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## Message From The President

**Dr. Robert J. Snyder, DPM, FACFAS, CWS**

### It's Official ... We are changing our name to the American Board of Wound Management

Dear Colleagues:

I hope this finds all of you well.

I am pleased to report that the name of your certifying body will be officially changed from the American Academy of Wound Management (AAWM) to the American Board of Wound Management (ABWM) in order to reflect expansion and progression of our field. Your board will now work diligently along with our executive director and staff to rebrand this transformation including updating our logo, changing cards, brochures, stationary, and updating certificates. However, amending our organizations acronym goes far beyond name recognition; it represents an evolution and advancement of our wound certification credential.

By definition, the word academy represents an association for the advancement of art, literature or science. When the AAWM commenced in 1995, clinicians from all medical fields and educational backgrounds were solicited to submit portfolios attesting to their experience in the wound care field; upon review, these individuals were granted the Certified Wound Specialist (CWS) credential.

In 1999 candidates became credentialed by examination, however, no delineations were made based upon education; this changed in 2007 when the board decided to require at least a baccalaureate degree in a health related science as the minimum requirement to sit for the CWS examination. An alternative pathway was created for qualified clinicians with experience that had not reached this

educational milestone; the Certified Wound Care Associate (CWCA).

Physicians expressed interest in the creation of a pathway attaining an "added qualification" to the CWS designation reflecting additional milestones in their educational dynamics and responsibilities. After much discussion and reflection, in 2009 the board created the Certified Wound Specialist-Physician (CWSP) designation.

By definition, having board certification means that a clinician has voluntarily chosen to undergo a rigorous examination process leading to a designation indicating a certain level of expertise, education, or specialization; a commitment to high standards requires recertification at least every ten years. This clearly represents the evolution of our credentials.

At the heart of our mission statement sits the multidisciplinary team approach to treating patients with non-healing wounds. As we continue to evolve as a profession, with the creation of more fellowships and residencies, this must remain the centerpiece . . . our mantra.

I commend all of you for your commitment and dedication to the field of wound management as we continue to evolve and position our specialty for the 21<sup>st</sup> century. ■

Best,

Robert J. Snyder, DPM, FACFAS, CWS

President, American Academy of Wound Management

## AAWM

## Code of Ethics

The American Academy of Wound Management acknowledges the diversity of etiologies and associated problems that patients with chronic non-healing wounds endure. The American Academy of Wound Management therefore supports the interdisciplinary commitment, which professionals from a variety of disciplines, can make to the field of wound management. The conduct of individuals certified by the American Academy of Wound Management shall be consistent with all applicable local, state, and federal regulations, and with codes of conduct as established by the certified individual's primary discipline. Additionally, individuals who are certified by the American Academy of Wound Management shall be committed to increasing their knowledge of the mechanisms of wound healing, tissue repair, and modalities to effectively treat indolent wounds. It is part of the mission of The American Academy of Wound Management to safeguard the health and welfare of patients who seek the services of a Certified Wound Specialist™.

### a. Responsibility

All Certified practitioners must be responsible to determine that standards are applied evenly and fairly to all individuals who receive services. Certified individuals shall provide accurate documentation and timely feedback to members of the team, and other interested parties in order to assure coordinated, managed care. All reports will be objective and based upon an independent professional opinion within the Certified individual's expertise. Certified individuals will provide only those services for which the individual is competent and qualified to perform. Certified individuals will refrain from providing services, which are counter to the ethical standard of their discipline.

### b. Professional Conduct by Specialty

Certified individuals are obligated to maintain their education and competency such that it confirms to the standard of conduct both to the individual's community, practice and discipline. Wound management is a coordinated multidisciplinary and interdisciplinary effort. Certified individuals will conduct their professional behavior so that it facilitates the services of all team members for maximum benefit of the patient.

### c. Education, Training and Competence

Certified providers shall maintain high moral values, ethics, and professional competence. They shall recognize the limits of their skills and license. They shall offer services consistent with the standard of their profession. Certified individuals have an obligation to accurately represent and disclose their training education, and experience to the public. Certified providers shall engage in continuing education. Certified providers recognize that the field of wound management is developing rapidly and shall be open to evaluate and consider new products and approaches to wound management. Certified providers should refrain from any activity which may result in harm to a patient without first considering alternatives to such an approach, seeking services which may achieve the same benefit without the associated risk, obtain consultations from other providers, and inform the patient of any risk inherent to any procedure or approach.

### d. Confidentiality

Certified providers are obligated to safeguard information obtained in the course of their involvement with a patient. Information may be released with a patient's permission; and circumstances where there is a clear and imminent danger to the patient, or others: and where required by court or subpoena. The patient has the privilege to the extent feasible and practical, and those cases where there would be no legal or clinical contraindications, to see their chart when this can be arranged at a mutually convenient time.

### e. Business Procedures

Certified providers will abide by all prevailing community standards. They will adhere to all federal, state and local laws regulating business practice. Competitive advertising must be honest, actual and accurate. Such advertising shall avoid exaggerated claims. Certified providers will not enter into any arrangement where fees are exchanged that would be likely to create conflict of interest or influence their opinion about service rendered. Certified providers shall engage in behavior which conforms to high standards of moral, ethical and legal behavior. Certified providers will not engage in sexual contact with patients.

### f. Research

Certified providers are encouraged to engage in research. In doing so, they shall have the safety of their subjects as a priority. Investigation shall be consistent with the traditions and practices of the certified individual's discipline.

## Headquarters Staff

As always, please feel free to call any member of the AAWM staff should you have any questions or concerns. Our contact information is listed below:

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# Stop By and See Us in 2011

AAWM IS EXHIBITING AT THE FOLLOWING SHOWS:



**National Association Directors of Nursing Administration**  
 July 17–20, 2011  
 Kissimmee, FL



**Clinical Symposium on Advances in Skin & Wound Care**  
 September 9-12, 2011  
 National Harbor, MD

## Exam Questions: Always Needed!

The American Academy of Wound Management is challenging all diplomates to write at least one question for the Exam Committee for potential submission to the Board Certification Examination for Wound Management Professionals.

### Some guidelines for writing questions:

1. They must be multiple-choice format.
2. They must have four possible answers (with the correct answer identified).
3. They must have a referenced source with each question.
4. They should be designed for participants to recall, understand, apply or evaluate.

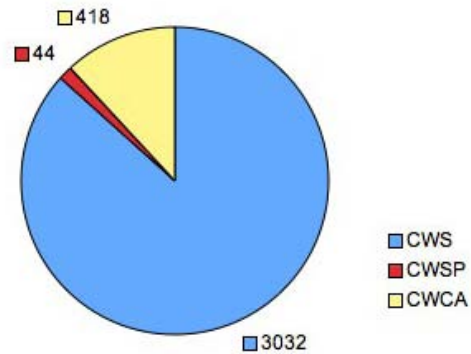
AAWM is also looking to include case studies with photographs for future examinations. When submitting a photograph/digital image, the same question guidelines apply, as well as the following for photographs:

1. Photographs/digital images may be in either color or black/white (no Polaroids).
2. If using a digital camera, a high-resolution setting produces quality images.
3. The area of interest should be clear and easily identifiable.
4. Patient privacy must be respected; No names or identifying information may be visible.
5. If possible, a ruler (in cm or mm for scale purposes) should be visible in the photograph.

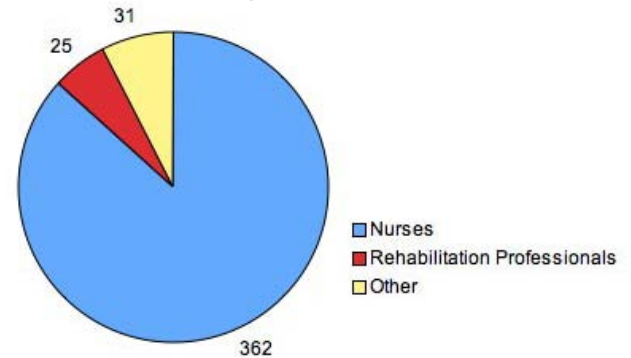
Please remember that all case studies and photographs/digital images become the property of the AAWM for use as determined by the AAWM. If you have a question or case study you feel would make a good addition to the examination, you may submit those to Sallyann Henry, Professional Testing Corporation, at [shenry@ptcny.com](mailto:shenry@ptcny.com) ■

## Status on Certifications (CWCA v. CWS v. CWSP)

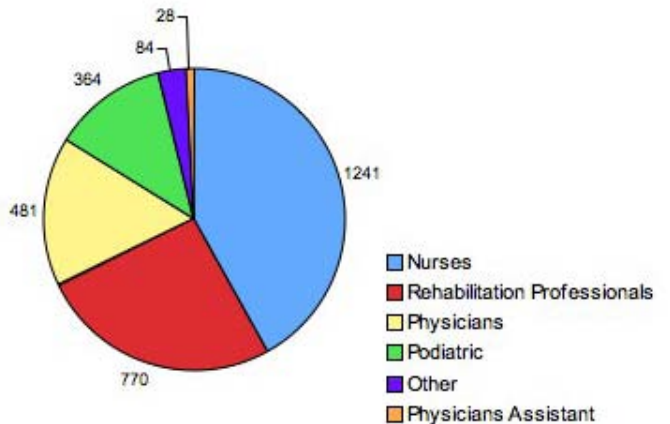
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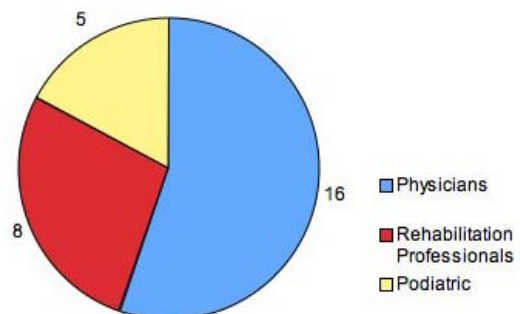
### CWCA: Breakdown by Discipline



### CWS: Breakdown by Discipline



### CWSP: Breakdown by Discipline



## Seen in the News



### Rest Haven Wound Team from York, PA

**Left to right:**

Sandy Augustine, LPN, CWCA

Wendy McKinney, LPN, CWCA, *Wound Team Manager*

Sharon Schaale, LPN, CWCA

Diane Krasner, PhD, RN, CWS, FAAN



## CONGRATULATIONS

to **Dr. Eisenbud, MD, CWS** for being appointed  
Chief Medical Officer of CoDa Therapeutics.



The AAWM Fan page is for anyone and everyone interested in following news about the American Academy of Wound Management. So become a Fan and invite others to connect with us too. We really think you will enjoy the content updates posted to the Fan Page. [Click Here](#) or on the Facebook logo to become a Fan and receive up-to-date information on AAWM activities.

## Overheard at the AAWM Booth at SAWC this spring:

“There is no better feeling to me than being able to help a suffering patient and the family with the coping and healing of an acute or chronic wound. It’s simply amazing how our bodies are designed to function in the presence of trauma and how with the help of technology, advanced wound care products and modalities, we can achieve balance and complete closure. As a CWS I take pride and responsibility to continue to follow my passion, using “Standards of Care”, ongoing training and education to achieve the best for our unfortunate patients. Obtaining my certification through the AAWM has been one of the best decisions ever. It has allowed me to show my patients, their families, my fellow colleagues and MD’s that I have a true passion for wound care and at the same time that gives me the credibility and allows me to be able to be part of the team that helps heal wounds and throw my “two clinical cents” in. I have come across great wound care nurses in the past and I highly encourage all that have a passion for this field to get certified, get the credit, the recognition and the compensation that you all deserve, there is no better feeling.”



Martin Vera, LVN, CWS

**Obtaining my certification through the AAWM has been one of the best decisions ever.”**

## Recent Certified Wound Care Associate™

Congratulations to all who passed the **Certified Wound Care Associate™** exam held in February 2011.

Teresa Abbott, RN, CWCA  
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Congratulations to all who passed the **Certified Wound Specialist®** exam held in April 2011.

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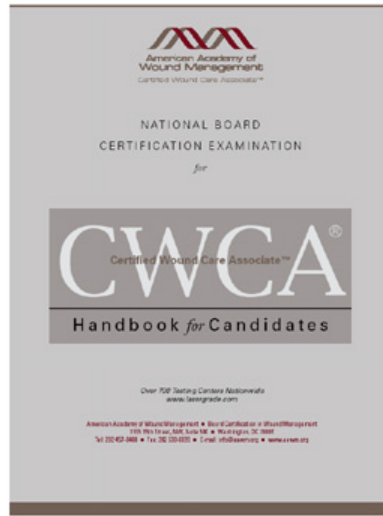
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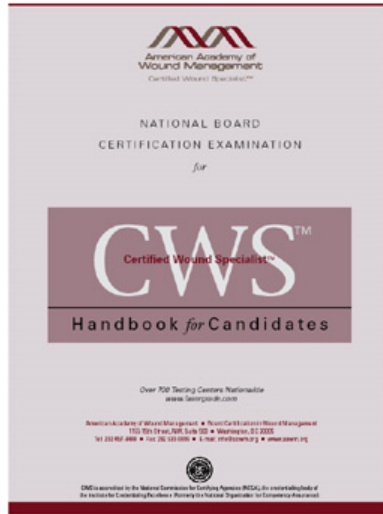
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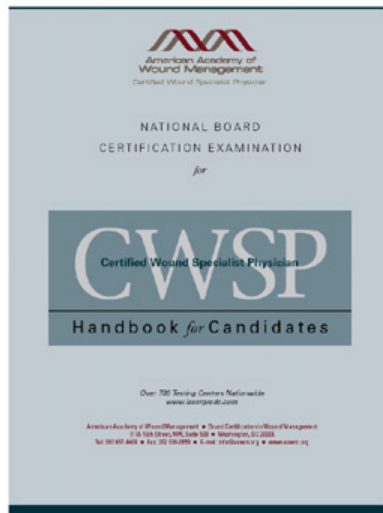
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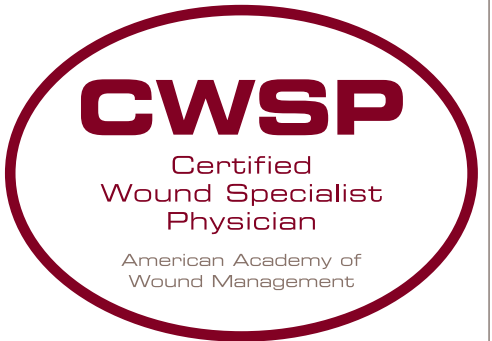
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