

Good News! Family Doctor: A Journal of the New York State Academy of Family Physicians is now worth more CME credits.

In an effort to evolve away from time-based credit as well as align with AMA policies, the AAFP Credit System has changed how journal credit is calculated. Effective immediately, the maximum number of credits will be based on the number of eligible articles within each issue with each article worth 1 CME credit. We will no longer require a post-test specific to a CME article, but instead have a short evaluation available for you to provide feedback which will help us improve future issues of Family Doctor.

For example, our summer 2016 issue is worth up to 8 CME credits and members can now claim credits commensurate with their participation. Like always, CME is claimed at the session level by logging in to your account and searching for the journal, selecting the issue, and inputting the number of credits based on the number of articles you read, up to the maximum allowed for that issue. Depending on the necessary approval time for each issue, there may be a delay in seeing credits for each issue, so check back frequently.

We hope that this change will enhance your learning experience with Family Doctor! If you have questions, please contact AAFP's CME Department at 800-274-2237.