## UCI CME Office now offers Credit for Journal Manuscript Review!

The CME Office at UCI School of Medicine is proud to announce it now offers **Manuscript Review CME**.

Beginning with the Western Journal of Emergency Medicine (*West*JEM), reviewers are eligible to receive three CME credits for each accepted review. "Credit for this activity has been allowed by the AMA for many years, as long as the journal is indexed in MEDLINE, through the National Library of Medicine. Getting quality peer review of scientific articles is a constant struggle for medical journals. A good review can take hours to perform, and should, ideally, involve searching the literature for relevant science, reviewing it, and making sure the article under consideration adds both truth and value to the literature. There is substantial learning that goes into this process, which certainly should provide CME credit", said Dr. Mark I. Langdorf, *West*JEM's Editor-in-Chief.

Manuscript Review CME is designed to address the skills of critically assessing manuscripts and communicating feedback effectively to editors and authors.

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