

BARBADOS MEDICAL COUNCIL



To: All Medical Practitioners

Notice - Re-registration of Medical Practitioners - 2014

Medical Practitioners are reminded that in accordance with Section 18 of the Medical Profession Act, 2011-1, as from January 2013 all registered medical practitioners on renewal of their registration to practise each year, are allowed to do so on:

- (i) presentation of evidence of Continuing Professional Education (CPE) as approved by the Barbados Medical Council; and
- (ii) the payment of the prescribed fee

As from the year 2013, credits for CPE certification are given in the form of Awards in 3 categories: A, B and C. Awards for a year's certification can be in the following forms: AC; AB; AA; BB; BCC; CCCC.

Medical Practitioners are advised that applications for CPE awards received by the Medical Council before December 1, 2013 will be assessed by January 15, 2014. There is no guarantee that applications received after December 1, 2013 will be assessed by January 15, 2014.

CPE application forms can be obtained from the Registration Unit, Ministry of Health, 3rd Floor Frank Walcott Building, Culloden Road, St. Michael. The Medical Council will supply eligible practitioners with Certification of Completion of the CPE requirement for the year 2014. This Certification must be presented when tendering payment of the registration fee for the year 2014.

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Medical Practitioners are reminded that the registration fee must be paid to the **Registrar, Supreme Court** during the month of January 2014. Failure to pay such fee during the month of January in any year shall result in the payment of an additional sum equal to that fee.

Medical Practitioners are also advised that in order to prevent irregularities that have occurred in the past, **payment of the prescribed fee does not automatically mean that the practitioner is re-registered.** From the institution of the new Medical Profession Act, 2011-1, the process is now completed when the Certificate of Registration is issued by the Barbados Medical Council.

The receipt of payment to the Registrar, Supreme Court must be presented to the Secretary of the Barbados Medical Council, Ministry of Health, 3rd Floor, Frank Walcott Building, Culloden Road, St. Michael, in order to receive the Certificate of Registration.

Should you have any queries please call the Secretary, Barbados Medical Council at telephone numbers 467-9377 or 467-9455.

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