Learning Networks run by approved Sponsor Organizations
- ✓ Patient-Centered Medical Home recognition
- ✓ Pediatric Community Health Initiatives - work within the community to improve infant, child, adolescent, and young adult health
- ✓ Medical Education Program Improvements – designed for those who lead training programs to get credit for their program improvement work
- ✓ ABP-approved online QI activities such as Performance Improvement Modules, Quality Improvement Project Templates, and AAP's EQIPP modules

## Did You Know?

- ✓ You can access a letter of good standing any time from your ABP Portfolio.
- ✓ Meeting requirements with another ABMS board or in Canada may qualify you for reciprocal credit for 50 Self-Assessment (Part 2) points and 50 Health Care Improvement (Part 4) points.
- ✓ Regardless of how many certifications you maintain, you need only 100 points within each five-year cycle.
- ✓ ABP-developed self-assessments and Performance Improvement Modules are included in the cost of enrollment.
- ✓ You can meet the exam requirement for each certification area by passing either MOCA-Peds or a proctored exam at a secure testing center.
- ✓ Visit [www.abp.org/mocapeds](http://www.abp.org/mocapeds) for more information on MOCA-Peds.
- ✓ You may choose to pay your enrollment fee in annual payments or continue to pay the full fee once every five years.
- ✓ Each time you enroll in a new MOC cycle, your point totals reset. However, if you earn 75 or more Part 4 points in one cycle, we automatically roll over 25 points to your next MOC cycle.
- ✓ Missing the deadline for ANY of your cycle requirements means you will no longer be certified in ANY area, unless you have a permanent certification in that area. To regain certification, you can re-enroll and complete any missing requirements.
- ✓ Not passing MOCA-Peds or the proctored exam by the 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 exam.



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