

VII. CERTIFICATION

Certification validates a case manager's knowledge, competency and skills. Case managers holding an Accredited Case Manager™ (ACM) credential have proven that they are especially equipped to provide case management services within a health care delivery system.

Certification Position Statement *(Approved December 7, 2012):*

- Nurses and social workers with two or more years of health care system experience should have their Accredited Case Manager (ACM) credential by December 31, 2016 to practice health care system case management. Thereafter, because new case managers need 24 months of health care system case management experience to be eligible to take the ACM exam, certification should be achieved by the 36th month of practice.

Source

American Case Management Association (2013). Standards of Practice & Scope of Services for Health Care Delivery System Case Management and Transitions of Care (TOC) Professionals. p. 13. Retrieved from http://www.acmaweb.org/forms/2013SoPBrochure_FINAL_Online.pdf