

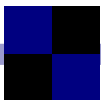
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This brochure is brought to you by the  
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We hope that you have found it to be both  
informative and inspiring.

We are members of ASCLS because the  
future of our profession depends on us.

Please join us in our cause to make a  
DIFFERENCE!!



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## Continuing Education Matters!



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## Continuing Education

If you were certified by the ASCP after 2004 and if you are certified by the NCA, then you know that you need 12 continuing education credits per year (36 total for 3 years) to qualify for the Continuing Maintenance Program (CMP). ASCLS can help you obtain these credits!

-From home study options, web courses, state, regional, and national meetings, seminars, and conferences-

The opportunities are endless!

Visit <http://www.ascls.org/education/index.asp#Anchor-Web> for more information.



## Continuing Education Story

I have found that fulfilling my 12 continuing education credits per year requirement is a piece of cake due to my involvement with the ASCLS. Each year I have attended my constituent state meeting and have obtained between 8-10 credits. That's more than 2/3 of what I need for a year in two days! I also take advantage of the web courses offered through the ASCLS website. They are so informative and keep me abreast of the changes taking place in my area of specialty— and many of them are offered for free for members! If that's not enough, I can always obtain credit through the Focus articles featured in the ASCLS publication— Journal of the American Society for Clinical Laboratory Science. I have been very impressed with what my membership in ASCLS has provided me in terms of continuing education. I do not have to look anywhere else!

Michele E. Lachance, ASCLS member

## Continuing Education Story

ASCLS provides many opportunities to the professional growth of clinical laboratory professionals. I have been a member since 2004. ASCLS has offered me many avenues to grow in my profession. Some of them include knowledge that you may not get in the working world, ways to get your continuing education requirements met, meeting new people and making

friends around the United States, and opportunities to make a difference in the advancement of our profession.

Knowledge is power. Some of the information you learn as a member can be very beneficial. For example, learning about updated CE requirements or license renewal early on. One of the most common advantages to being a member is going to meetings at the state, regional, and national level. You can rack up on your CE's. These meetings are great opportunities in so many different ways

Being a member of ASCLS is very beneficial to you as a professional and to the profession itself.

Beth Wiles, ASCLS member

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