



Re-certification Requirements

The Birth Boot Camp Instructor Certification is valid for one year. All recertification requirements and fees are due on or before March 30th of each year.

1. Community Group Attendance

Attend 2 different types of local community groups or national conferences that support natural birth and attachment parenting. Confirm with the Instructor Certification Coordinator that the conference you are attending can fill the requirement.

- La Leche League
- WIC
- Holistic Moms Network
- Postpartum Support Group
- Mend
- ICAN
- Cloth Diapering Group
- Other _____

Submit a short paragraph for each group detailing how they support the community and how to become involved.

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2. Instructor Choice - Pick One

- Watch online classes and do the study guide (form found on the .net) You'll have access for 5 weeks.
- Hospital or birth center tour (form found on .net)
- Attend a birth and write up a 500 word summary of the experience
- Sit in on another BBCI's class series (write one page about what you learned from watching someone else teach the curriculum)
- Retreat, if available - re-cert. paperwork will be waived; fee still applies.
- Attend an Instructor REBOOT or BBCD training - re-cert. paperwork will be waived; fee still applies.
- VBAC Facts workshop (contact us for a special coupon code from Jen Kamel herself!)
- Watch 3 BBC Instructor & Doula Group Facebook Live Videos: Briefly explain what you learned.
- Take an online seminar/class. Email the instructor certification coordinator to get approval on the class.

3. Book Report

Read 1 book of your choice (making sure the topic is birth, pregnancy, parenting, breastfeeding, etc.) and submit a list of 3-5 things you learned from the book and how that knowledge will help you to be a better Birth Boot Camp Instructor. For book suggestions from the BBC Advisory Board and Instructor Trainers, visit the .net.

4. Community Resource List

Update your list of community resources. Include 10-15 categories (i.e. midwives, doulas, OBs, pediatricians) with at least 3 providers in each category. Include attachment when submitting re-certification paperwork via email.

5. Birth Summaries

Instructors agree to submit a minimum of 80% of their students' anonymous Birth Summaries. Submission form is located on the instructor website.

6. Maintain Instruction Activity

A minimum of one live class series must be completed each year. If circumstance do not allow this, please contact us. We are here to help!

7. Submission & Payment

Submit your completed paperwork and payment of \$125 no later than March 31st.

8. Maintain Ethics & Standards

I have read the Birth Boot Camp Instructor & DOULA Code of Conduct (on the .net) and Agree abide by the parameters therein.

_____ (Initial)

*** All paperwork should be submitted by email to
certification@birthbootcamp.com**

*** \$125 Re-cert. fee payment can be made via PayPal to
paypal@birthbootcamp.com**

*** Payment can also be made by check, mailed to Birth Boot Camp
PO BOX 1874 Mansfield, TX 76063**

Terms:

A \$50 late fee will be charged if payment is not received on or before re-certification month (March) is over.

If forms and payment are late, you will be removed from all online instructor materials (website, FB groups, store, instructor website, email, etc.) until all requirements are complete.

If you have circumstances that are not allowing you to complete these requirements, please contact the Instructor Certification Coordinator, so that we can discuss how we can support you as an instructor.

A 6 month extension on starting a class can be given, if needed. Approval for this is individual and dependent upon individual circumstances.

If you choose not to re-certify, you have three years to submit your payment, late fee, and paperwork. After three years have passed, you will be required to attend an instructor training workshop. The fee for this workshop will be 50% off of the current pricing.