



# ARANS

Association of Residency Administrators in Neurological Surgery

TAGME UPDATES

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# 2020 Assessment Cycle Timeline

Application review: June 1, 2020 – July 31, 2020



Target assessment dates : November 1, 2020 – February 28, 2021

Retakes: within the same cycle (2/28/2021)

Self schedule online assessment

# What's New?

A graphic consisting of six colored squares hanging from thin lines. The squares contain the letters U, P, D, A, T, E in white capital letters. The colors from left to right are red, blue, orange, green, blue, and pink.

- New look for the website – [www.tagme.org](http://www.tagme.org)
- 2020 Assessment can be taken anytime 24/7 online, live proctored session
- 2021 EC credit requirements:
  - Initial: 15 → 20
  - MOC: 20 → 25 (effective 2020)
  - # of online EC allowed will increase – check website for updates

# Eligibility

## Initial Certification

- GME professional of an ACGME, ACGME-I or ACGME-AOA program
- Completed 2 years by application submission
- Completed 20 ECs in the last 3 years. 8 of them has to be GME focus

## MOC Certification

- Has a current C-TAGME certification
- GME professional of an ACGME, ACGME-I or ACGME-AOA program
- Completed 7 years by application submission
- Completed 25 ECs in the last 5 years. 13 of them has to be GME focus.
- Completed 2 PPG (personal professional growth) in the last 5 years.

# Examination Fee

Initial Certification - \$350

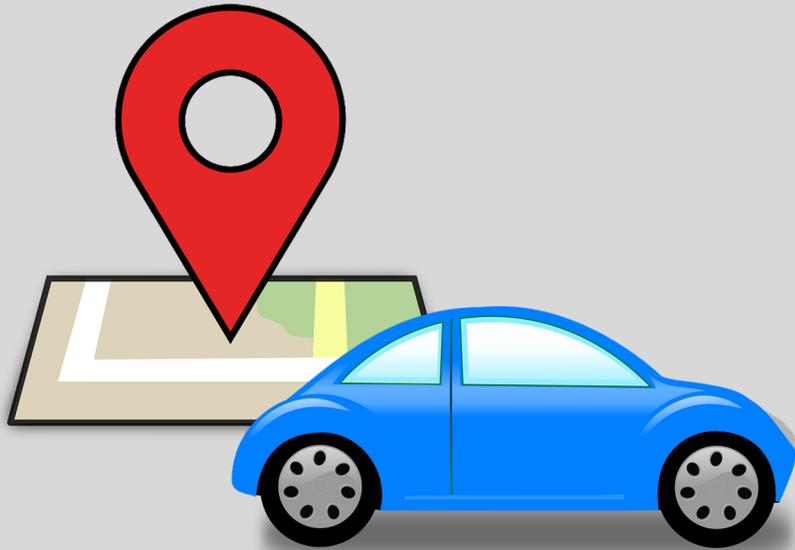
MOC - \$350

Retakes - \$150



Ask your department!

# Personal experience



- Pre-test prep
- Parking
- Electronics
- Water



- Instant result

Overall a user-friendly experience!



# Questions?



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