

CME REQUIREMENTS SUMMARY

For Active¹ Licensee Physicians, Special Purpose Physicians & Physician Assistants (see NRS 630.253-2535, NAC 630.153 & NAC 630.350)

- 40 Hours –** If licensed prior to July 1, 2023, or during the first 6 months of the biennial period of registration (July 1, 2023 through December 31, 2023 of year one), then CME hours must include:
- 2 – Ethics; Pain Management; or Addiction Care
 - 2* – Misuse and Abuse of Controlled Substances; Prescribing of Opioids; or Addiction
 - 2** – Cultural competency and diversity, equity and inclusion
 - 2 *** - Screening, Brief Intervention & Referral to Treatment (SBIRT)
 - 20 – Within scope of practice or specialty
 - 16 – Other Medical Education see footnote 1 (at least 2 hours every 4 years must be on Suicide Detection, Intervention and Prevention)
- 30 Hours –** If licensed during the second six months of the biennial period of registration (January 1, 2024 through June 30, 2024 of year one), then CME hours must include:
- 2 – Ethics; Pain Management; or Addiction Care
 - 2* – Misuse and Abuse of Controlled Substances; Prescribing of Opioids; or Addiction
 - 2** – Cultural competency and diversity, equity and inclusion
 - 2 *** - Screening, Brief Intervention & Referral to Treatment (SBIRT)
 - 15 – Within scope of practice or specialty
 - 11 – Other Medical Education (see footnote 1)
- 20 Hours –** If licensed during the third six months of the biennial period of registration (July 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024 of year two), then CME hours must include:
- 2 – Ethics; Pain Management; or Addiction Care
 - 2* – Misuse and Abuse of Controlled Substances; Prescribing of Opioids; or Addiction
 - 2** – Cultural competency and diversity, equity and inclusion
 - 2 *** - Screening, Brief Intervention & Referral to Treatment (SBIRT)
 - 10 – Within scope of practice or specialty
 - 6 – Other Medical Education (see footnote 1)
- 10 Hours –** If licensed during the fourth six months of the biennial period of registration (January 1, 2025 through June 30, 2025 of year two), then CME hours must include:
- 2 – Ethics; Pain Management; or Addiction Care
 - 2* – Misuse and Abuse of Controlled Substances; Prescribing of Opioids; or Addiction
 - 2** – Cultural competency and diversity, equity and inclusion
 - 2 *** - Screening, Brief Intervention & Referral to Treatment (SBIRT)
 - 5 – Within scope of practice or specialty
 - 1 – Other Medical Education (see footnote 1)

All CMEs must be AMA Category 1, classified by the AAPA as Category 1 (for PAs), or NSBME Board approved.

* These 2 hours of CME on the Misuse and Abuse of Controlled Substances, Prescribing of Opioids, or Addiction only apply to MDs or PAs who are registered to dispense controlled substances pursuant to NRS 453.231. See NRS 630.2535. Also, any licensee may use such training to satisfy 2 hours of any other CME requirement established by the Board.

** These 2 hours of CME instruction relating to cultural competency and diversity, equity and inclusion must be completed by each psychiatrist and each physician assistant practicing under the supervision of a psychiatrist.

*** All licensees must take 2 hours of CME on the Screening, Brief Intervention & Referral to Treatment (SBIRT) one time and these hours must be completed on or before the 2025 renewal period. Any licensee may use SBIRT training to satisfy 2 hours of any other CME requirement established by the Board.

¹ CMEs are not required for Inactive Licensees