

KEY POINTS



Michigan School Counselor Licenses (SCL) and teaching certificates with a School Counselor (NT) endorsement are **five-year licenses with unlimited renewals.**



A renewal can be requested any time after **January 1** of the expiration year and adds **five years** to the license's validity.



Fifty of the 150 hours required for renewal must be **specific to college and career preparation** and be **completed via State Continuing Education Clock Hours (SCECHs)**. *Note: District Provided Professional Development (DPPD) does not fulfill the requirement.*



Effective Feb. 6, 2020, any **applications lacking the appropriate professional development hours** (including focus and type) **will not be accepted.**



150 HOURS OF PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

[with specific requirements for college and career readiness]

100

Education-related professional learning appropriate to the field of school counseling

25

College prep. and selection

5

Military info.

20

Career guidance

(MDE Guidance: https://www.michigan.gov/documents/mde/School_Counselor_Renewal_558697_7.PDF)

DID YOU KNOW



PROFESSIONAL LEARNING CONVERSIONS

SCECH

1

SCECH



1

professional learning hour

COLLEGE

1

credit hour



25

professional learning hours

DPPD

1

DPPD hour



1

professional learning hour

IS YOUR CERTIFICATE EXPIRING IN 2020?

Renew it between **January 1 - February 5.***

Otherwise, be prepared to meet the new PD requirements starting on February 6, 2020!

*Renewal applications may be submitted after January 1 of the year in which the credential expires.



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