



Defense Health Agency, J-7, Continuing Education Program Office

Mary Lipscomb Hamrick Research Course

Blended Learning/Hybrid, March 31 – April 25, 2025

Continuing Education (CE)/Continuing Medical Education (CME) Information

This CE/CME activity is accredited by the DHA, J-7, Continuing Education Program Office (CEPO). This activity provides continuing education for physician assistants, registered dietitians, dietetic technicians, occupational therapists, occupational therapy assistants, physical therapists, and physical therapist assistants. A certificate of attendance is available for other attendees.

Mary Lipscomb Hamrick Research Course (16.50 clock hours)

Learning Objectives:

1. Describe the Army Medical Specialist Corps (AMSC) research mission, the four AMSC lines of research (LOR), and an overview of existing research conducted within each LOR.
2. Develop a formal protocol, seek approval through their local institutional review board (IRB), and conduct research with the goal of publication and dissemination to Army Medical (AMEDD) providers and U.S. Army Training and Doctrine Command (TRADOC)/ Army Medical Command (MEDCOM)/ United States Army Forces Command (FORSCOM) leaders as appropriate.
3. Identify the research tools and resources available to effectively conduct research within the AMSC.
4. Describe procedures for presentation and publication of research.
5. Conduct practical exercises to identify AMSC research priorities and facilitate collaboration between junior and senior AMSC researchers.

Module 1

1. Define the Army Medical Specialist Corps (AMSC) research priorities.
2. Create a feasible research question and hypothesis.
3. Identify the appropriate study design for the proposed research study.

Module 2

1. Identify common pitfalls of creating and submitting a research protocol.
2. Demonstrate understanding of the purpose of the IRB.
3. Contrast case studies, randomized control trials, and systematic reviews.

Module 3

1. Compare qualitative and quantitative research characteristics.
2. Examine the value and practical relevance of observational research.
3. Discuss the data management process to protect human subject's data and receive approval from the IRB.
4. Determine the appropriate statistical tests for a proposed research study.

Module 4

1. Outline the Manuscript writing steps and identify common barriers to publication.
2. Determine whether research results are appropriate for poster or platform.
3. Discuss the recommended steps of preparation for podium presentation.

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Interprofessional Continuing Education (IPCE)



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Physician Assistants (AAPA) - Live



DHA, J-7, CEPO has been authorized by the American Academy of PAs (AAPA) to award AAPA Category 1 CME credit for activities planned in accordance with AAPA CME Criteria. This activity is designated for 16.50 hours of AAPA Category 1 CME credits. Physician assistants should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation.

Registered Dietitians and Dietetic Technicians, Registered (CDR)



Completion of this RD/DTR profession-specific or IPCE activity awards CPEUs (One IPCE credit = One CPEU).

If the activity is dietetics-related but not targeted to RDs or DTRs, CPEUs may be claimed which are commensurate with participation in contact hours (One 60 minute hour = 1 CPEU).

RD's and DTRs are to select activity type 102 in their Activity Log. Sphere and Competency selection is at the learner's discretion.

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The DHA, J-7, CEPO is an American Occupational Therapy Association (OTA) Approved Provider of professional development (PD). PD activity approval ID# 07699. This blended/hybrid is offered at 1.65 CEUs introductory, professional issues. OTA does not endorse specific course content, products, or clinical procedures.

Physical Therapists and Physical Therapy Assistants (PTA)



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Other Professionals

All other health care professionals completing this CE/CME activity will be issued a Certificate of Attendance indicating participation and the number of hours of CE/CME credit. This may be used for submission to licensing boards for satisfaction of CE/CME requirements.

Commercial Support:

No commercial support was provided for this activity.

Participation Costs:

There is no cost to participate in this activity.

CE/CME Inquiries:

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How to Obtain CE/CME Credit:

To receive CE/CME credit, you must complete the program posttest(s) and evaluation(s) before collecting your certificate(s). The posttests and evaluations will be available through 9 May 2025 at 2359 ET at the following URL:

www.dhaj7-cepo.com