Professional Activity Credits (PAC)

What’s a PAC?

A PAC, or Professional Activity Credit, is a type of continuing education which is awarded for participation in a variety of professional activities determined by ABGC to promote educational development and the genetic counseling profession. These activities include but are not limited to:

- Clinical Supervision
- Volunteer Leadership for a genetics organization
- Presenting at a conference
- Teaching
- Authorship

Review the ABGC Approved PACs for a current list of approved PAC activities.

How do I claim PACs?

NSGC does not approve or issue PACs of any kind. All PAC claims and approvals must be handled through ABGC. For all PAC questions contact ABGC at info@abgc.net.

You’ll need to document your completed hours for the appropriate activity and enter them in your ABGC CEU Tracker. You may be asked to provide documentation or a certificate to confirm your completed hours.

Review the ABGC Approved PACs and Retired PACs documents for additional guidance.

I’m in a Volunteer Leadership Position for NSGC. How Do I Document It for PACs?

Use this grid to document your hours, then submit it to the NSGC Staff Liaison for the committee/subcommittee/task force for which you are seeking PACS to obtain a confirmation signature. The signed form will serve as your confirmed documentation in the event you are audited for this PAC claim.

Please note, to claim PACs for NSGC volunteer work, you must be in a leadership position. This includes any appointed or elected chair, vice chair or group leader position in an NSGC committee, subcommittee, task force or advisory group.