Nursing Certification Boards By Specialty

Certification in a nursing specialty demonstrates a commitment to advancing one's knowledge and skillset. If you are working toward becoming certified, Lippincott NursingCenter supports you in this endeavor and recognizes your hard work. If you are thinking about becoming certified, we encourage you to explore the benefits of a nursing certification and to consider the importance of improving patient outcomes while pursuing your own professional goals.

Use the contact information below to begin the certification process. On NursingCenter's CEConnection, you can also find continuing education activities to meet your certification requirements. With our CE lists organized by nursing specialty, you'll quickly find the right CE activity just for you.

Organization & Contact Information	Certifications
Addictions Nursing Certification Board Email: info@cnet.nurse.com Phone: (201) 217-9083 Fax: (201) 217-9785	CARN – Certified Addictions Registered Nurse CARN-AP – Certified Addictions Registered Nurse- Advanced Practice
American Academy of Nurse Practitioners Certification Board Email: Certification@aanpcert.org Phone: (512) 637-0500 Toll free: (855) 822-6727 Fax: (512) 637-0540	ENP — Emergency Nurse Practitioner FNP — Family Nurse Practitioner A-GNP — Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner
American Association of Critical Care Nurses Certification Corporation Email: https://www.aacn.org/about- aacn/contact-us Phone: (800) 899-2226	Specialty Certifications CCRN — Acute/Critical Care Nursing (Adult, Pediatric & Neonatal) CCRN-E — Tele-ICU Acute/Critical Care Nursing (Adult) PCCN — Progressive Care Nursing (Adult) CNML — Nurse Manager and Leader CCRN-K — Acute/Critical Care Knowledge Professional (Adult, Pediatric & Neonatal) PCCN-K — Progressive Care Knowledge Professional (Adult) Subspecialty Certifications CMC — Cardiac Medicine (Adult) CSC — Cardiac Surgery (Adult)
	Advanced Practice Certifications

	ACNPC-AG — Acute Care Nurse Practitioner (Adult-Gerontology) ACCNS-AG — Clinical Nurse Specialist; Wellness through Acute Care (Adult-Gerontology) ACCNS-P — Clinical Nurse Specialist, Wellness through Acute Care (Pediatric) ACCNS-N — Clinical Nurse Specialist; Wellness through Acute Care (Neonatal) ACNPC — Acute Care Nurse Practitioner (Adult) (renewal only) CCNS — Acute/Critical Care Clinical Nurse Specialist (Adult, Pediatric & Neonatal) (renewal only)
American Association of Diabetes Educators (AADE) Email: info@ncbde.org Phone: (800) 338-3633	BC-ADM — Board Certified-Advanced Diabetes Management
American Association of Heart Failure Nurses Email: http://www.aahfn.org/general/?type=CONTAC T Phone: 1-888-45-AAHFN (1-888-452-2436) Fax: (856) 439-0525	CHFN — Certified Heart Failure Nurse CHFN-K — Non-Clinical Certified Heart Failure Nurse
American Board of Managed Care Nursing Email: asynder@abmcn.org Phone: (804) 747-1905 Fax: (804) 747-5316	CMCN — Certified Managed Care Nurse CMCP — Certificate Managed Care Professional
American Board of Neuroscience Nursing Email: info@abnncertification.org Phone: (888) 557-2266 or (847) 375-4733 Fax: (847) 375-6430	CNRN — Certified Neuroscience Registered Nurse SCRN — Stroke Certified Registered Nurse
American Board of Certification for Gastroenterology Nurses, Inc. Email: info@abcgn.org Phone: (855) 252-2246 Fax: (312) 673-6723	CGRN — Certified Gastroenterology Registered Nurse



American Board for Occupational Health Nurses, Inc. Email: info@abohn.org Phone: (630) 789-5799 Toll free: (888) 842-2646 Fax: (630) 789-8901	COHN – Certified Occupational Health Nurse COHN-S – Certified Occupational Health Nurse- Specialist Specialty Credential CM – Occupational Health Nursing Case Management
American Board of Perianesthesia Nursing Certification, Inc. Email: abpanc@proexam.org Phone: (800) 6ABPANC Fax: (212) 367-4256	CAPA — Certified Ambulatory Perianesthesia Nurse CPAN — Certified Post Anesthesia Nurse
American Correctional Association Email: acaprodev@aca.org Phone: (703) 224-0000 Fax: (703) 224-0179	CNN — Certified Corrections Nurse CNN/M — Certified Corrections Nurse/Manager CHSA — Certified Health Service Administrator CBHC — Correctional Behavioral Health Certification
American Hospital Association Phone: (800) 424-4301 Email: https://www.aha.org/about/contact	CPHRM – Certified Professional in Healthcare Risk Management
American Holistic Nurses Credentialing Corporation Email: ahncc@ptcny.com Phone: (212) 356-0660	HN-BC — Holistic Nurse Board Certified HNB-BC — Holistic Nurse Baccalaureate Board Certified AHN-BC — Advanced Holistic Nurse Board Certified APHN-BC — Advanced Practice Holistic Nurse Board Certified NC-BC — Nurse Coach Board Certified HWNC-BC — Health and Wellness Nurse Coach Board Certified
American Legal Nurse Consultant Certification Board Email: info@aalnc.org Phone: (877) 402-2562 Fax: (312) 673-6655	LNCC — Legal Nurse Consultant Certified
American Nurses Credentialing Center Phone: (800) 284-2378	Nurse Practitioner Certifications FNP-BC – Family Nurse Practitioner PPCNP-BC – Pediatric Primary Care Nurse Practitioner PMHNP-BC – Psychiatric-Mental Health Nurse Practitioner (Across the Lifespan)

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	AGACNP-BC – Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse
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	AGPCNP-BC – Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Nurse
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	Specialty NP:
	ENP-BC – Emergency Nurse Practitioner
	Clinical Nurse Specialist Certification
	AGCNS-BC – Adult-Gerontology Clinical Nurse Specialist
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	Specialty Certifications
	AFN-BC – Advanced Forensic Nursing
	AGN-BC – Advanced Genetics Nursing-Board Certified
	NE-BC – Nurse Executive
	NEA-BC – Nurse Executive, Advanced
	NHDP-BC – National Healthcare Disaster Professional
	RN-BC:
	Ambulatory Care Nursing
	Cardiac-Vascular Nursing
	Faith Community Nursing
	Gerontological Nursing
	Genetics Nursing - Advanced
	Hemostasis Nursing
	Informatics Nursing
	Medical-Surgical Nursing
	Nursing Case Management
	Nursing Professional Development
	Pain Management Nursing
	Pediatric Nursing
	Psychiatric-Mental Health Nursing
	Public Health Nursing - Advanced
	Rheumatology Nursing
American Organization of Nurse Executives	CENP – Certified in Executive Nursing Practice
Email: aone@aha.org Phone: (312) 422-2807	CNML – Certified Nurse Manager and Leader
The Association of Clinical Day	ACRP-CP — Association of Clinical Research
The Association of Clinical Research Professionals	Professionals-Certified Professional
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Email: certifcertification@acrpnet.org Phone: (703) 254-8100	CCRA — Certified Clinical Research Associate
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Board of Certification for Emergency Nursing Email: bcen@bcencertifications.org Phone: (877) 302-BCEN Fax: (630) 596-8250	CEN — Certified Emergency Nurse CFRN — Certified Flight Registered Nurse CPEN – Certified Pediatric Emergency Nurse CTRN – Certified Transport Registered Nurse TCRN – Trauma Certified Registered Nurse
Certification Board of Infection Control and Epidemiology, Inc. Email: info@cbic.org Phone: (414) 918-9796 Fax: (414) 276-3349	CIC — Certified in Infection Control
Certification Board for Urologic Nurses and Associates Phone: (856) 256-2351 Email: cbuna@ajj.com	CUNP – Certified Urology Nurse Practitioner CURN – Certified Urology Registered Nurse CUA – Urology Associate
Commission on Nurse Certification Email: shall@aacn.nursing.org Phone: (202) 463-6930 Fax: (202) 785-8320	CNL – Clinical Nurse Leader
Competency & Credentialing Institute Email: info@cc-institute.org Phone: (303) 369-9566 or (888) 257-2667 Fax: (303) 695-8464	CNOR — Certified Perioperative Registered Nurse CRNFA — Certified Registered Nurse First Assistant CNS-CP — Certified Perioperative Clinical Nurse Specialist CSSM — Certified Surgical Services Manager
Dermatology Nursing Certification Board Email: dna@dnanurse.org Phone: (800) 454-4362 Fax: (910) 246-2361	DNC – Dermatology Nurse Certified DCNP – Dermatology Certified Nurse Practitioner
HIV/AIDS Nursing Certification Board Email: hancb@anacnet.org Phone: (800) 260-6780 Fax: (330) 670-0109	ACRN – HIV/AIDS Certified Registered Nurse AACRN – Advanced HIV/AIDS Certified Registered Nurse
Hospice & Palliative Credentialing Center Email: http://hpcc.advancingexpertcare.org/about/contact-hpcc/	CHPN — Certified Hospice and Palliative Nurse ACHPN — Advanced Certified Hospice and Palliative Nurse CHPPN — Certified Hospice and Palliative Pediatric Nurse



Phone: (412) 787-1057	CHPNA – Certified Hospice and Palliative Nursing Assistant CPLC – Certified in Perinatal Loss Care CHPLN – Certified Hospice and Palliative Licensed Nurse (renewal only) CHPCA – Certified Hospice and Palliative Care Administrator (renewal only)
Infusion Nurses Certification Corporation Email: ins@ins1.org Phone: (781) 440-9408 Fax: (781) 440-9409	CRNI — Certified Registered Nurse Infusion
International Association of Forensic Nurses Email: info@forensicnurses.org Phone: (410) 626-7805 Fax: (410) 626-7804	SANE-A — Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner- Adult/Adolescent SANE-P — Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner-Pediatric
Medical-Surgical Nursing Certification Board Email: msncb@mscnb.org Phone: (866) 877-2676	CCCTM — Certified in Care Coordination and Transition Management CMSRN — Certified Medical-Surgical Registered Nurse
National Asthma Education Certification Board Email: info@naecb.org Phone: (800) 408-0072	AE-C – Certified Asthma Educator
National Association for Healthcare Quality Email: info@nahq.org Phone: (847) 375-4720	CPHQ – Certified Professional in Healthcare Quality
National Board of Certification and Recertification for Nurse Anesthetists Email: certification@nbcrna.com Phone: (855) 285-4658 or (708) 667-0002 Fax: (708) 669-7636	CRNA — Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist
National Board for Certification of School Nurses Email: certification@nbcsn.org Phone: (844) 808-6276	NCSN — Nationally Certified School Nurse



National Certification Board for Diabetes Educators Email: info@ncbde.org Phone: (847) 228-9795 Fax: (847) 228-8469	CDE — Certified Diabetes Educator
National Certification Corporation Email: https://www.nccwebsite.org/contact.aspx Phone: (312) 951-0207	Core Certification RNC-OB – Inpatient Obstetric Nursing RNC-MNN – Maternal Newborn Nursing RNC-LRN – Low Risk Neonatal Nursing RNC-NIC – Neonatal Intensive Care Nursing Nurse Practitioner Certification NNP-BC – Neonatal Nurse Practitioner WHNP-BC – Women's Health Care Nurse Practitioner Subspecialties C-EFM – Electronic Fetal Monitoring C-NPT – Neonatal Pediatric Transport
National Certifying Board for Ophthalmic Registered Nurses Email: asron@aao.org Phone: (415) 561-8513 Fax: (415) 561-8531	CRNO — Certification for Registered Nurse in Ophthalmology
National Certifying Board of Otorhinolaryngology and Head-Neck Nurses Email: info@sohnnurse.com Phone: (386) 428-1695 Fax: (386) 423-7566	CORLN — Certified Otorhinolaryngology Nurse
National Commission on Correctional Health Care Email: info@ncchc.org Phone: (773) 880-1460 Fax: (773) 880-2424	CCHP — Certified Correctional Health Professional CCHP-RN — Certified Correctional Health Professional- RN CCHP-A — Certified Correctional Health Professional- Advanced CCHP-MH — Certified Correctional Health Professional- Mental Health



National League for Nursing Email: http://www.nln.org/contact-us Phone: (800) 669-1656	CNE — Certified Nurse Educator
Nephrology Nursing Certification Commission Email: nncc@nncc-exam.org Phone: (888) 884-NNCC	CNN — Certified Nephrology Nurse CDN — Certified Dialysis Nurse CNN-NP — Certified Nephrology Nurse-Nurse Practitioner CD-LPN — Certified Dialysis Licensed Practical Nurse CD-LVN — Certified Dialysis Licensed Vocational Nurse CCHT — Certified Clinical Hemodialysis Technician CCHT-A — Certified Clinical Hemodialysis Technician-Advanced
Oncology Nursing Certification Corporation Email: oncc@oncc.org Phone: (877) 769-ONCC Fax number: (412) 859-6168	AOCN — Advanced Oncology Certified Nurse CPON — Certified Pediatric Oncology Nurse OCN — Oncology Certified Nurse AOCNP — Advanced Oncology Certified Nurse Practitioner AOCNS — Advanced Oncology Certified Clinical Nurse Specialist CPHON — Certified Pediatric Hematology Oncology Nurse CBCN — Certified Breast Care Nurse BMTCN — Blood & Marrow Transplant Certified Nurse
Orthopaedic Nurses Certification Board Email: oncb@oncb.org Phone: (888) 561-6622 Fax: (312) 673-6971	ONC — Orthopaedic Nurse Certified ONP-C — Orthopaedic Nurse Practitioner-Certified
Pediatric Nursing Certification Board Email: pncb@pncb.org Phone: (888) 641-2767 Fax: (301) 330-1504	CPN – Certified Pediatric Nurse CPNP-PC – Primary Care Certified Pediatric Nurse Practitioner CPNP-AC – Acute Care Certified Pediatric Nurse Practitioner PMHS – Pediatric Primary Care Mental Health Specialist
Plastic Surgical Nursing Certification Board Email: http://www.psncb.org/contact.cgi Phone: (877) 337-9315	CPSN — Certified Plastic Surgical Nurse CANS – Certified Aesthetic Nurse Specialist



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Radiologic Nursing Certification Board Email: RNCB@internationalamc.com Phone: (855) 871-6681 Fax: (850) 484-8762	CRN — Certified Radiologic Nurse
Rehabilitation Nursing Certification Board Email: info@rehabnurse.org Phone: (800) 229-7530	CRRN — Certified Rehabilitation Registered Nurse
Society for Clinical Research Excellence Email: http://www.socra.org/contact- socra/contact-us/ Phone: (215) 822-8644 or (800) 762-7292	CCRP — Certified Clinical Research Professional
Wound Ostomy and Continence Nursing Certification Board Email: info@wocncb.org Phone: (888) 496-2622 Fax: (414) 276-2146	CCCN — Certified Continence Care Nurse COCN — Certified Ostomy Care Nurse CWCN — Certified Wound Care Nurse CWOCN — Certified Wound Ostomy Continence Nurse CWON — Certified Wound Ostomy Nurse CFCN — Certified Foot Care Nurse
	Advanced Practice CCCN-AP — Certified Continence Care Nurse-Advanced Practice COCN-AP — Certified Ostomy Care Nurse-Advanced Practice CWCN-AP — Certified Wound Care Nurse-Advanced Practice CWOCN-AP — Certified Wound Ostomy Continence Nurse-Advanced Practice

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