

University of South Alabama College of Nursing Clinical Lipidology Subspecialty

Candidates who have completed the USA CON Clinical Lipidology Subspecialty Program are permitted to use the 4 courses offered in this subspecialty to help them meet the 200 point training requirement necessary to successfully credential for the Clinical Lipid Specialist (CLS) exam.

Candidates must submit a school transcript with their application that verifies they have completed the required courses. Completion of these courses provides these candidates with 120 points towards the 200 point training requirement. The remainder of the points needed to take the exam may be obtained by any combination described in the nursing training requirements published under the nursing eligibility requirements at www.lipidspecialist.org.

All candidates must still meet the basic eligibility and patient care requirements required to apply. Student practicum hours do not meet the patient care requirement.