

Recertification Is Easier Than Ever

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“New” is exciting—it’s motivating, and often it makes us think we’ve created a solution. The only trouble with new things is making sure that everyone understands how and why something is new.

During the first quarter of 2019, we’ve been perking up our ears and taking a lot of notes. Many of our CRNI®s have expressed confusion around the CRNI® recertification process and, to our surprise, many didn’t know you can earn your 40 recertification units (RUs) online!

Earning those crucial RUs anywhere with an internet connection may sound too easy, but we’ve created a convenient new area on our site to help you do just that. Visit the new **CRNI® Recertification Approved** section in the INS **LEARNING CENTER**.

The INS **LEARNING CENTER** is a comprehensive and personalized online learning platform with more than 100 different educational opportunities in the form of podcasts, webinars, position papers, and more. It’s also a community where nursing professionals can exchange clinical questions with their peers. Plus, if you are a CRNI® and unable to travel to an INS annual meeting, the Virtual Infusion Education platform is the perfect alternative—you can view conference programming live or on-demand from your laptop or mobile device.

In order to maintain your CRNI® credential, you must recertify every 3 years. You can choose your recertification pathway by either taking the exam or by continuing education (CE). With our new **CRNI® Recertification Approved** section you no longer have to wonder whether a webinar or a conference will count toward your recertification—every learning activity in this section has been approved for RUs. If you are recertifying by CE, you need a total of 40 RUs, of which 30 must be obtained by attending any INS Meeting (live or online). The other 10 RUs may be obtained from the non-INS Meeting

category, which includes our popular webinars found in the INS **LEARNING CENTER**. Other CE options ranging from 1 to 10 RUs are listed at www.incc1.org.

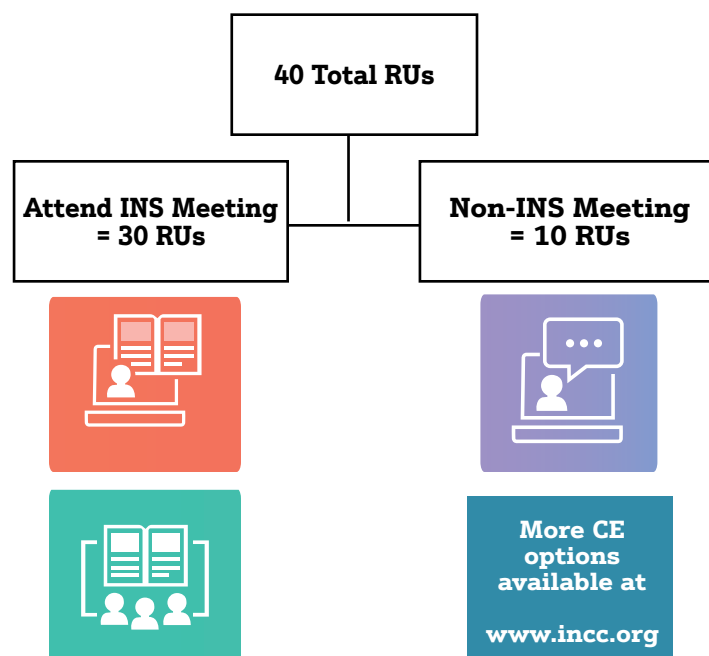
Don’t wait until your credential is a month away from expiration. With the INS **LEARNING CENTER**, you can start earning your CRNI® RUs from the comfort of your home or office right now. Here’s how:

1. If you are not already an INS Member, consider joining! All INS **LEARNING CENTER** webinars are free for INS members, plus you’ll receive a significant price reduction on other learning activities.
2. Go to www.learningcenter.ins1.org.
3. Scroll down the left panel and click on our new **CRNI® Recertification Approved** section.
4. Register for your learning activity and start earning your RUs!

There are two things you need to remember after you register for your CRNI® Recertification Approved learning activity:

1. Complete the evaluation.
2. Print your certificate! Follow the instructions after you print to ensure your RUs will be properly applied to your account.

Congratulations on maintaining your CRNI® credential and committing to your professional development!



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LEARNING CENTER

Here are a few examples of Virtual Infusion Education conferences available under the CRNI® Recertification Approved section.*



**Strong Nurses,
Strong Practice**
(10 RUs, 5 parts)



**Culture of
Collaboration in
Infusion Therapy**
(10 RUs, 5 parts)



**Infusion Nursing:
Why We Do What
We Do**
(10 RUs, 5 parts)



**Aseptic Non-Touch Technique
(ANTT®): Reducing Health Care-
Acquired Infections through
Standardization**
(4 RUs)



**CDC Guidelines and Infusion
Therapy Standards of Practice:
Defining the Difference**
(4 RUs)



Qualification or Certification?
(2 RUs)

Webinars are free for INS Members and there more than 18 programs currently available under the CRNI® Recertification Approved section. Here are some examples:



**Non-suicidal Self-
Injury (NSSI):
Adolescent Truths**
(1 RU)



**Bleeding Disorders:
Management of
Pediatric Patients**
(1 RU)



**Infusion Therapy
in Alternative Care
Settings**
(1 RU)

*NOTE: Participants who’ve attended the live versions of these programs at an INS Meeting are not eligible to receive contact hours or CRNI® RUs through this online program.