Navigating the CDISC Learning System and Our Many Training Offerings

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TUE 2 FEB
11:00AM-12:30PM ET

Today's Agenda

1. Housekeeping
2. Presenter Introductions
3. Feature Presentations
4. Question & Answer Session
5. Upcoming Learning Opportunities & Resources

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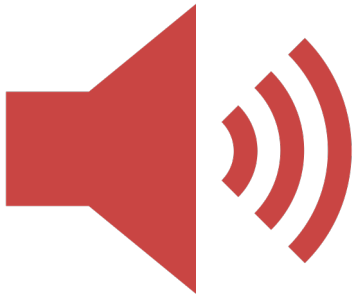

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There will be a **Q&A**

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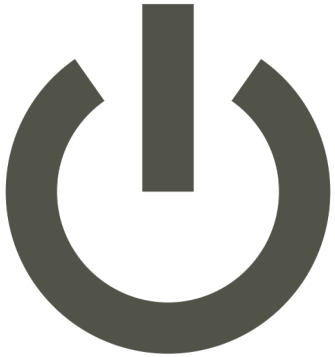

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Shut down & restart GoToWebinar

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Webinar slides & recording available
for **CDISC Members**

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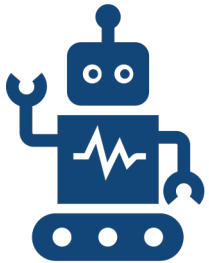
The CDISC Learning Management System (LMS)

What does ‘LMS’ stand for?

LMS is an acronym for

‘Learning Management System’



What is an ‘LMS’?

It manages and delivers education and training material, and learner-instructor interactions, online.

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There are many LMS applications available.

CDISC uses Totara,

How-To

Creating and Accessing an Account in the CDISC Learning Management System (LMS)

CDISC Course Catalog & Store

Navigate to the CDISC Course Catalog

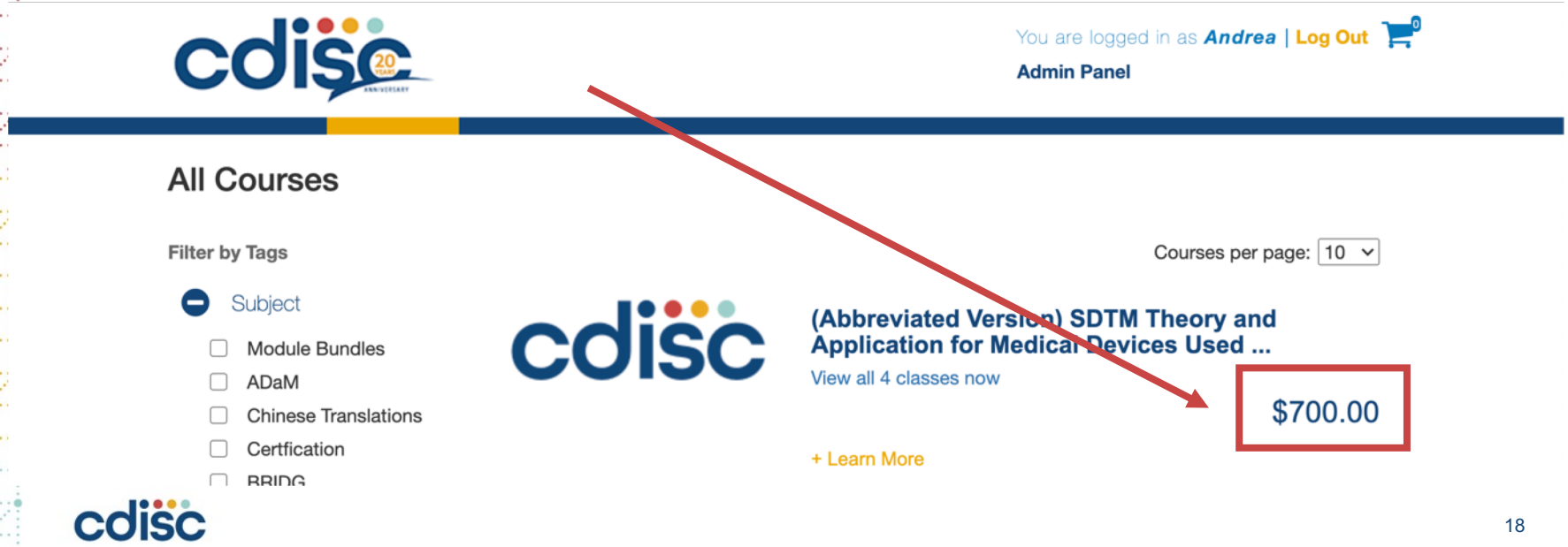
- Click on **'Browse Our Course Catalog'** in the navigation bar and select **'All Courses'**

CDISC Training Product Catalog

- Filter by **Tags** (Subject, Certification, Course Type, or Course Region)
- Discounted training prices for members

CDISC Training Discounts

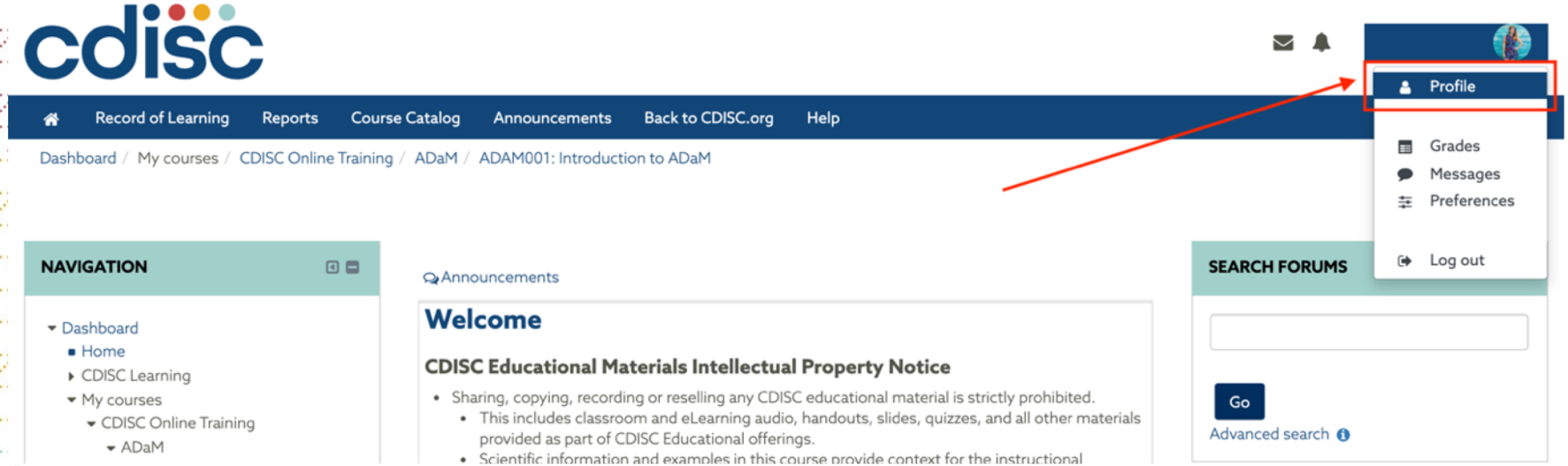
- Discounted training prices for members



How to Navigate the LMS

How-to Access & Update Your Profile in the LMS

- Click on **'Profile'**
- Click on **'Edit profile'**
- Click on **'Update profile'** to save your changes

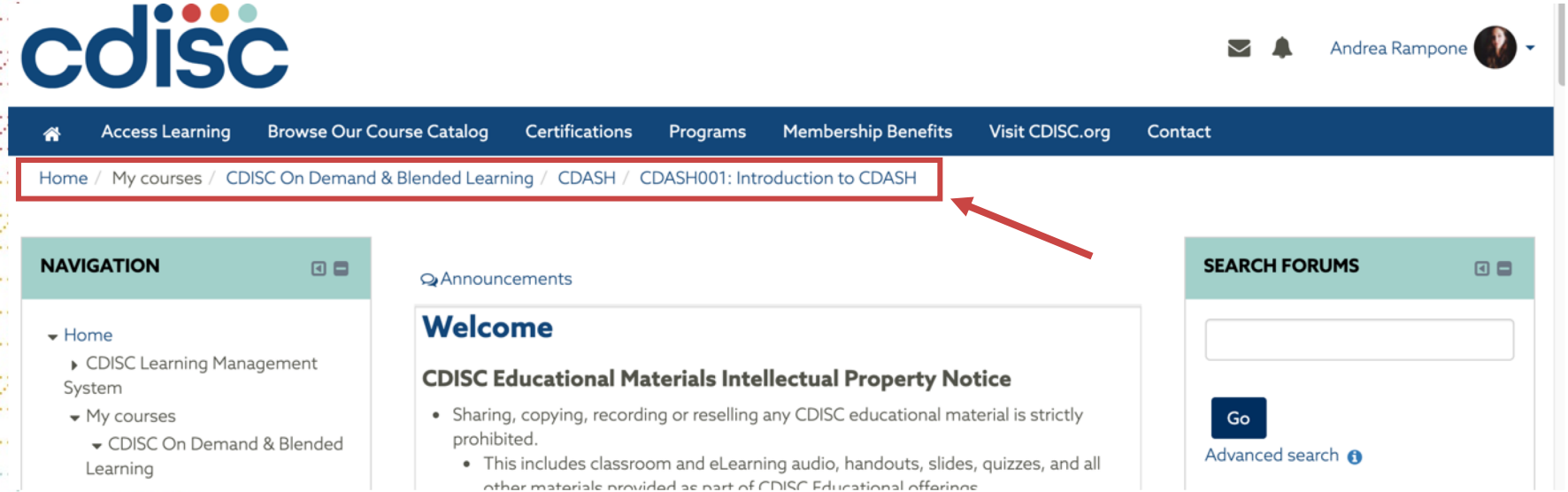


How-to Navigate to Your Enrolled Training

- **Navigation column** is on the left.

How-to Navigate on Your Course Page

- Use the **‘breadcrumbs’** to navigate throughout course



Navigating Course Page

- Talk about the different components in a course
  - Videos
  - Activities (H5P preferable)
  - Assessment (show first page)
  - Certificates

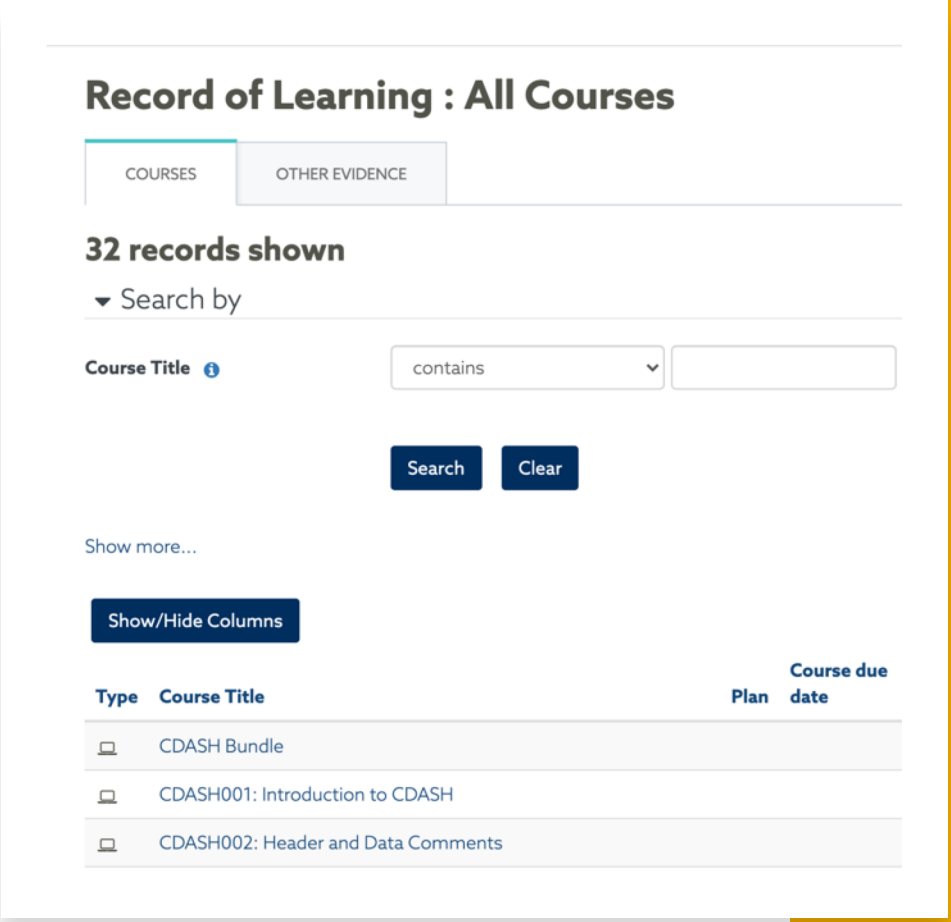
How-to Access Your Record of Learning

- Navigate to the **Record of Learning**
- *Access Learning > Record of Learning*

Record of Learning

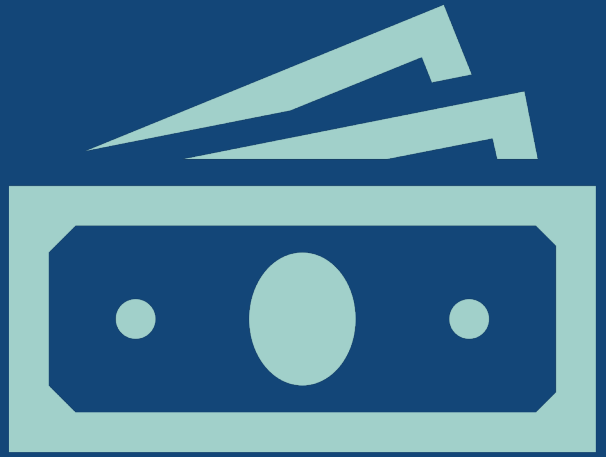
The ‘Record of Learning’ displays:

- Enrolled Courses
- Course Type
- Course Progress
- Certifications



CDISC Member Discounts

Membership Credits



CDISC Member Education Benefits

CDISC Gold Members
$1,000 online training credit
20% discount on CDISC Online Training
20% discount on CDISC Events
20% discount on ODM Certification

CDISC Platinum Members
$2,500 online training credit*
40% discount on CDISC Online Training
40% discount on CDISC Events
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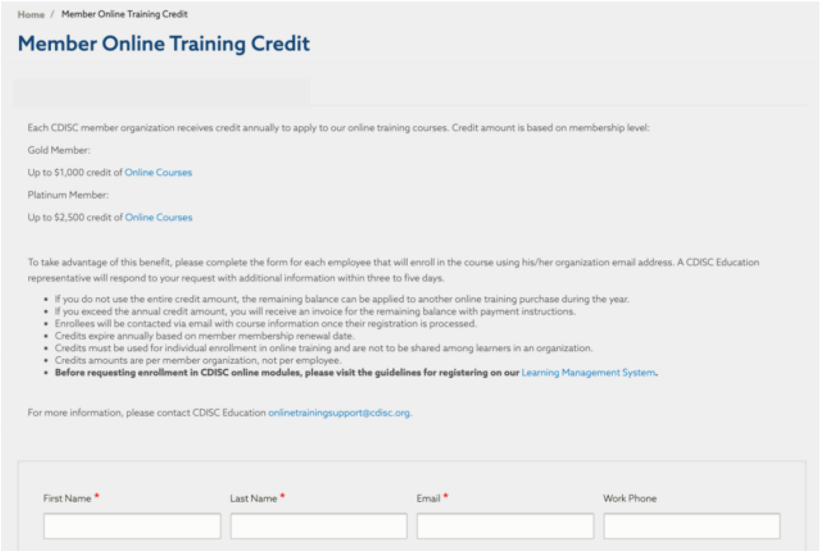
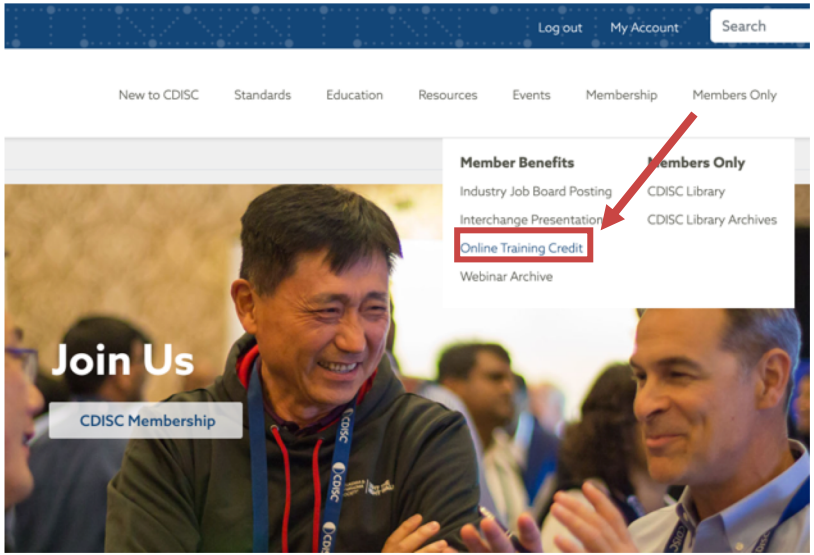
***Complimentary ½ day** 'CDISC for Newcomers' virtual training

Member Online Training Credit

- To take advantage of this benefit, complete the '**Member Online Training Credit**' form





Member Online Training Credit

Enrollees will be contacted via email with course information once their registration is processed.

Training Credit Balance

For online training credit balance contact onlinetrainingsupport@cdisc.org

Training Credit Distribution

Credit amounts are per member organization, not per employee

Remaining Credit Balance

Remaining balance can be applied to another online training purchase during the year.

Invoice for Remaining Balance

If you exceed the annual credit amount, you will receive an invoice

Credit Expiration Date

Credits expire annually based on member membership renewal date.

CDISC Training Support

Online Training Support

Contact onlinetrainingsupport@cdisc.org

General Training Questions

Contact training@cdisc.org

Thank you!

Does my training expire?

- Your CDISC training **does not** expire.

CDISC Tabulate Certification

Origins of the CDISC Certification Program

2018-2019 Blue Ribbon Commission Report

- A Clinical Standards Certification:
  - builds strong standards ecosystem,
  - improves homogeneity of implementation, and
  - provides substrate for company-level certification

CDISC Certification Benefits

Validate Skills

Assess Potential Hires

Provide Clients With Proven Expertise

Tabulate Certification

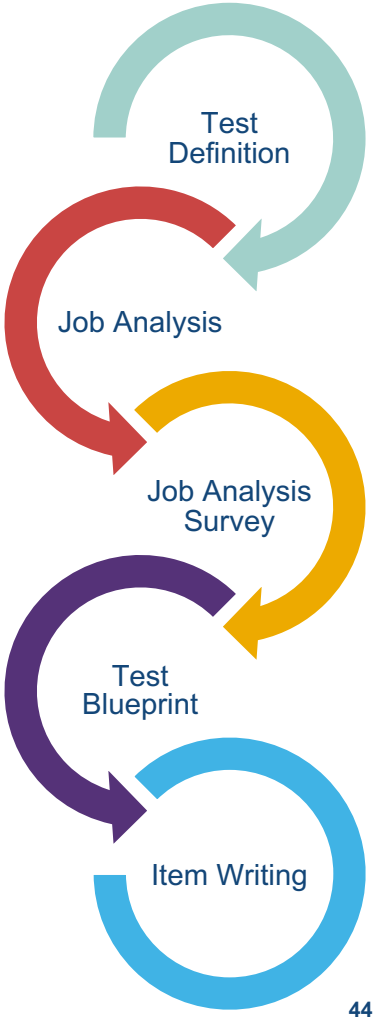
Demonstrates **knowledge and the competency** necessary to utilize the SDTM and the SDTMIG.

CDISC Tabulate Certification requirements:

- Three years of experience with the CDISC standards is **recommended**
- Register for the certification and pay the corresponding fee
- Pass the CDISC Tabulate Certification Exam

Test Development Process

- CDISC worked with Kryterion Global Testing Solutions
- SMEs developed Job Analysis, Test Definition, and Job Analysis Survey
- Survey administered – received 331 responses
- Survey responses used to develop Test Blueprint
- Test Blueprint guide for item writing
- Items written, reviewed, and approved by SMEs



Exam Scope

- Exam Domains and Corresponding Weight
  - Example: General Concepts, Terms and Assumptions, and Conformant Dataset Structure (30%)
- Knowledge and Skill Statements for each Exam Domain:
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Exam Domains

- General Concepts, Terms and Assumptions, and Conformant Dataset Structure
- General Observation Classes
- Domain-Specific Knowledge
- Findings About, Custom Domains, Associated Persons, and Study References
- Special Purpose Domains
- Controlled Terminology, Conformance, and Other References
- The Trial Design Model
- Relationships Among Datasets and Record

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Examples of Knowledge and Skills Tested

General Concepts, Terms and Assumptions, and Conformant Dataset Structure

- Skill to correctly apply formats for date/time variables, including the correct precision
- Skill to correctly apply formats for duration and elapsed time variables
- Knowledge of the algorithm for “study day” variables
- Skill to appropriately use relative timing variables
- Skill to appropriately use time point variables
- Skill to appropriately use disease milestone timing variables
- Skill to correctly represent original and standardized results
- Skill to correctly represent options for indicating the fact that a test or set of tests was not done
- Skill to correctly represent lengthy text strings

Test Structure and Format

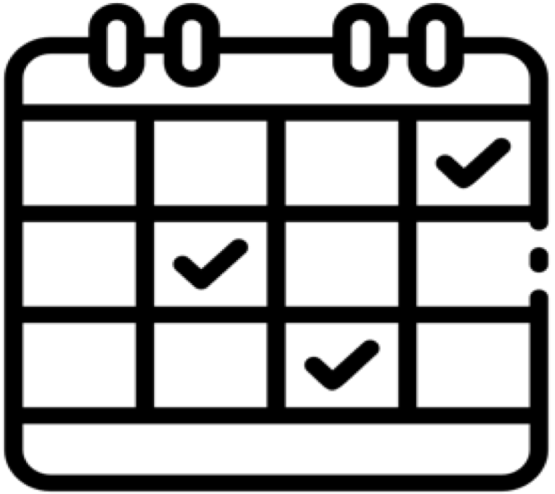
- Two pilot (beta) tests developed using SDTM v1.7 and SDTMIG v3.3
- 188 questions
  - The CDISC Tabulate Certification Pilot Exam consists of 125 scored items and 53 unscored questions.
- Multiple-choice (single answer) questions
- The exam duration is expected to last 4.5 hours (5 hours total sitting time).
- Pilot test used to determine the passing score for the exam
- Final tests expected to be 125-150 multiple-choice questions

Certification Fees

- $500 exam fee
- $300 discounted pilot rate (through FEB 2021)
- No annual maintenance fees
- Recertification required every three years
- $500 recertification exam fee

Exam Scheduling

- Exam scheduling and attendance is managed by our certification partner, Prometric
- 2 settings: at a testing center (onsite), or from your home or office (remote proctored)
- You can select any convenient timeslot during the 2-months testing window



Sitting for the exam

- Plan ample time prior to the exam
- No documentation is allowed
- A 15 min break is built in the 4.5h exam duration
- Research specific requirements of your exam location

Exam results

Pilot session: pass/fail result available up to 6 weeks after session's end

Regular session: results available immediately

If successful: single "Pass" grade

If unsuccessful: domain-specific feedback will be provided

Certification Maintenance

No maintenance fees (New!)

Every 3 years: exam re-take to ensure currency of knowledge

$500 recertification exam fee (New!)

Pilot session specificities

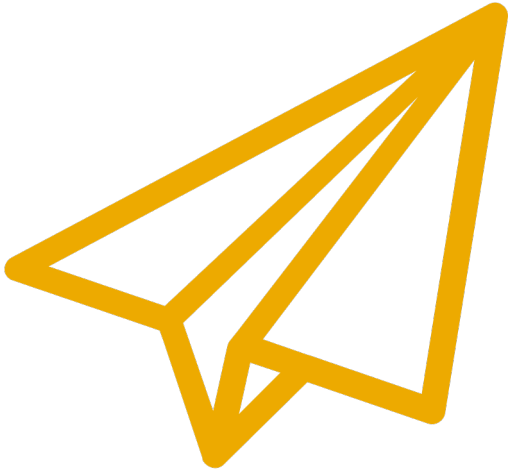
- Reduced price
- Slightly longer exam
- Exam results not available immediately
- Limited seats – first 150 registrants

Changes to Certification Processes

- Changes based on CDISC Community feedback:
  - No annual $300 maintenance fee
  - $500 flat recertification exam fee every 3 years
  - No work experience required
  - Pilot period extended to FEB 28 2021
  - Group Discounts (contact certification@cdisc.org for info)
- CDISC will continue to improve Certification program

CDISC Certification Questions

Contact certification@cdisc.org



Thank You!

Upcoming Training Opportunities

Blended Learning

Public Training

- Registration open to all
- ***First 2021 event begins today! Contact syousef@cdisc.org to be enrolled.***
  - Next opportunity for SDTM, CDASH, and ADaM in May
- English and Japanese (separately)
- Full details here: https://www.cdisc.org/education/online-training/blended-learning

Private Training

- Exclusive to your organization
- Membership not required
- Available all year
- Submit request online: https://www.cdisc.org/contact

Virtual Classroom Training

Public Training

- Registration open to all
- Next opportunity in March: CDASH, SDTM, ADaM, XML, and more
- English language (Japanese and Mandarin sessions available later in year)
- Full details here: https://www.cdisc.org/education/virtual-classroom-training

Private Training

- Exclusive to your group
- Membership not required
- Available all year
- Submit request online: https://www.cdisc.org/contact

In-Person Training

Public and private training on hold until further notice

Questions

Use CDISC contact form:
https://www.cdisc.org/contact

Contact general EDU inbox:
training@cdisc.org

Contact Saad directly: syousef@cdisc.org

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2021 Webinars

Date	Webinar Title
4 FEB	Public Review Webinar: COVID-19 Therapeutic Area User Guide Update
23 FEB	What's Different about SDTM for Clinical and Non-Clinical Trials
2 MAR	Current and Forthcoming ADaM Publications
16 MAR	QRS "Office Hours"
25 MAR	Public Review Webinar: Pancreatic Cancer Therapeutic Area User Guide
1 APR	Controlled Terminology Updates for Q1 2021
1 JUL	Controlled Terminology Updates for Q2 2021
Coming Soon	CDASH "Office Hours"; ADaM "Office Hours"; CDISC Library Update
Visit https://www.cdisc.org/education/webinars for information on additional Public Training events.	

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