

## Data Entry Certification/Decertification

**Purpose:** To record information for data entry certification or decertification.  
**When:** Whenever data entry certification is requested or after termination of data entry person's employment.  
**By whom:** Person requesting certification or decertification and/or clinic coordinator/director.  
**Instructions:** Read LSOCA Data System Manual and complete the on-line LSOCA Data System Tutorial. Complete the Data Entry Certification/Decertification (DC) form and fax to Coordinating Center at (410) 955-0932. A separate DC form must be completed when Data Entry technician is no longer active in LSOCA.

**A. Certification information**

1. Clinic ID code: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Date form completed:  
 \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
day mon year

3. Name of person being certified/decertified  
 (please print):  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
name

4. Personal Identification ID#  
 (four to six alpha numeric characters that are used to log into electronic data system which are created when completing the tutorial):  
 \_\_\_\_\_

5. Office contact information

a. Address:  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

b. Phone number:  
 \_\_\_\_\_

c. Fax number:  
 \_\_\_\_\_

d. E-mail address:  
 \_\_\_\_\_

6. Is this form being completed for the request of data entry certification or for data entry decertification (check only one):

Data entry certification                      (    1    )  
 Data entry decertification                    (    2    )

7. I have read the LSOCA data system manual and completed the data system tutorial:  
(    Yes    )    (    No    )  
(    1    )    (    2    )

(All requirements must be completed before certification will be given)

8. Confidentiality statement:  
*I have read the Longitudinal Study of Ocular Complications of AIDS Data System Manual and completed the Data System Tutorial.*  
*I understand that the information provided by study patients is not to be used in any way that will compromise their rights to confidentiality or privacy and that failure to respect these rights may result in my dismissal from LSOCA.*  
*I understand that sharing my data system username and password with anyone constitutes a compromise in patient confidentiality.*  
*I understand the need for high standards of integrity in the data collection and recording process. Further, I understand that any shortcomings in this regard on my part can have an impact on the credibility of LSOCA and may result in my dismissal from LSOCA.*  
*I understand that this is a collaborative study and that any presentations or publications made before the data are placed in the public domain are subject to the review and approval of the LSOCA Study Officers.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature of individual named in item 3.

**9.** \_\_\_\_\_

**B. Clinic coordinator/director assurance**

9. Date form reviewed:

\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_  
day mon year

10. Clinic coordinator/director ID: \_\_\_\_\_

11. Clinic coordinator/director signature:

\_\_\_\_\_  
**NOTE: Items 9 through 11 must be completed:**

*Fax this form to:  
SOCA Coordinating Center  
Fax (410) 955-0932  
615 North Wolfe St., Room 5010  
Baltimore, Maryland 21205*

**C. Coordinating center use**

12. Date form reviewed:

\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_  
day mon year

13. Action taken:

\_\_\_\_\_  
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14. Person reviewing this form (*please print*):

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