

CACI – Eosinophilic Esophagitis

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To determine the applicant's eligibility for certification, the AME must review a current, detailed Clinical Progress Note generated from a clinic visit with the treating physician or specialist **no more than 90 days prior** to the AME exam. If the applicant **meets ALL the acceptable certification criteria** listed below, the Examiner can issue. Applicants for first or second- class must provide this information annually; applicants for third-class must provide the information with each required exam.

AME MUST REVIEW	ACCEPTABLE CERTIFICATION CRITERIA
Treating physician finds the individual is compliant with treatment, condition is well-controlled, and no medication side-effects.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Documentation of the most recent endoscopy with biopsy, performed within a timeframe consistent with the treating gastroenterologist's recommended surveillance interval, shows: Evidence of histologic remission (less than 15 eos/hpf) and no evidence of fibrostenotic disease, (no esophageal rings, no strictures, and no narrow-caliber esophagus.)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
NO history of food impaction: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In the last 12 months OR • While on treatment 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Treated with one or more of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proton pump inhibitor • Topical or oral steroids that do not exceed 20 mg prednisone per day • dupilumab (Dupixent) (requires 4-hour post dose observation/no-fly) 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes

AME MUST NOTE in Block 60 one of the following:

CACI qualified Eosinophilic Esophagitis.

Has current OR previous SI/AASI but now CACI qualified Eosinophilic Esophagitis.

NOT CACI qualified Eosinophilic Esophagitis. I have deferred. (Submit supporting documents.)