


Types of Certification Offered						Add On
 CERTIFIED URGENT CARE SM Urgent Care Association Of America	ELIGIBILITY	TRADITIONAL/ COMPREHENSIVE CUC	RURAL	SEASONAL	PEDIATRIC	OCCUPATIONAL MEDICINE/ HEALTH
Scope of Clinical Delivery	Evaluate a broad spectrum of illness, injury and disease for all ages	✓	Evaluate a broad spectrum of illnesses & injury for all ages	Evaluate a broad spectrum of <i>seasonal</i> illness & injury – all ages	Exempt from “all ages” requirement IF pediatric-only specialization is included in the name of the facility	Evaluate a broad spectrum of <i>work-related</i> illness & injuries for all workers
Radiology	X-ray onsite and available during all posted hours	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Phlebotomy	Phlebotomy Services on-site	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Medical Supervision	Licensed Medical Provider on-site at all times	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Diagnostic & Testing Services	EKG	✓	✓	✓	✓	EKG, UDS, Audiometry (may be via contract), BAT, Litmus color blindness & pulmonary function testing/ spirometry
Medications/ Medication Cart	P.O, I.V, I.M. medication administration ability on site; adult & pediatric medications	✓	✓	✓	✓	NC except no need for pediatric medications (just as a pediatric center doesn’t need adult)
Procedures	Ability to perform minor procedures on-site (sutures, cyst removal, I&D, splinting)	✓	✓	✓	✓	NC/ DME onsite for basic splinting/ casting
Medical Emergency Response	AED or more advanced device onsite; oxygen, ambu-bag/oral airway and phone to dial 911	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Physical Space	At least two exam rooms, separate waiting and restricted access patient bathrooms	✓	✓	✓	✓	NC + need for UDS bathroom w/ water shut off and/or policy to ensure the integrity of the test
Minimum Hours for Walk-in Patient Acceptance	7 days per week (excluding major holidays)	✓	7 days per week	7 days per week (excluding major holidays) during peak season.	✓	5 days per week (excluding major holidays)
	3000+ hours/ year	✓	No less than 8 hours/day Mon. through Fri. and 4 hours/day on Sat. and Sun.	✓	✓	2024+ hours/ year
	> 4 hours/day	✓	Consideration to keep one center open on weekends if they are within a ten mile radius	✓	✓	
Medical Direction	Licensed medical physician to oversee care and provide overall medical direction	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Additional Requirements		N/A	Clear notification to the public regarding hours and weekend location via signage/website &	Clear notification to the public regarding the limited scope of care in signage	Clear notification to the public regarding the pediatric scope of care in signage	Policy on how center will handle non-occ med/ health patients who seek care
			Center must demonstrate that it meets the CMS definition of a rural location			Clear notification to the public regarding the limited scope of care in signage

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