

American Board of Medical Physics Recertification 2008

Application for Recertification

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

FAX _____

EMAIL _____

Have you attached

- 1) A statement of current medical physics practice.
- 2) A ledger of continuing education credits over the previous three years.
- 3) A check made payable to the **American Board of Medical Physics** in the amount of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00).

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RECERTIFICATION

Initial certification by The American Board of Medical Physics is time limited to ten (10) years. To remain listed on the Registry of Certified Medical Physicists, Diplomates must renew their certification following expiration of initial certification. Recertification is time-limited to five (5) years and renewable every five (5) years thereafter. To be eligible for renewal, Diplomates will be required to provide evidence of continuing active practice and education.

A statement signed by the Diplomate attesting to active engagement in the practice of medical physics should be attached to the recertification form. This statement should briefly describe the Diplomate's current medical physics activity, employment status and efforts to ensure continued professional development. Pending development of a comprehensive continuing education and recertification process, several months prior to expiration of five years following certification, each Diplomate will be notified that thirty days prior to expiration he/she will be required to do the following:

- 1) Complete and return the Application for Recertification.
- 2) Include a statement attesting to continue active engagement in the practice of medical physics.
- 3) Maintain a log of continuing education activities as described below.
- 4) Pay a fee of \$250 to cover the cost of the recertification process.

Continuing education should be recorded on a signed ledger and attached to the recertification form. A total of at least **seventy-two hours** of approved continuing education credits is required for the three years preceding this application. If you do not have complete documentation of credit hours received, please estimate them as accurately as possible. A model ledger is attached but any reasonable facsimile is acceptable. **Continuing education** credits acceptable to the ABMP are those issued by the following organizations (hour-for-hour contact time or online credits):

American Academy of Health Physics
American Association of Physicists in Medicine
American College of Medical Physics
American College of Radiology
American Society for Therapeutic Radiology and Oncology
Health Physics Society
Radiological Society of North America
Society of Nuclear Medicine

and any of their regional organizations for attendance at the following:

Refresher Courses	Symposia
Scientific Sessions	Workshops
Summer Schools	

Diplomates should submit CAMPEP and other documentation if available, showing proof of attendance or completion of each continuing education activity listed on the CME ledger.

