Urgent Care Association of America

Certified Urgent Care (CUC) Program



As the leading force to define and answer what is an urgent care center, UCAOA's CUC Program recognizes urgent care facilities that meet nationally standardized criteria to demonstrate their commitment to meet the scope of minimal expectations to define a qualified urgent care facility. This designation tells the public and payers that the urgent care center's scope of practice is consistent with a set of UCAOA criteria defining easy access and services that allow for care of a broad spectrum of illness, injury and disease. Urgent care centers with the CUC designation have a mark of distinction to educate their community and stakeholders, gain an edge in marketing their level of services, and eliminate confusion with other kinds of providers.