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PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATIONS

Practice FAQs

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QUESTION

I have recently received the Certified Clinical Anesthesia Assistant (CCAA) certification from the CSRT. Can I now use that designation when I sign my documentation?

ANSWER

As outlined in the CRTO's [Registration and Use of Title](#) Professional Practice Guideline (PPG), documents signed by a Member or used by a Member in a professional capacity (e.g., business card) must include their full professional title (e.g., Registered Respiratory Therapist, Respiratory Therapist) or professional designation (e.g., RRT, RT).

Other certifications or job titles may also be included in a Member's documentation, provided the professional title or designation title appears first (e.g., John Smith RRT/CCAA).

Additional information on the CCAA certification and how it relates to RT practice can be found in the CRTO's [Respiratory Therapists as Anesthesia Assistants](#) PPG.