

ABMS Member Board	Maintenance of Certification Improvement in Medical Practice (Part IV)*	Contact
American Board of Allergy and Immunology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 practice assessment/quality improvement activity every 5 years 	www.abai.org
American Board of Anesthesiology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 25 points of practice assessment/quality improvement activities every 5 years. 	www.theaba.org
American Board of Colon and Rectal Surgery	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ongoing participation in a local, regional or national outcomes registry or quality assessment program every 5 years. 	www.abcrs.org
American Board of Dermatology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 practice assessment/quality improvement activity every 5 years 	www.abderm.org
American Board of Emergency Medicine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 quality improvement activity every 5 years 	www.abem.org
American Board of Family Medicine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Improvement in Medical Practice module every 3 years 	www.theabfm.org
American Board of Internal Medicine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Optional; incentive for participation in approved activities 	www.abim.org
American Board of Medical Genetics and Genomics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Improvement in Medical Practice module every 3 years 	www.abmgg.org
American Board of Neurological Surgery	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Engage in a practice improvement activity each year 	www.abns.org
American Board of Nuclear Medicine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Three practice performance assessments per MOC cycle, with yearly engagement requirements 	www.abnm.org
American Board of Obstetrics and Gynecology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Yearly participation in an Improvement in Medical Practice activity 	www.abog.org
American Board of Ophthalmology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 practice assessment/quality improvement activity every 5 years 	www.abop.org

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ABMS Member Board	Maintenance of Certification Part II Lifelong Learning and Self-Assessment *	Contact
American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Case list review Peer Review 	www.abos.org
American Board of Otolaryngology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Under Development 	www.aboto.org
American Board of Pathology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Yearly evidence of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Laboratory Accreditation (if applicable) Laboratory Quality Assurance, One practice assessment/quality improvement activity Peer Review twice during 10 years 	www.abpath.org
American Board of Pediatrics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Obtaining a minimum of 40 Improvement in Medical Practice points every 5 years 	www.abp.org
American Board of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 practice assessment/quality improvement activity every 5 years 	www.abpmr.org
American Board of Plastic Surgery	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Complete one Practice Assessment Module (based on 10 tracer cases for one procedure) every 3 years 	www.abplasticsurgery.org
American Board of Preventive Medicine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 practice assessment/quality improvement activity every 5 years 	www.theabpm.org
American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 practice assessment/quality improvement activity every 3 years 	www.abpn.com
American Board of Radiology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Practice Quality Improvement (PQI) Project or Participatory Activity every 3 years 	www.theabr.org
American Board of Surgery	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Required participation in a registry Participation in a hospital or individual quality improvement program 	www.absurgery.org

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American Board of Thoracic Surgery	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 practice assessment/quality improvement activity every 5 years Peer evaluations (if necessary) 	www.abts.org
American Board of Urology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Completion of a Practice Assessment Protocol (PAP) – every 4 years Case log review 	www.abu.org

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