

CORIZA ABP MOC Part 4 Credit FAQ

1. What is the CORIZA project?

CORIZA, short for "Clinical Optimization of Respiratory Infections: Zeroing in on Antibiotics," is a PCORI-funded, four-year collaborative implementation project (February 1, 2025—January 31, 2029) focused on supporting clinicians in delivering the best care for children with acute respiratory tract infections (ARTIs). The project aims to make antibiotic prescribing easier, more consistent, and more aligned with evidence, while respecting the realities of busy outpatient and emergency room physicians. It is grounded in partnership among frontline clinicians, local champions, families, and stewardship experts so that every tool and resource is practical, relevant, and co-created with those who use them every day.

CORIZA includes four key interventions designed with clinicians: (1) **Provider education**, offering concise, role-specific updates and resources on best practices; (2) **Patient/Caregiver-facing education**, co-developed with families to make antibiotic conversations more effective and efficient; (3) **Clinical decision support**, embedding tools in the electronic health record to guide diagnosis, prescribing, and follow-up; and, (4) **Audit and feedback**, using individualized, non-punitive reports to help clinicians see how their prescribing patterns align with peers and evidence. Providers can expect to hear about CORIZA regularly through existing meetings, educational sessions, and data updates. The project is designed with sustainability in mind, so that once the formal funding period ends, the systems and workflows developed through CORIZA will continue to run in the background, ensuring long-term improvements in pediatric antibiotic prescribing.

2. Can I earn American Board of Pediatrics (ABP) Maintenance of Certification (MOC) Part 4 credit for my participation in CORIZA?

Yes, CORIZA is an approved quality improvement project within the Lucile Packard Children's Hospital Stanford (LPCHS) portfolio. Packard Children's Health Alliance general pediatricians and Stanford Health Care Pediatric Emergency Department physicians (*NOTE: This project only covers physicians needing MOC Part 4 through the ABP*) who have actively participated in CORIZA during their current MOC cycle are eligible.

3. How many ABP MOC Part 4 points can I earn by participating in CORIZA?

CORIZA includes several interventions planned across its four-year timeline. The first "phase" awards 25 MOC Part 4 points. Additional points will become available as new interventions launch, provided participants remain actively involved in the project and complete the new interventions.

4. What are the requirements to receive 25 ABP MOC Part 4 points for the first phase of the CORIZA project?

In order to receive MOC credit, <u>all</u> of the following requirements must be met:

General requirements

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- o Active involvement for at least 6 months during the project period.
- Attendance at project meetings and participation in data review discussions.
- o Implementation of QI interventions within your clinical practice.
- Collaboration with the project team, contributing to data collection or evaluation efforts.

• Specific requirements

- o Attend one (PCHA) or both (SHC PED) antibiotic stewardship education sessions.
- o Complete a three-month review and reflection of their ARTI antibiotic use.
- Document that the updated antibiotic commitment poster has been posted in your clinic (PCHA physicians only).

5. What do I need to document that I met the general and specific requirements for the first phase of the CORIZA project?

If you meet the criteria for ABP MOC Part 4 credit, please complete the following Qualtrics survey: https://stanforduniversity.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV OlxiD3qRAd0Nq3c

As part of the survey, you will be asked to provide your name and practice location, upload a photo of the commitment poster displayed in your clinic (PCHA only), review 3 months of ARTI prescribing data, write a short statement on what you learned from reviewing your ARTI prescribing data, certify that you joined/viewed a scheduled ARTI antibiotic stewardship education session, and complete the ABP Quality Improvement Project MOC Attestation form.

6. What happens after I submit the Qualtrics survey?

Your Qualtrics survey responses will be reviewed by the CORIZA team. Assuming the participation criteria have been met, the attestation form will be countersigned by the Project Leader (Hayden Schwenk, MD, MPH; hschwenk@stanford.edu). The Project Leader will submit the completed data to the LPCHS MOC Portfolio team, who transmit participation data to the ABP for credit which is then posted to your MOC Portfolio.

7. When will MOC Part 4 credit appear on my ABP profile?

Once your attestation has been processed and verified, credit will appear in your ABP online portfolio (www.abp.org) under "Part 4: Improvement in Medical Practice." Processing time may vary—typically within 1-2 weeks after submitting your attestation form.

8. How do I know if I received my MOC credits?

Participants should log into their ABP portfolio to verify that credits have posted. Physicians should review their MOC Part 4 points **well before** the end of their MOC cycle to allow time for correction of any discrepancies.

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9. What is the deadline to apply for ABP MOC Part 4 credit for my participation in the first phase of the CORIZA project?

Providers may submit their Qualtrics survey responses for the above phase one activities any time before March 31, 2026. Those who require MOC Part 4 credit before the end of 2025 should complete the survey by December 1, 2025. To minimize the administrative burden around the holidays, we are requesting that if you do NOT need MOC points for 2025, you wait to complete your survey until early 2026.

10. What will the ABP MOC Part 4 requirements be for the next phase of the CORIZA project?

New interventions will be rolled-out as part of CORIZA in early February 2026. Additional details regarding the MOC Part 4 requirements for this phase will be announced in Spring 2026.

11. If I earned 25 points for participation in the first phase of the CORIZA project, can I earn an additional 25 points for participation in the next phase of the CORIZA project?

Yes, as long as you remain meaningfully involved in the project, participate in the new intervention(s), and complete the documentation requirements, you can receive an additional 25 MOC Part 4 points.

12. Can I earn 25 points for participation in the first phase of the CORIZA project and an additional 25 points for participation in the next phase of the CORIZA project in the same year?

Yes, as long as the project requirements are met for both phases, you could earn a total of 50 ABP MOC Part 4 points in one year.

13. I don't have an antibiotic commitment poster in my office. Who do I contact?

Please contact your Practice Manager or Tammy Ojeda-Leao, Executive Director-General Pediatrics, PCHA (<u>TOjedaLeao@stanfordchildrens.org</u>) for questions related to the antibiotic commitment posters.

14. Who can I contact with MOC-related questions or feedback?

Please email the CORIZA Research Project Coordinator, Orchid Li (<u>orchidli@stanford.edu</u>), with any MOC-related questions. For general CORIZA-related questions, please email the CORIZA team (<u>corizaproject@stanford.edu</u>) directly.

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