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# Assuring Quality: Education, Certification, Licensure and Credentialing



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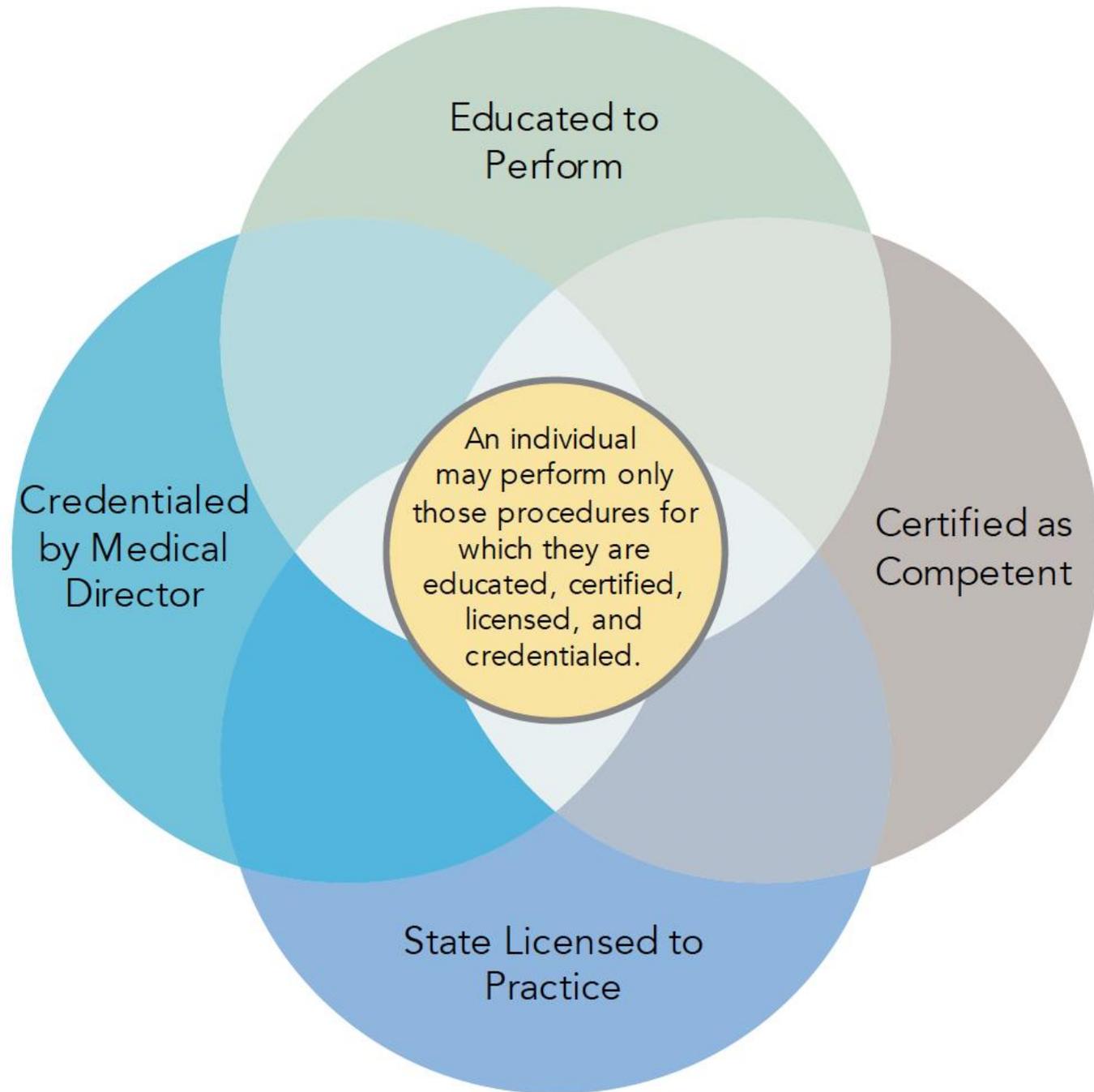
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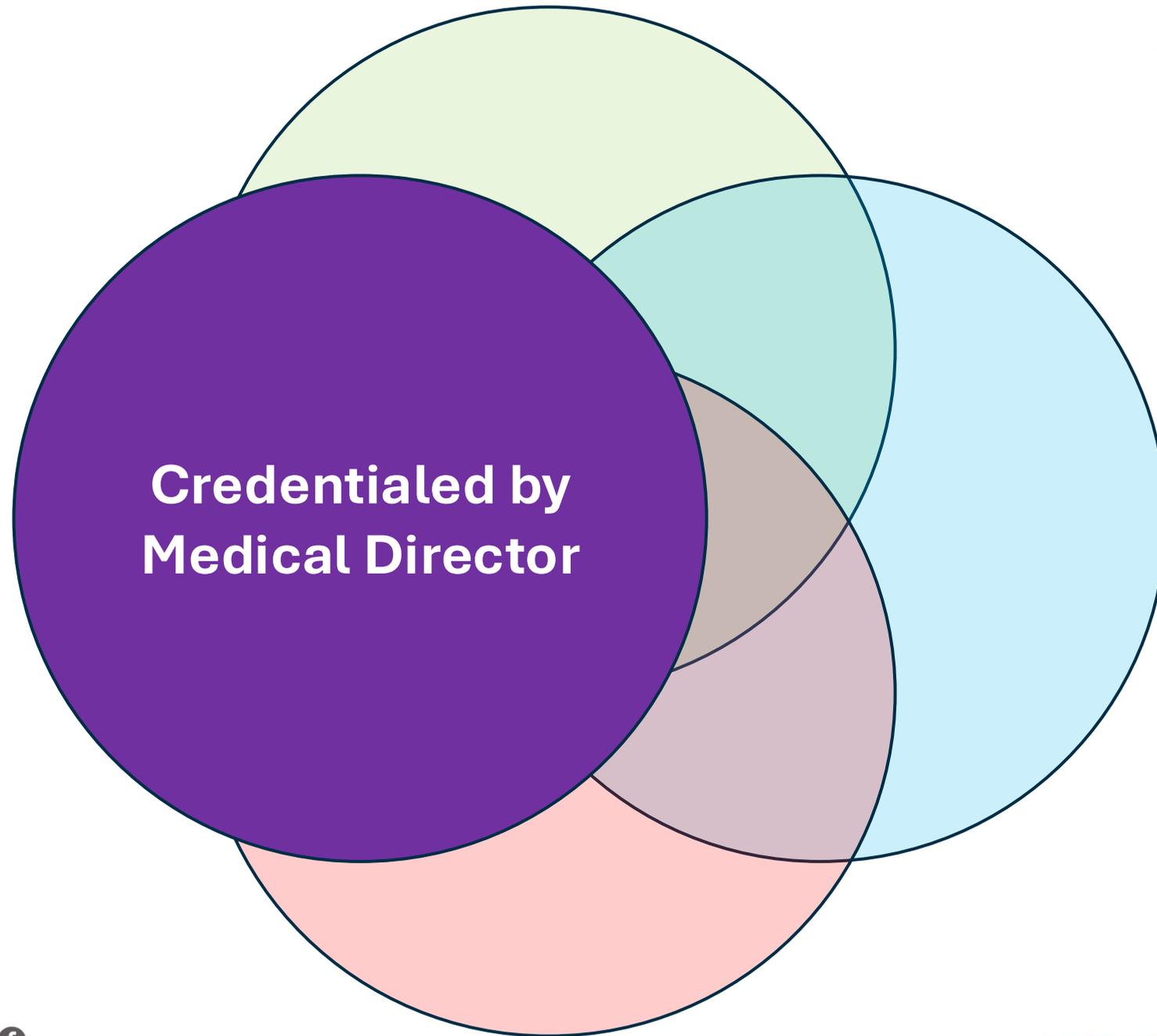
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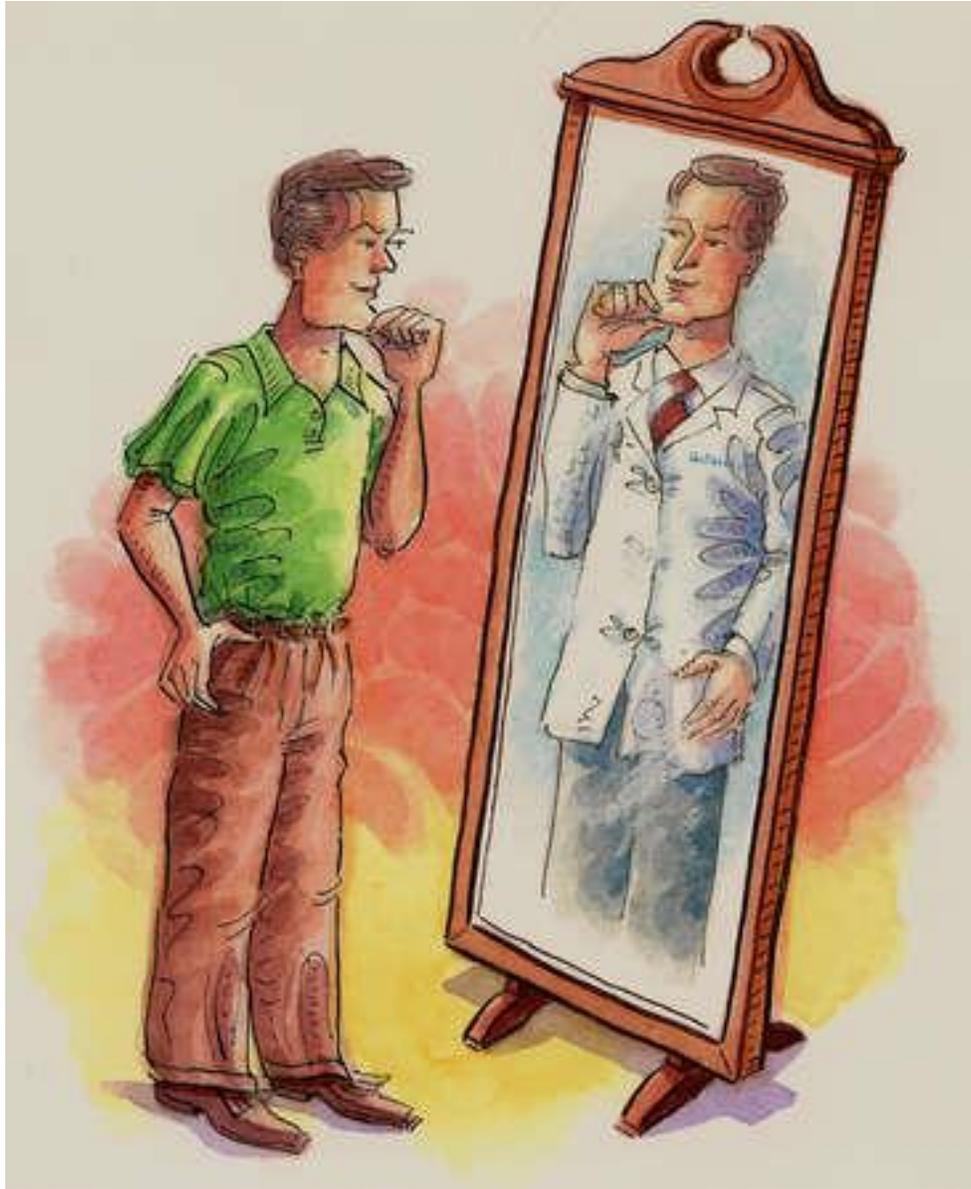




**If in the ideal world,  
YOU could assure quality,  
HOW WOULD YOU  
ACCOMPLISH THAT?**







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# Highlights of the Position Statement

- *“Authorization to practice is a function of state licensure and local credentialing by the EMS physician medical director.”*
- *“Once certified, there remains a need for focused, local standards of carebased assessment of EMS providers. Simply stated, the diversity of clinical and operational protocols, scope(s) of practice, and equipment across different EMS organizations necessitates the local/regional verification of the EMS provider’s clinical and operational abilities.”*

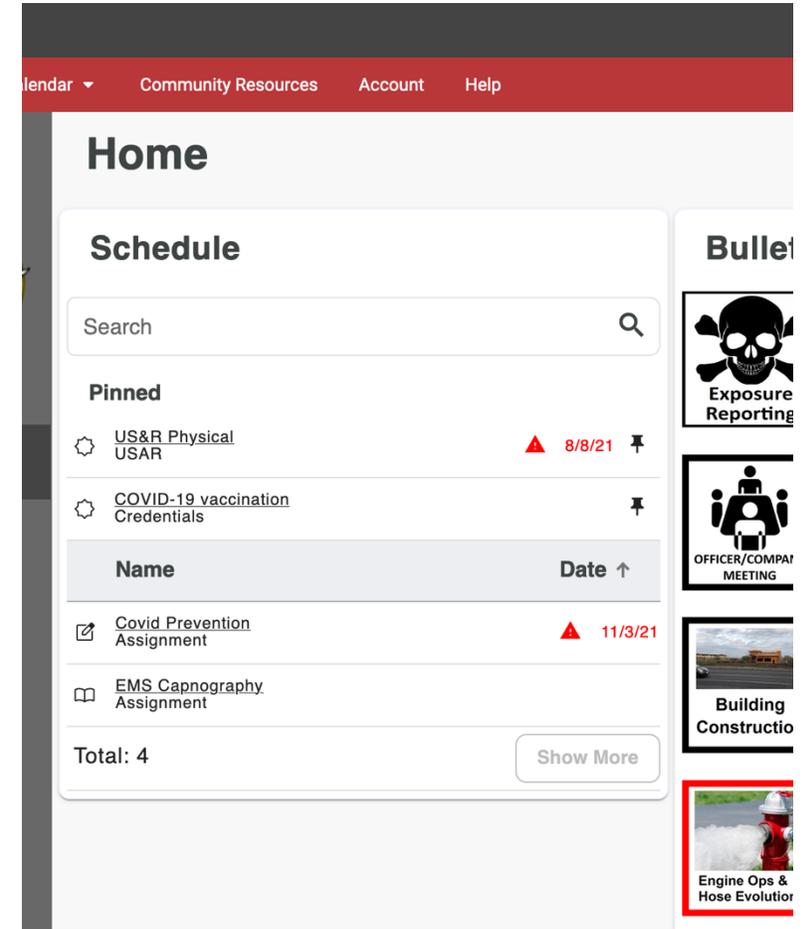
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- *The process of credentialing specifically involves the attestation by an organization's EMS physician medical director that the EMS provider possesses required competencies in the domains of cognitive, affective, and psychomotor abilities.*
- *Credentialing involves **at a minimum**: (1) demonstration of sufficient cognitive knowledge; (2) demonstration of mature, responsible affective ability; (3) demonstration of a command of all involved psychomotor skills; and (4) integrating the three previous domains in the application of critical thinking in the provision of clinical care for all acuities of patients that may be reasonably encountered in the jurisdictionally relevant practice of EMS medicine.*

# One Final Quote

- *the public is best served when **re-verification** of a provider's cognitive, affective, psychomotor, and critical thinking skills, pertinent to relevant clinical situations, occurs **no less frequently than every two (2) years.***

# Examples of Credentialing



# More Recent Examples (like...this month)



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