

**Attention: All PAM Certified Registered Microbiologists (RMicro)  
and Specialist Microbiologists (SMicro)**

Renew your expired certifications!

Effective February 11, 2019, all RMicro and SMicro whose certification has expired are required to abide by the requirements, rules and regulations on Continuing Professional Development (CPD).

**The objectives of the CPD are as follows:**

- a. To ensure the continuous advancement of RMicro and SMicro with the latest trends in the fields of microbiology and other related fields
- b. To raise and maintain the capability of the RMicro and SMicro for delivering professional services
- c. To maintain the high standard in the practice of microbiology and related fields
- d. To ensure globally-competitive RMicro and SMicro
- e. To promote the general welfare of the public

**FOR RENEWAL OF CERTIFICATION OF PAM CERTIFIED REGISTERED MICROBIOLOGISTS (RMicro)  
AND SPECIALIST MICROBIOLOGISTS (SMicro)**

Earn **36 CPD units** (Please see **Table 1** for the number of credit units that can be earned for each activity).

- For RMicro and SMicro who have not renewed their certification since 2017, activities and outputs from 2017 shall be given credit.
- For those who were certified or whose certifications were renewed in 2018 and onwards, activities and outputs of the last three years from the date of their expected year of renewal shall be given credit.

**Instructions on the Renewal of Certification:**

1. Accomplish properly CPD Form No. 1 and CPD Form No. 2.
2. Perform self-assessment for the credit points (see Table 1 below) and provide the proofs (certificates of attendance/participation) and evidences.
3. Deposit/fupd transfer Php3000 as application fee for renewal of certification to:  
**Philippine Academy of Microbiology Account No: 246470000865**  
**PNB – UPLB Branch, UPLB College, Laguna.**

	presentation	+2/poster presenter +1 for co-author
	A.8. As resource speaker	+4/topic
	A.9. As panelist/reactor/discussant	+2/topic
	A.10. As facilitator/moderator	+1/session
<b>B. Participation in Non-PSM Organized Events (National and International)</b>		
	B.1. Attendance in Conventions of other Scientific Microbiology Organizations with 100% microbiology topics (i.e. Mycological Society of the Philippines/MSP, Philippine Society of Lactic Acid Bacteria/PSLAB, etc)	4/convention
	B.2.1 Attendance in Seminars Sponsored by Organizations mentioned in B.1.	2/seminar
	B.2.2 Attendance in webinar-symposium/colloquium by Organizations mentioned in B.1.	1-2/ symposium or colloquium
	B.2.3 Attendance in conference/convention webinars of other Scientific Organizations with 100% Microbiology topics	3-5/ conference or convention
	B.3. Attendance in Conventions of Microbiology-related Scientific Organizations with topics not 100% microbiology (i.e. PAMET, PAFT, Inc.)	2/convention
	B.4. Attendance in seminars sponsored by those organizations mentioned in B.3.	1/seminar
	B.5. As Trainor in workshops	8/training
	B.6. As author or co-author and presenter in oral paper presentation	+4 senior author +3 paper presenter +2 co-author
	B.7. As author or co-author and presenter in poster paper presentation	+3senior author +2poster presenter +1 co-author
	B.8. As resource speaker	+4/topic
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<b>C. Post Graduate/Specialty Training</b>		
	C.1. Master's degree (only for RMicro)	1/academic unit +20 upon completion of degree
	C.2. Doctoral degree (only for SMicro)	2/academic unit +30 upon completion of degree

	C.3. Fellowship/Specialty Training	6 for 1 month or less
	Indicate the activity related to microbiology training attended	+8/month in excess of one month
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