

## Oncology Nursing Certification Corporation Update 2017

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### Smiling Faces of the Current ONCC Board

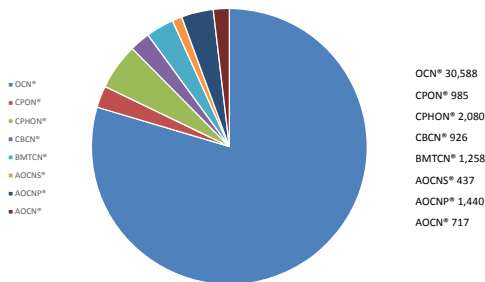


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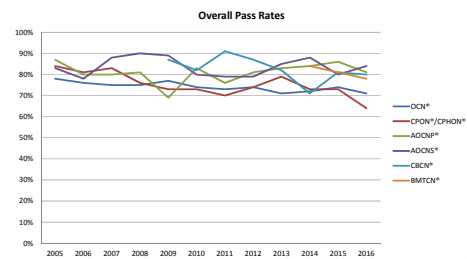


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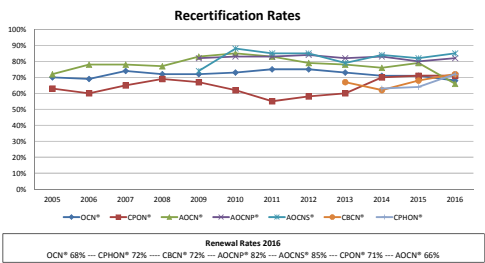
As of June 30, 2017:  
38,431 ONCC Credentials held by 37,281



### ONCC Certification Pass Rates



### ONCC Recertification Rates



### ONCC Programs Maintain High Quality and Rigorous Processes



- NCCA Accreditation provides impartial, third-party validation that ONCC programs have met recognized national and international credentialing industry standards for development, implementation, and maintenance of certification programs.
- Accreditation is valid through 2020.

## Employer Program

**Addresses the barriers to certification**  
**Cost**  
**Fear of Failure**

- Employers agree to provide a minimum of ten ONCC Test Candidates within the year
- Candidates apply without payment
- The employer is invoiced for only those nurses who pass the test
- Those who fail are provided with one retake within a year with payment only for those who pass

Encourage your employer to sign-on  
More information at the ONCC Booth or Call 1-877-7696622

## ONCC Needs YOU

To Volunteer!

There are many opportunities: More than 350 individuals volunteered with ONCC during the past year for

- Item Writing
- Role Delineation Studies
- Passing Score Studies
- Test Development
- Assessment Development
- Nominating
- Appeals
- ONCC News
- Board of Directors

Watch your email for "calls" or contact ONCC staff at [oncc@oncc.org](mailto:oncc@oncc.org)

## Coming in 2018: New Test Blueprints for OCN®, CBCN® and BMTCN®

- ONCC conducts empirical research for each program every five years to ensure the content of the examination is directly tied to current practice (role delineation studies)
- The results are used to update the test blueprints for each certification program
- The new blueprints are available for review on the ONCC Website at [www.oncc.org](http://www.oncc.org)

## Renewal as of 2016 Individual Learning Needs Assessment (ILNA)

Based on a five-step model recommended by the Citizen Advocacy Center to "enable clinicians to practice safe quality care and to support their efforts as life-long learners."  
*The Citizen Advocacy Center Road Map to Continuing Competency Assurance, Washington D.C.: Author*

## First Renewal Cycle

## Ongoing Renewal Cycles

## Points Required for Recertification 88% Need 50 or Fewer Points

ILNA POINTS REQUIRED for NURSES WHO ASSESSED IN 2016				
POINTS REQUIRED BY CREDENTIAL	0-25	26-50	51-75	76-100
OCN®	72%	16%	7%	5%
CPHON®	65%	19%	10%	6%
AOCNS®	86%	9%	3%	2%
AOCNP®	69%	22%	8%	1%
CBCN®	77%	19%	1%	3%
Totals	72%	16%	8%	4%

## ILNA Challenges

- We are finding that certified nurses are not having any difficulty taking the assessment
- Certified nurses understand the content areas in which they need points...however....
- **Nurses are having difficulty matching CE programs to their needs**



## ONCC is here to help!

- Resources on website
- Call the national office

[www.oncc.org](http://www.oncc.org)  
877-769-6622

## Resources-ONCC Website

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### Resource Center

#### Continuing Education Programs by ILNA Category

Click on a category to view a listing of all activities for that category. You can also click on a category to view a listing of all activities for that category. You can also click on a category to view a listing of all activities for that category.

Continuing education programs by a variety of providers listed by ILNA categories



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#### ILNA Points for Conference CE

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ILNA points listed for variety of major conferences

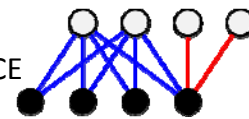
## BIG LIST OF FREE CE FOR ILNA POINTS



We heard you:  
Nurses want FREE CE!!!

- ONCC compiled a list of FREE CE by ILNA category and will continue to update it regularly
- The first version was rolled out at the ONC Congress
- The second version is available here at Leadership Weekend- at the ONCC Booth and on the ONCC website

## Help with Matching CE to ILNA Categories



- ONCC provides the service of matching (coding) CE programs to ILNA categories
- The service is free for ONS/APHON members and chapters
- There is a fee for others, with a discount for non-profit organizations.
- Requests are met within the week they are received.



Most Important: Call Us  
1-877-769-6622

The ONCC staff loves to hear from you and  
wants to help you maintain your certification

Customer service representatives  
and certified nurses are available  
on staff to help you

- Interpret your learning needs
- Find CE to meet your needs
- Determine whether CE  
matches your learning need  
categories
- Assist you in entering your CE  
points into LearningBuilder

Important Friendly Reminder

Manage your  
stress. Don't  
wait until the  
last minute to  
start the renewal  
process!



Thank you  
What else can I help with today?