The Revised FCCCM examination structure is designed to evaluate the candidates' performance

- 1) Assessment of performance throughout the year in the ICU, attendance/ participation at various teaching programs and through online certifications as specified.
- Assessment of performance at a pre-decided point in time (the Exit Examination) consisting of Theory /written component, Vivas and Objective Structured Clinical Examinations (OSCEs).

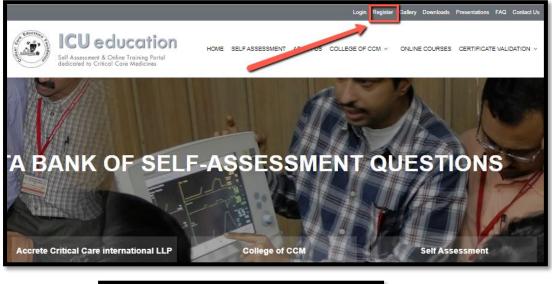
Assessment of Performance Throughout The Year

ΑCTIVITY	ACADEMIC CREDIT points (ACP)	
1. Attendance and participation at the Orientation Program	25	
2. Attendance and participation at the Crash Course	25	
3. Attendance and participation at the Online lecture classes	60	
4. Online "Mastering Critical Care Skills" PASS certificates	5 each	
(a) ABG Interpretation (b) ECG interpretation (c) Biochemistry	(Maximum 30 marks)	
report interpretation (d) Haematology/Coagulation report		
interpretation (e) Xray interpretation (f) CT/MRI interpretation		
5. BCLS and ACLS certificate submission	10	
6. Basic Mechanical ventilation Course	10	
7. Certificate of Appraisal from the head of ICU/ local teacher in	10	
specified format		
8. Submission of Well worked out original data (in specified	5 marks per set	
format using given templates)	(Maximum 30 marks)	
Set of 5 ABG, Set of 5 ECG, Set of 5 Xrays, Set of 5 Biochemistry		
data, Set of 5 hematology/Coagulation data, Set of 5 CT		
scans/MRI		
Total Marks	200	

A candidate must ensure and PROVIDE PROOF of securing 120 ACADEMIC CREDIT POINTS (ACP) out of a maximum of 200 Academic Credit POINTS in each academic year.

PROCESS OF APPLICATION FOR THE FCCCM examination

- 1. Who can apply? Any medical graduate of modern medicine holding a minimum MBBS degree and one year experience in ICU can apply.
- 2. Can a doctor from any country apply? Doctors from any country who meet the minimum requirement and have an interest in Critical Care Medicine/ Intensive Care Medicine can register for the course and examination. As most of the examination is now conducted online, geographical location, travel expenses / inconvenience are now not an issue. In many countries, there exist multiple systems of medical practice [Allopathy (modern medicine), Ayurvedic medicine, Unani system of medicine, Homeopathy etc]. Apart from Modern/Allopathic system of Medicine, practitioners of regional system of medicine are not eligible to enrol for this examination.
- 3. Where can I download the application form? The older system of paper application forms are discontinued. All applications are made online.
 - a. Go to <u>www.ICUeducation.com</u> and register yourself. Each Candidate MUST have their own registration and login ID. (Note: as lots of online training and assignments are done using "Google classroom" it is highly recommended that you create and use a gmail ID for your email. Other emails may not easily integrate with google classroom).



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- b. Go to "dashboard" where you will see a list of examinations open for registration.
- c. "Register" means the exam is open for registration. "Notify me" means the exam is not open for registration at this moment. If you wish to be notified whenever

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	Exam	Status	Action
	Part 1 FCCCM exam-2022(Primary Examination)	Not Registered	Register
	Part 2 - 2021(Fellowship Examination)	Not Registered	Notify Me

registrations open for that category of examination, then you can click on "Notify me".

 d. If you click on "Register" for any exam, the system will first check if you are a Member of the College of Critical Care Medicine. This is a pre-requisite for enrolling for an examination. If you are not a member, you will get a red alert on top of the page "Please become a CCM member to register for exam".

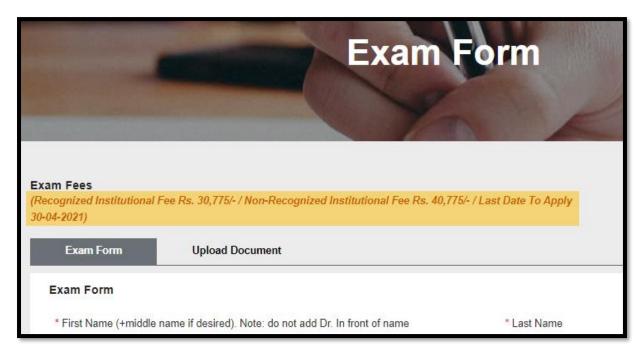
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e. For College of Critical Care Medicine (CCM) Life Membership, go to the" College of Critical Care Medicine" section and click on "Become a CCM member". If you are already a member or have just become a member of CCM, the Membership number is immediately displayed (see picture below). (if you have subscribed and even after 4 hrs your membership number is not displayed, please contact the College on whatsapp (+919820038240) or email (chairman@ccef.in) with proof of payment (screenshot of payment made with CCavenue reference number). Now you can print your Membership Certificate as well as your ID Card.

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- f. Once you have your membership of the CCM, resume with examination registration.
- g. The first message you see is informing you that the fee is different for candidates registering from a recognized institute/hospital as opposed to non-institutional candidates. What is a recognized institute? Why do their candidates pay less?
 - a) <u>Recognized Institutes/ Hospitals:</u> Many major hospitals appreciate the quality of the FCCCM examination conducted by CCEF and approach the Critical Care Education Foundation to officially recognize them as a training centre in Critical Care Medicine for purpose of the FCCCM examination. This favours them being selected/ approached by prospective, academically oriented candidates and enriching their ICU standards. For this the hospitals pay the CCEF an application/ processing fee and undergo a formal inspection/assessment of the ICU for suitability as a training centre. The College makes all efforts to see that teachers/co-ordinators are available locally to guide the candidates and prepare them for the examinations.



- b) Non-Institutional Candidate: In the beginning of this prestigious examination history, only candidates from recognised hospitals could take this examination. This meant that many prospective candidates working in ICUs outside major cities were denied the opportunity to uplift their career in Critical Care Medicine. Brilliant young doctors working in major cities but working/staying away from such recognized institute, doctors working in smaller towns, doctors unable to shift to major cities for personal/family reasons and young consultants who already have an established medical practice and can therefore not close practice for a few years to migrate to a major city where all loosing out on the opportunity to endorse their knowledge and skills in Critical Care by passing the FCCCM examination of the CCEF. After a prolonged deliberation by the National Academic Council of the College of Critical Care Medicine, it was agreed to take these potential young doctors from not only outside major cities in India but also from all other countries for the following reasons:
 - a. The value of the FCCCM examination of CCEF, is being increasingly recognized by medical colleagues in other countries especially the Middle- and low-income countries where the economical and cultural values are like India and our similarities outweigh our differences.
 - b. The risk of inadequate local training can be met by the online supplemental training by the College of Critical Care Medicine by way of online classes and online assignments and selfassessment opportunities.
 - c. Most of the Middle- and low-income countries need many trained intensivists quickly (as we have learnt from the recent Covid-19 Pandemic).
 - d. The opportunity to have an online mentor, online teaching and being able to give most of the examination online with the help of Proctored Examination will be a tremendous financial relief to these budding young intensivists in Middle- and low-income countries especially those living outside major cities.
- Now having decided whether you are from a recognized institute or not, proceed to fill the application form.
 - a. First Name: Please DO NOT add "Dr." in front of your name as that will be automatically added in all certificates. If you wish for a middle name to be included (eg. Kumar with first name Praveen), then add after first name itself with space. (Only last name/surname should be written in Last name column as 1 word). Eg. Name is Dr. Shifaatullah Khan Shabaz Mohammed. So "Dr" is omitted, "Shifaatullah Khan Shabaz" is written in space for first name and finally "Mohammed" witten as last name.

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- b. Name as it should appear on certificate: Here type Name EXACTLY as it should appear on certificate. (eg. Jain Praveen Kumar, Praveen Kumar Jain, Praveen Jain etc)
- c. Email should preferable be a gmail account as most online teaching uses google classroom and google email accounts easily accepted (others may have a problem). Create a Gmail account if necessary.
- d. Mobile number: ensure that whatsapp is available on this number. DO NOT give a friends/ relatives number.

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e. All * marked fields are compulsory to be entered.

f. UPLOADING your photograph: Please note that a GOOD quality photo must be uploaded as same will appear on your certificates. Ensure that a <u>light background</u> is used. Wear formal clothes (Plain shirt) for the photograph and have it clicked in professional studio. Only JPEG, JPG or PNG formats can be uploaded. The size MUST BE 413 pixel wide and 531 pixel in height. You will need to ask the photography studio to give in that size exactly or you can easily resize a digital photograph using free downloadable program like paint.net (details of procedure to resize image is given in another link on this website.

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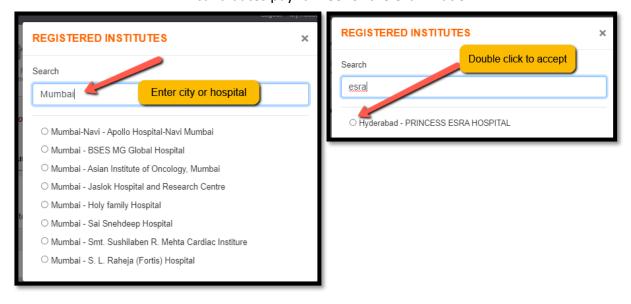
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> g. Institute from which Registered: Here you have opportunity to see which institutes/hospitals are recognized by CCEF for purpose of the FCCCM training. Click on "Verify institute".

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h. In the search space provided you can search by city or name of hospital. If your hospital (from which you are registering) is in the list, then click to select. AS mentioned above, the fee for examination registration is subsidized for candidates whos institute is listed in the "Registered institutes". All other candidates pay full fee for the examination.



- UPLOADING DOCUMENTS: Once you click on "next" you move onto the document upload section. <u>All documents marked as</u> <u>* are mandatory.</u> Files can be in JPEG, JPG, PNG or PDF format. PDF is the most preferred format here.
- j. Once all fields are completed and rechecked, Click "REGISTER" to complete the process.
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 Now your application and uploaded documents will be physically reviewed by the College of Critical Care Medicine. If everything is in order, your application will be approved. This will reflect on the <u>www.ICUeducation.com</u> dashboard.

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m. Once registered, You will see the "action buttons" to see your mentor details, Take practice tests and to upload logbook and other documents to the college towards your ACADEMIC CREDIT POINTS.