Advancing Board Certification for Nurses

Excellence. Achievement. Impact.



BCEN develops robust certification exams fostering empowered nurses across the emergency spectrum who contribute noticeably to patient care, safety and outcomes.



Emergency Nursing Specialty Certifications



Commitment to

100%

Quality, Service and Excellence



9,857

Respondents to BCEN's First Large-Scale Study

Four Decades of Leadership



BCEN has been certifying emergency nurses since we introduced the CEN® in 1980. Today, we offer 5 specialty certifications including the CPEN®, CFRN®, CTRN® and TCRN®.

>50,000

BCEN certifications held by adult and pediatric emergency, transport and trauma RNs.

BCEN Research



Over 8,800 RNs and 1,000 supervisors responded to BCEN's Value of CEN® Certification Research Study.

The **CEN®** is the most widely held, sought after board certification for emergency RNs.

BCEN Awards & Scholarships



Annual Distinguished CEN, CPEN, **CFRN/CTRN** and **TCRN** Awards



Annual National Certification Champion Awards (Small Facility, Large Facility, and Health System)



\$175K in Annual Scholarships

What Nurses Say about being CEN-certified:



Feeling of accomplishment and pride



Having the knowledge I need on the job



Greater career success and satisfaction

Why Supervisors Value the CEN:



The CEN® is valuable to the emergency nursing profession



It's important to have CEN®certified nurses in my organization



It's important for nurses to maintain their CEN® over time by getting recertified



National board certification is the nursing profession's highest professional credential. BCEN develops robust certification exams fostering empowered nurses across the emergency spectrum who contribute noticeably to patient care, safety and outcomes.



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BCEN's CEN®, CFRN®, CPEN®, and TCRN® certification programs are accredited by the Accreditation Board for Specialty Nursing Certifications (ABSNC), signifying they have demonstrated compliance with the industry's highest quality standards.

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