

ABAT UP TO DATE



The American Board of Applied Toxicology establishes and maintains national standards of excellence for clinical toxicologists through a rigorous credentialing examination, and re-credentialing process to board certify its diplomates.

LIFE LONG LEARNING ARTICLES (LLSA)

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Since 2014, LLSA has provided a process for DABATs to validate that there were keeping current in their toxicology knowledge base. In addition to the bi-annual webinar programs, a yearly set of LLSA (4 articles) with self-assessment exams are selected and created by ABAT members and lead by Kathi Meier, chair of the LLSA and Webinar Committees.

In 2018, the committee was expanded from 2 members to 4, each member primarily responsible for writing questions for one article. All articles and exams are forwarded to the AACT Scientific Committee for review and comment.

The ABAT certification renewal requirements were revised in recent years. The education requirement for every 5-year renewal cycle is 3 fold:

- 30 CEU
- 2 ABAT Journal club Webinars
- 4 ABAT Sessions: 4 ABAT LLSA articles/exams or 4 LLSA Live sessions at NACCT

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LLSA, continued...

How to access LLSA Article exams

Go to <https://testing.exambuilder.com/> to take the ABAT LLSA Article Exams. You will first need to register on the site.

From the log-in screen, click "Register" and then complete the required fields.

Registration ID is CASS-DKZ-RZI

Click on any article exam to begin.

You must complete all four article exams to retrieve certificate.

Article titles from 2014 to 2019 are now posted.

2020 LLSA article titles and exams will be posted by July 2021.

Meet the five busy members of LLSA. Thank You for your service! If you would like to get involved with this ABAT committee, please email Kathi at kmeier@calpoison.org.

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DID YOU KNOW...

In 1842, Boston pharmacist Olive Chase invented the machine which lead to the production of medical lozenges - and then, candy hearts. Chase founded the New England Confectionery Company... **Necco.**



As part of Life Long Learning, the next AACT/ABAT Journal Club will be held on **Tuesday, April 6, 2021 at 1 PM EST.**

The physo-stigma enigma, what's the "DRYL"?

Speakers:

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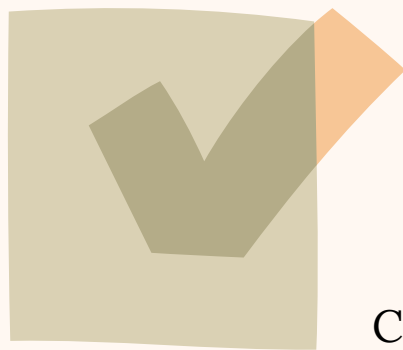
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CERTIFICATION RENEWAL

If your name is listed below, 2021 is your year to renew your ABAT certification!

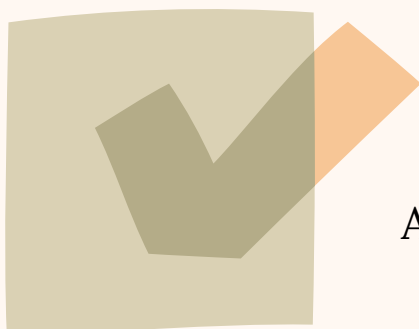
The ABAT requires certification renewal every five years. Rachel Gorodetsky, PharmD, DABAT and Natalija Farrell, PharmD, DABAT are the current Chairs of the Certification Renewal Committee. All documents must be submitted no later than July 1 of the year you are instructed to renew. For more information and for the certification renewal form, please visit

www.clintox.org/education/abat/certification-renewal-documents



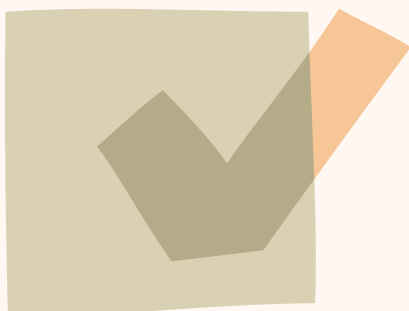
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Sharon Ternullo
Ilene Anderson
Robert Seabury

Alberto Augsten
William Eggleston
Sara Lookabill

Read an interesting tox
article recently and want
to share the knowledge?
Looking for a mini- or
longitudinal project for
your residents or fellows?

Question
of the
Day

AACT's Drs. Jeanna Marraffa and Nicholas Nacca are requesting your assistance with AACT's *Question of the Day* entries. They would welcome your contributions to help support the continuation of this fun and insightful daily delivery. If interested in contributing, please contact Jeanna Marraffa at marraffj@upstate.edu or visit clintox.org

They have created a submission form on the website for easy access for members to submit QOD with the format. They would need a question; answer; a reference, a few keywords, and also confirm that they do not have any financial disclosures.

REMINDER

ABAT Board of Directors would like to remind every eligible ABAT member to consider applying for the

Fellow of the American Academy of Clinical Toxicology designation.

The AACT Board of Trustees wishes to recognize Academy members whose contributions are important to the Academy and to the field of clinical toxicology. To honor those members whose contributions have been of significant benefit to the Academy, and advanced the field of clinical toxicology, the FAACT designation has been created. Applications for FAACT status are reviewed by the AACT Fellowship Committee. **The application window opens early Spring and closes in June.**

Please visit clintox.org for more information.