CME - Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

How is CME earned:

We issue Category 1B/2 CME credit for precepting medical students. You can earn 1 CME hour/credit for every hour spent with the student during the assigned rotation (a maximum of 40 hours per week can be earned)

How to report CME to the Clinical Education Department:

We issue CME based on the information provided on each student evaluation form submitted at the end of each rotation. The CME section must be completed. There is space for a primary preceptor and a secondary preceptor to split the CME hours if applicable.

If a rotation site has a large group of preceptors working with the students, a CME breakdown/list will need to be submitted separately. Please submit the CME list to Colleen Galindo at cgalindo@westernu.edu.

How to request a CME Letter:

For DO's, CME is reported to the AOA on a quarterly basis. All DO's can access their CME profile on the AOA website at https://osteopathic.org/cme/. If a CME Letter is needed, send a request via Email to Colleen Galindo at cgalindo@westernu.edu.

For MD's, CME letters are available upon request. You may request a Letter via Email to Colleen Galindo at cgalindo@westernu.edu.