

# SPECIAL DESIGNATIONS

Special designations may be conferred upon CFPC members as determined by the Board. Members may hold one or more special designations.

## MCFP

Member of the College of Family Physicians of Canada (MCFP) is a special designation which may be used by CFPC members in good standing in the following classes: Active, Affiliate Specialist, Sustaining, Senior, and Retired. The privileges, rights, duties, and requirements are determined by the membership class to which they belong.

## CCFP

Certification in the College of Family Physicians of Canada (CCFP) may be granted to College Members who have:

- a) Successfully completed residency training accredited by the CFPC and successfully completed the College's Certification Examination in Family Medicine or an approved equivalent
- OR
- b) Met the College's criteria for practice-eligible candidates as determined by the Board
- OR
- c) Successfully completed discipline-specific training in family medicine in a jurisdiction other than Canada that has been approved by the College as comparable to accredited Canadian training in family medicine, and who currently hold certification in good standing in family medicine or the equivalent qualification from a jurisdiction other than Canada which has been judged by the College to be comparable to Certification in the College of Family Physicians of Canada (CCFP).

## EM

Certificate of Special Competence in Emergency Medicine, CCFP(EM) may be granted to College members who hold CCFP status in good standing and who have:

- a) Successfully completed a College-approved residency training program in emergency medicine
- OR
- b) Met the College's criteria for practice-eligible candidates as determined by the National Board, as set out in the regulations

To maintain the CCFP and the EM designation members must fulfill their maintenance of Certification requirements. The privileges, rights, duties, and requirements are determined by the membership class to which they belong.

## FCFP

Fellowship in the College of Family Physicians of Canada may be conferred upon Certificant members who have successfully maintained their Certification for ten (10) consecutive years, including 25 Mainpro-C credits per five-year cycle. To maintain Fellowship, members must fulfill their maintenance of Certification requirements. Members awarded Fellowship from 2004 onward must include 25 Mainpro-C credits per five-year cycle as part of fulfilling their Maintenance of Certification requirements.

## LM

Life Member status may be awarded to members who have attained the age of 70 or greater and have been members in good standing for at least 10 years prior to the date of nomination. The privileges, rights, duties, and requirements (including CPD) are determined by the membership class to which they belong.

## Honorary Member

An Honorary Member may be an individual of distinction who is not a family physician in Canada, and who has made an outstanding contribution to the discipline of family medicine, to the College of Family Physicians of Canada, or to the health and well-being of the population in and outside of Canada. An Honorary Member is not required to pay annual fees or fulfill CPD requirements and may choose whether or not to be a Member of the Chapter in his or her province in addition to being a Member of the National College.



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