Activity Director Certified - ADC

Qualifying Components	Track 1	Track 2	Track 3	Track 4	Track 5	
1. Academic Education	Bachelor's Degree or higher, including English Writing/ Composition	Associate's Degree, including English Writing/ Composition	12+ college credits, including English Writing/ Composition	High School Diploma/GED	**PROFESSIONAL EQUIVALENCY PATH** Individuals with related education and experience have the opportunity to attain NCCAP certification through a Professional Equivalency Path. Individuals can apply for Activity Director Certified upon verification of current certification by a national credentialing body, such as: • NCTRC (National Council for Therapeutic Recreation Certification) • CBMT (Certification Board for Music Therapists) • ATCB (Art Therapy Certification Board) • OTR (Occupational Therapist Registered) • NAAPCC	Bachelor's Degree
2. Activity Experience	2,000 hours within the past 5 years	3,000 hours within the past 5 years	6,000 hours within the past 5 years	12,000 hours within the past 10 years		10,000 hours within the past five years
3. Continuing Educational	30 clock hours from NCCAP Body of Knowledge within the past 5 years	30 clock hours from NCCAP Body of Knowledge within the past 5 years	30 clock hours from NCCAP Body of Knowledge within the past 5 years	40 clock hours from NCCAP Body of Knowledge within the past 5 years, 8 of which specifically address activity documentation of MDS, Care Planning		40 clock hours from NCCAP Body of Knowledge within the past 5 years, 8 of which specifically address activity documentation of MDS, Care Planning
4. Required Curriculum	MEPAP Parts 1 & 2 : Core Content 1-20	MEPAP Parts 1 & 2 : Core Content 1-20	MEPAP Parts 1 & 2 : Core Content 1-20	MEPAP Parts 1 & 2 : Core Content 1-20		No Requirement
5. National Exam	Required	Required	Required	Required		Required