

The Advanced Leadership Certification in Infection Prevention & Control (AL-CIP™)



The AL-CIP™ is an assessment of knowledge, skills and abilities expected of individuals who demonstrate professional expertise, leadership and impact in the field of infection prevention and control.

Is the AL-CIP™ for me?

The AL-CIP™ is a portfolio-based assessment that demonstrates leadership within infection prevention and control that has a measurable impact. You **must** have an active **CIC®** or **LTC-CIP®** certification, and have a demonstrated positive impact on the profession: Active engagement and advanced infection prevention and control practice, leadership, education, research, policy and/or advocacy for a recommended minimum of 7-10 years.

Why Certify?

Your AL-CIP™ is more than just a credential. It's a tool that improves individual expertise, enhances career pathways, supports public health coordination, and strengthens patient safety efforts. For over 40 years, CBIC® certification has been widely regarded by healthcare leaders, professionals, and the public as a high-value credential that enhances both individual competency and institutional effectiveness in infection prevention.



Hear about the importance of AL-CIP™ from those who are certified!

AL-CIP™
Candidate
Handbook



AL-CIP™ FAQs



AL-CIP™ Spotlight



Application Process

Review **AL-CIP™** Eligibility Apply During Open Application Period & Pay Fee Assemble & Submit Your Portfolio Receive Results from **CBIC®** Within 60 Days of Application Deadline



If Successful, Your Certification is **Valid for 5 Years**

Re-certification is Required Every 5 Years to Maintain Certification



Did You Know?

Earning your AL-CIP™ automatically extends your **CIC®** and/or **LTC-CIP®** certification.



AL-CIP™ Podcast Episode



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