



BCBSM PDCM Education Requirements

BCBSM has education requirements for participation in the PDCM program and as a requirement for care team members to bill the PDCM codes. The BCBSM education requirements include:

- 1) [The BCBSM billing webinar](#)
- 2) The [Introduction to Team Based Care](#) course to be completed within 6 months of starting to bill the PDCM codes (or equivalent if trained before these were available)
 - a) **Exception:** for specialist care team members with more than a year of experience in their role and who are participating in the Specialist Team-Based Care VBR opportunity, the Introduction to Team-Based Care course is not required. However, those care team members must take the [Specialist Team-Based Care](#) webinar and pass the test.
- 3) 8 hours of longitudinal education per calendar year, which can include:
 - a) Approved PO meetings
 - b) Continuing Education Contact Hours (for licensure renewal)
 - c) Any additional MICMT standardized curriculums
 - d) Any MICMT webinars

POs are responsible for attesting to the care team member's completion of these education requirements in the care manager attestation document.

If the care team member has not been in their role for the entire year, the 8 hours of longitudinal education hours is pro-rated.

Continuing Education (CE) contact hours: CE contact hours are defined by the Board of Michigan for each discipline's licensure renewal.