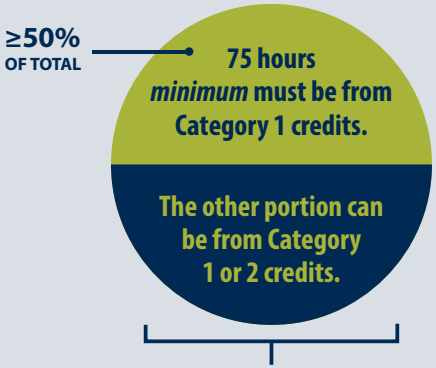
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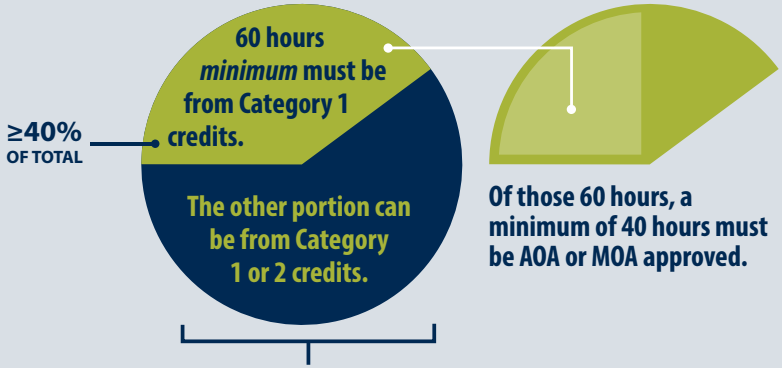
Important Requirements for Your 3-Year License Renewal Cycle

Medical Doctor (MD) Requirements



150 hours of training is required.

Osteopathic Physician (DO) Requirements



150 hours of training is required.

Additional Requirements

Required every 3 years.

- **3 hrs** Implicit Bias Training
- **1 hr** Medical Ethics Training
- **3 hrs** Pain and Symptom Management
  - *1 of the 3 hours must include controlled substance prescribing*

One-Time-Only Trainings

Required for both MD and DO licensees.

Human Trafficking

Complete training in identifying victims of human trafficking that satisfies all of the following standards:

- Understanding the **types** and **venues** of human trafficking in this state or the United States
- **Identifying victims** of human trafficking in healthcare settings
- Identifying the **warning signs** of human trafficking in healthcare settings for adults and minors
- Identifying **resources for reporting** the suspected victims of human trafficking

Opioids and Controlled Substance Awareness

Required for current and future controlled substance licensees.

Training content must cover all of the following topics:

- Use of **opioids** and other controlled substances.
- **Integration** of treatments
- **Alternative** treatments for pain management
- **Counseling** patients on the effects and risks associated with using opioids and other controlled substances
- The **stigma** of addiction
- Utilizing the **Michigan Automated Prescription System** (MAPS)
- State and federal **laws regarding prescribing and dispensing** controlled substances
- Security features and proper **disposal requirements** for prescriptions

Federal Drug Enforcement Administration Medication Access and Training Enforcement (DEA MATE) Act

Required for current and future DEA-registered practitioners. 8 hrs training on treating and managing patients with opioid and other substance use disorders.

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