



College of Paramedics of Manitoba		
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1.0 PURPOSE

To establish the eligibility by which formal Paramedic education programs can be applied to fulfill the requirements in the Program for Continuing Competency

2.0 DEFINITIONS

Formal Paramedic Education Program: refers to an approved (by the CPMB) Primary Care Paramedic, Advanced Care Paramedic and Critical Care Paramedic program, or other formal education programs related to paramedic practice.

Full Time program engagement: for the application of this policy, full time education program engagement means engaging two (2) or more modules/courses **per semester** or 4 or more modules/courses within a registration year.

Program for Continuing Competency: (PCC) as approved by the Council of CPMB and the PCC cycle follows the registration year (April 1-March 31 annually)

Program for Continuing Competency requirements: Registrants in the Full, Non-Practicing, and Provisional classes are required to engage the self-reflection process/document and identify two (2) learning goals and two (2) learning objectives/activities per goal (unless otherwise required by the CPMB) on an annual (following the registration year) basis. Registrants are also required to complete the submission of required documentation of the learning objectives/activities, as well as reflection on learning and impact on practice.

Program for Continuing Competency eligibility: Eligible and non-eligible learning goals and activities are defined in the PCC Handbook (insert hyperlink)

Registration Year: April 1 – March 31 annually

3.0 POLICY

3.1 A registrant of the College of Paramedics of Manitoba is required under the RHPA to annually complete the Program of Continuing Competency requirements.



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- 3.2 To be eligible under this policy, a registrant must be enrolled in a formal paramedic education program on a full-time basis (see definitions)

4.0 PROCEDURE

- 4.1 A registrant of the CPMB enrolls in a formal Paramedic education program on a full-time basis (see definitions).
- 4.2 The registrant is required to consult with a representative of the CPMB to confirm the education program engaged is eligible to be applied toward the PCC requirements under this policy.
- 4.3 The registrant is required to provide proof of enrollment in the education program.
- 4.4 The registrant may apply two (2) modules/courses from the formal Paramedic education program toward the annual PCC requirement of two (2) learning goals.
- 4.5 From the modules/courses content of the identified two (2) goals, the registrant may apply two (2) learning objective/activities from the formal Paramedic education program per PCC cycle.
- 4.6 The registrant is required to complete the PCC Self-assessment document. Responses should reflect thoughtful engagement.
- 4.7 The registrant is required to complete the PCC learning objective/activity documentation and ensure the documentation is detailed and complete. This includes detailed reflection on the impact on practice.
- 4.8 PCC Documentation must include verification of enrollment from the formal Paramedic education program, and verification of completion of those courses being applied to the annual PCC requirements.
- 4.9 The registrant is still subject to the annual PCC review process.