



## **Policy on Access to Lifelong Learning Self-Assessment Tests for Medical Toxicology**

### **BACKGROUND**

The Medical Toxicology Subboard wishes that Medical Toxicology diplomates have sufficient opportunities to take Lifelong Learning Self-Assessment (LLSA) tests. At the same time, the Subboard does not want to encourage diplomates attempting to pass the test by trial and error. The Subboard, therefore, wishes to limit the number of times diplomates can take each test per registration and fee payment while offering unlimited access to registration and adequate time to pass each test.

### **POLICY**

It is the policy of the American Board of Emergency Medicine (ABEM) that:

1. Each LLSA test will be available for four years;
2. Medical Toxicology diplomates will have an unlimited number of opportunities to register for an LLSA test during the four years the test is available;
3. Registration for an LLSA test will provide access for up to three test administrations.

### **PROCEDURES**

Each test will be available for four years from the date it becomes available on the ABEM website. Medical Toxicology diplomates may register for and take a test with no minimum time limit between test administrations. A test administration will count as one of the three accesses per registration when the diplomate selects "Score Test" at the end of the test.

### **EXCEPTION**

None