

PDU Ideas

The Child Life Certification Commission Communications Committee is dedicated to providing information regarding all matters of certification. One area that is a challenge often expressed by ACLP members is obtaining PDUs. The difficulty in obtaining PDUs can be related to costs associated with continuing education sessions, lack of access to available opportunities, or ability to find topics related to domain-specific requirements. The good news is there are opportunities for PDUs in unexpected places, with options that are free and/or available online. The Communications Committee would like to take this time to introduce or remind the membership of additional methods for obtaining PDUs. The following is a list of PDU opportunities that in no way is all-inclusive but offers a wide scope of offerings that will provide PDU's. Some have a cost attached to them and many are free.

Please note: the following list of PDU opportunities is provided for your review. Other than ACLP offerings, ACLP/CLCC does not endorse any activity listed here and makes no claims as to the quality of offerings listed. It is the responsibility of the CCLS to evaluate the content and learning outcomes for all PDUs. For a complete listing of PDU-eligible activities, please refer to the [Recertification Manual](#).

Type	Source	Website
Write a Focus article	ACLP	https://www.childlife.org/membership/acpl-bulletin/bulletin-submission-guidelines-instructions
Presenting or co-presenting a professional workshop, seminar, or session at a state, national, or international conference	ACLP	https://www.childlife.org/docs/default-source/certification/Recertification/recertification-manual.pdf?sfvrsn=6
Present a poster	ACLP	https://www.childlife.org/docs/default-source/certification/Recertification/recertification-manual.pdf?sfvrsn=6
Present-Staffed poster session	ACLP	https://www.childlife.org/docs/default-source/certification/Recertification/recertification-manual.pdf?sfvrsn=6
Internship Supervision	ACLP	https://www.childlife.org/docs/default-source/certification/Recertification/recertification-manual.pdf?sfvrsn=6
Publishing	ACLP	https://www.childlife.org/docs/default-source/certification/Recertification/recertification-manual.pdf?sfvrsn=6

Professional Service - Serving on board of directors, committee or task force (for ACLP or other related to the psychosocial care of children in a health care environment)	ACLP	https://www.childlife.org/membership/volunteer-opportunities
ROUNDS - Nursing, Schwartz, Wellness, Spiritual		
	Indiana University	https://cme.medicine.iu.edu/cme-activities/enduring-materials/pediatric-grand-rounds/
	Cincinnati Children's Hospital	https://cchmc.cloud-cme.com/aph.aspx?P=2000
	Seattle Children's Hospital	https://www.seattlechildrens.org/healthcare-professionals/education/
WEBINARS		
	ACLP	http://www.childlife.org/professional-development/webinar-schedule
	The Beryl Institute	http://www.theberylinstitute.org
	Practical Parenting Solutions	http://www.practicalparentingsolutions.com
	The Convenient Classroom	http://theconvenientclassroom.com
	UPedia	http://www.upedia.ca
	EdWeb.net	https://home.edweb.net
	Cancer Support Community	https://www.cancersupportcommunity.org/frankly-speaking-about-cancer-webinars
	Cure Search	https://curesearch.org/Child-Life-Specialist-Webinars
	Texas Health Steps	txhealthsteps.com/courses
	National Hospice and Palliative Care Organization	https://www.erikson.edu/continuing-education/
	National Child Traumatic Stress Network	https://learn.nctsn.org
	Dandelion Webinars	www.dandelionmedical.com/
	Association for Play Therapy	http://www.a4pt.org
	Hope for Henry	https://hopeforhenry.org/
	Hospice Foundation of America	https://hospicefoundation.org/
	Health Care Tool Box	https://hospicefoundation.org/
	The Convenient Classroom	http://theconvenientclassroom.com
	National Association for the Education of Young Children	https://www.naeyc.org/events/trainings-webinars/recorded-webinars

	The Schwartz Center for Compassionate Healthcare	http://www.theschwartzcenter.org
	Coalition for Compassionate Care in California	https://coalitionccc.org/
	Healthcare Services for Children with Special Needs	https://www.hscsnlearning.org/index.php
	Wonders and Worries	https://www.wondersandworries.org/continuing-education-units/
WORKSHOPS		
	Bo's Place	https://www.bosplace.org/en/what-we-do/workshops-and-training/
	American Art Therapy Association	https://arttherapy.org/institute-continuing-education-art-therapy-iceat/
	Life is Good Playmaker Training	training- https://content.lifeisgood.com/kidsfoundation/what-we-do/become-a-playmaker/
CONFERENCES		
	ACLP	http://www.childlife.org
	Great Lakes Association of Child Life Professionals	http://glaclp.com
	Midwest Child Life	https://www.facebook.com/mdwstCLconference/
	Child Life of Greater New York	https://www.clgny.com
	Florida Association of Child Life Professionals	http://www.faclp.org
	National Alliance for Grieving Children	https://childrengrieve.org

If you have additional PDU opportunities that you would like to share with our community or questions/comments, please email them to cert_comms@lists.childlife.org.