

EACCME 2.0

Expansion of the Accreditation Portfolio



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SCOPE

- Overcome limitations of the current system:
 - up to 3 hours of ELM
 - cost
- Embrace modern elements of medical education
- Introduce the concept of recognition



e-Learning Module

- A complete unit of e-learning material that meets on its own right the EACCME® criteria for accreditation of an ELM.
- The content and format of an accredited module cannot change once accredited and for the period for which it is accredited.
- If the provider wishes to change the content or format, a new application needs to be submitted.



Educational e-Platform

- An integrated set of interactive online services that provide a community of learners and facilitators with information, tools and resources to support the delivery and management of teaching and learning activities.
- An educational e-platform needs to have at least 10 e-learning modules that meet the EACCME® criteria for accreditation of ELM.



Educational e-Platform

- The educational material must be complementary and part of the same educational scope.
- The platform has to have different teaching e-learning modules addressing from different angles the same overarching topic of specialist practice.



Educational App

- An educational app is an app that is used as a medium for the delivery of educational material modules that meet the EACCME® criteria for accreditation of ELM.



Educational e-Library

- An organised collection of selected digital resources created to support learning, scholarship, research and teaching.
- Through the use of appropriate technological standards, a digital library is created to facilitate permanent access to and resource discovery of selected digital resources.



Accreditation criteria

- ESSENTIAL
- DESIRABLE

No change !



Important new features 1

FOR ALL ELM

- No time limit for accredited ELM
- 1 hour = 1 credit

60 minutes of actual e-learning (excluding introductions etc.) provided that the users have completed a module and have passed the relevant assessment.



Important new features 2

FOR e PLATFORMS/ APPs/ LIBRARIES

- Application as a whole and not for individual modules
- Propositional review of no less than 10% of the material submitted for accreditation
- The provider has to ensure a system of awarding credits for the time of use of accredited material
- Accreditation period: 2 years



Important new features 3

- Due to the dynamic character of educational e-platforms, apps and e-libraries, providers are entitled to change/upgrade the educational content of an accredited ELM after the initial accreditation without submitting a new application, but they have to make sure that the content will stay within the scope and remit of the initial accreditation.



Important new features 4

- For this reason, there is periodical quality control of the educational e-platforms, apps and e-libraries by EACCME® reviewers to ensure that their content remains within the scope and remit of the initial accreditation.



Fees for e-learning modules

- € 500 for 1 accredited module
- € 1,000 for up to 10 accredited modules
- € 1,500 for up to 20 accredited modules
- € 2,000 for up to 30 accredited modules
- € 3,000 for up to 40 accredited modules
- € 5,000 for up to 50 accredited modules
- € 7,500 for up to 100 accredited modules
- € 10,000 for more than 100 accredited modules



Fees for e-platforms/ apps

- € 1,000 for up to 10 accredited modules
- € 1,500 for up to 20 accredited modules
- € 2,000 for up to 30 accredited modules
- € 3,000 for up to 40 accredited modules
- € 5,000 for up to 50 accredited modules
- € 7,500 for up to 100 accredited modules
- € 10,000 for more than 100 accredited module



Fees for e-libraries

Flat fee of € 5,000



Recognition

CME/CPD activities get recognised when the standard pathway of EACCME® accreditation is not followed but the activity has widely recognised educational CME/ CPD value (i.e. publication in a peer review journal with an established and recognized editorial process)

and

the medical specialist has decided to obtain CME/CPD credits for an activity that has been certified for high quality in a process other than CME/CPD accreditation (i.e. peer review of an article, acceptance of the lecture/paper for presentation at an accredited CME/CPD event etc.).



EACCME recognises the following activities

- Publishing scientific and educational material (PUB)
- Reviewing scientific and educational material (REV)
- Learning by Teaching (LbT)
- Examiner in a UEMS Exam



PUB/ REV

- Material on Pubmed
- Simple application over the website
- Fee: € 20
- Review process no more than 2 weeks
- Credits awarded proportionally based on the IF of the journal



PUB

Number of credits for 1 article:

<u>(IF)</u>	<u>1st Author</u>	<u>Other Authors</u>
None	2 credits	1 credit
up to 3	4 credits	2 credits
up to 6	8 credits	4 credits
more than 6	12 credits	6 credits



REV

Number of credits for 1 article:

(IF)

None	1 credit
up to 3	3 credits
up to 6	6 credits
more than 6	10 credit



LbT

Scope of recognition:

Learning by Teaching (LbT)– faculty presentation/participation during the main scientific programme of an EACCME® accredited event.

Eg. lecture, participation in panel discussion, chair or coordinator of session, oral presentation.

Posters will not be considered for accreditation



LbT

- Simple on line application process
- Fee: € 20
- Review process o no more than 2 weeks
- 1 presentation = 1 credit



Examiner in a UEMS Exam

- Scope of recognition:

Examiner in a UEMS exam - examiner taking part in an examination organised by a UEMS Section

- Simple on line application process
- Free of charge
- Review process of no more than 2 weeks
- 2 credits per examination



THANK YOU !

