



Policy & Procedure		ID No.	MS-1000
Subject: Certification Requirements for all Credentialed Providers		Category:	Medical Staff
Facility Scope: AtlantiCare Health System		Department:	Medical Staff Services

POLICY

To establish guidelines for certification for all credentialed providers

PROCEDURE

A. Types of Certification

This policy applies to the specific certification requirements for all credentialed providers. Certification requirements for are as required by each Medical Specialty.

A current American Heart Association certification is required for all specialties that require certifications. (BLS, ACLS, ATLS, PALS, NALS) Non AHA certifications will not be accepted.

B. Types of Certification Procedures

1. Off-site Class Attendance

Providers trained must provide a copy of their American Heart Association course completion card to their director or the medical staff services department if required per their speciality and/or privileges.

2. Online Education

AtlantiCare will only accept American Heart Association approved online education that is available on Healthstream or www.onlineaha.org. The online class and mandatory skills check must be completed to receive your new certification card. The training center must be contacted for a skills check immediately after completing the online class.

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