

American Medical Association Physician's Recognition Award™ Category 2 Credit Claim Form

Definition of AMA PRA Category 2 Credit

AMA PRA™ Category 2 Credit is defined as all educational activities not designated for Category 1 that: comply with the AMA definition of CME; comply with the AMA ethical opinions on Gifts to Physicians from Industry and on Ethical Issues in CME (i.e., are not promotional); and a physician finds to be a worthwhile learning experience related to his/her practice. Accredited providers do not designate activities for AMA PRA™ Category 2 Credit.

Physicians may claim AMA PRA™ Category 2 Credit for such learning activities as: teaching residents, medical students or other health professionals; unstructured online searching and learning (i.e., not Internet Point of Care); reading authoritative medical literature; or participating in live activities not designated for AMA PRA™ Category 1 Credit. Other examples include:

- Consultation with peers and medical experts
- Small group discussions
- Self assessment activities
- Medical writing
- Preceptorships
- Research

In each case, the physician individually determines the educational value of those AMA PRA™ Category 2 activities in which he or she participates.

Documentation: self documented; physicians should self claim credit for appropriate AMA PRA™ Category 2 activities on their AMA PRA™ certificate application form.

Credit assignment: as with live activities, physicians may self claim one (1) AMA PRA™ Category 2 Credit for each 60-minute hour engaged in the learning activity. Physicians may claim credit in 15 minute, or 0.25 credit increments, and round to the nearest quarter hour.

Type of Activity	
Date or Date Range of Activity	
Number of Category 2 Credits Claimed	

Physician Signature

Category 2 credits are self-documented. Please keep this form in your personal CME file as record of your attendance and credits claimed.