

Promoting the highest quality of care to the critically ill child



The **EPIC Diploma™** program (**European Paediatric / Neonatal Intensive Care Diploma™**) is a peer-developed, consensus standard that follows European Diploma best practices. It aims at **harmonizing** and **improving quality standards for safe**, independent practice in paediatric and neonatal intensive care in Europe and elsewhere.

## The EPIC Diploma™ Program

Program assesses the **minimal competencies necessary to practice** as a paediatric / neonatal intensive care specialist.

Program is intended to be **complementary to national standards** and enhance the competent, ethical, and professional care of critically ill children.

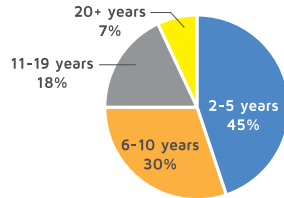
Program is organized in **two parts with 50 questions each**. Part 1 requires one year of PICU / NICU training. Part 2 requires a second year of training.



The average age of EPIC Diploma applicants is **41 years**.

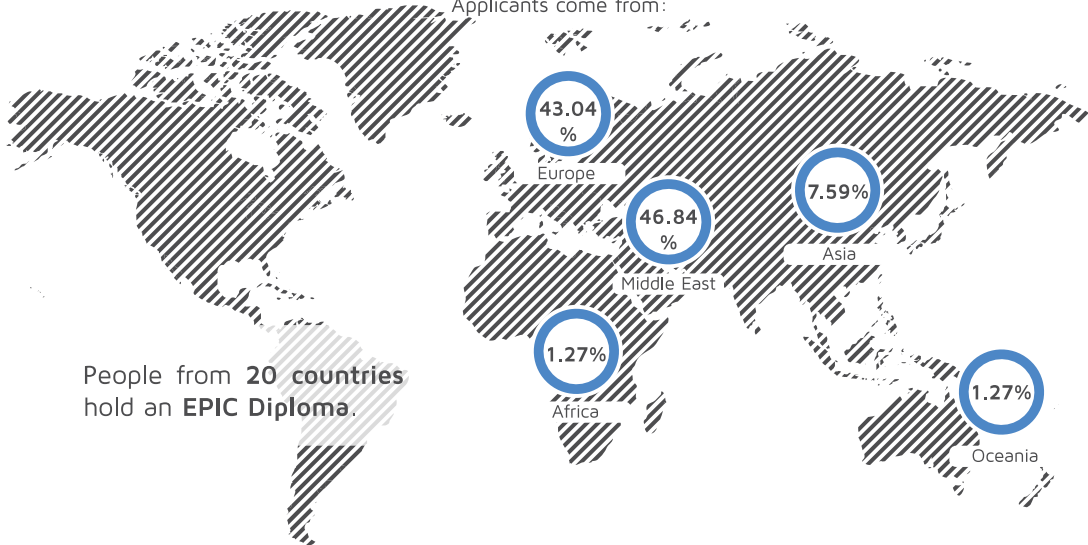
The successful rates for each part of the diploma are:

- Part 1 Exam Pass Rate - 86.36%
- Part 2 Exam Pass Rate - 72.97%



Applicants' Years of Experience in PICU/NICU

Applicants come from:



People from **20 countries** hold an **EPIC Diploma**.

Those who are successfully Board-Certified in Paediatric / Neonatal Intensive Care **recertify** every **five years** -- either by exam or by continuing professional development training and activities

The **EPIC Diploma Exam** is offered at more than **8,000 computer-based test centres** around the world. For more information visit <http://prometric.com/espic> and click on "Locate a Test Center."

The **EPIC Diploma™ Applicant Guide** is available for instant download at [www.espic-online.org/](http://www.espic-online.org/)

