Instructions for Accessing Newly Added Improvement in Medical Practice Activities

The American Academy of Ophthalmology (AAO) offers five online CME activities approved for MOC Improvement in Medical Practice credit by the American Board of Ophthalmology (ABO). The menu includes three new Academy Learning Plans (Improving Outcomes in Cataract Surgery: Targeting Best Corrected Visual Acuity; Improving Outcomes in Cataract Surgery: Targeting Uncorrected Visual Acuity; and Improving Vision after Retinal Detachment Repair).

Each Learning Plan offers 2 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™ that qualify as self-assessment credits. Time requirements depend on each individual activity and include completion of a pre- and post-test.

Access an Online Academy Activity
Log in to your ABO MOC status page using your email address and password. In the event of a forgotten password, click "Retrieve Login" in the upper right-hand corner of the ABO main page. Once there, type in the email address and submit. A temporary password will be sent. You may also contact the office at 610-664-1175 and we can reset your password for you.

Scroll down the page to locate the Improvement in Medical Practice section and select the “Choose an AAO Course” tile:

You will be directed to a page listing the following five options:

- Building Best Practices for Informed Consent
- Choosing Wisely: Leading Patients to Recommended Care
- Improving Outcomes in Cataract Surgery: Targeting Best Corrected Visual Acuity
- Improving Outcomes in Cataract Surgery: Targeting Uncorrected Visual Acuity
- Improving Vision after Retinal Detachment Repair

Completing any of these Academy activities will satisfy the MOC requirement and provide you the ability to claim CME. Claiming CME is necessary for the activity completion to be registered. If you are an Academy member, access to these activities is included in the price of your annual dues. There is no need for you to provide proof of participation, as completion results are forwarded by the American Academy of Ophthalmology to the American Board of Ophthalmology each week. Diplomate status pages are updated to reflect completion of your MOC Improvement in Medical Practice requirement.