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## Certified Interventional Pain Sonologists



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The Certified Interventional Pain Sonologist (CIPS) credential was developed by the World Institute of Pain® (WIP) in affiliation with the World Academy of Pain Medicine Ultrasonography (WAPMU); in recognition of the escalating utilization of ultrasound by physicians in the diagnosis and treatment of chronic pain syndromes. The certification process employs practice-based assessment criteria to encourage and formally recognize physicians who meet the knowledge and skill requirements of the WIP Board of Examination and to serve the public by encouraging quality patient care in the practice of pain medicine. As of December 2016, WIP has certified 34 physicians, representing 58 member countries.

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