



NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF
THE REMODELING INDUSTRY

Remodeling Done Right.™

Certification



DESERVED RECOGNITION

NARI Certifications were developed to recognize highly experienced remodeling professionals, capable of planning and managing complex remodeling projects to client approval.

Certified professionals are an elite group of industry experts who possess extensive technical and management skills that set them apart as capable remodeling professionals.

INDUSTRY DRIVEN

NARI Certification standards and exam questions were developed by leading remodeling experts, skilled in technical and management best practices. NARI Certification is governed by the volunteer-led Certification Board.

CERTIFICATION PROCESS

NARI Certification is a robust and challenging process, reserved for those remodeling professionals who demonstrate extensive expertise in their field and pass the rigorous screening and testing process.



“Having the certification embodies the level of professionalism I want to represent and validates that I have taken those steps to represent myself at a higher level and it really sets me apart from the competition.”

– Paul Hamtil, CR,
President of Hamtil Construction, LLC

BENEFITS OF CERTIFICATION

NARI Certification is a worthy investment in your career. Aren't you worth it?

- Validate your professionalism, expertise and dedication to client satisfaction
- Advance your business skill set for increased company profitability, project timelines, and streamlined project/business operations
- Develop your professional skill set and set your career in remodeling up for success
- Position yourself or your staff as an indispensable resource to your clients with complex project needs
- Increase your reputation in a crowded marketplace

CERTIFIED NARI PROFESSIONALS



WAYS TO PREPARE FOR THE EXAM

- Attend a certification study group or course at your local NARI Chapter
- Attend an online certification study group or course offered by NARI
- Self-study using the NARI program manual

About the National Association of the Remodeling Industry (NARI)

NARI is the only professional trade association dedicated solely to the remodeling industry — contractors, builders and supply chain partners. NARI members are committed to integrity, high standards, a Code of Ethics, training, market recognition and increased profitability.

NARI is committed to increasing the professionalism of the remodeling industry, by offering certification of remodeling professionals and accreditation of remodeling companies.

CERTIFIED NARI PROFESSIONAL MCR

Master Certified Remodeler (MCR): The highest level of certification NARI offers. Designed for professionals who have held the CR designation for a minimum of 10 years, hold another NARI Certification and have demonstrated leadership within NARI or their local community.

CERTIFIED NARI PROFESSIONAL CR

Certified Remodeler (CR): Designed for highly experienced industry professionals who provide a full range of remodeling services. Often pursued by owners or upper management of a remodeling organization.

CERTIFIED NARI PROFESSIONAL CKBR

Certified Kitchen and Bath Remodeler (CKBR): Designed for highly experienced industry professionals who provide remodeling services specific to kitchens and bathrooms. Often pursued by owners or upper management of a remodeling organization.

CERTIFIED NARI PROFESSIONAL CLC

Certified Lead Carpenter (CLC): Designed for experienced field professionals who oversee the technical aspects of the project, including personnel management and material flow.

CERTIFIED NARI PROFESSIONAL CRPM

Certified Remodeling Project Manager (CRPM): Designed for professionals overseeing the administrative aspects of a project: customer satisfaction, scheduling subcontractors, record-keeping, risk management, financial controls, etc.

CERTIFIED NARI PROFESSIONAL UDCP

Universal Design Certified Professional (UDCP): Designed for professionals who handle renovations for improved accessibility and ease of use.

CERTIFIED NARI PROFESSIONAL CRS

Certified Remodeler Specialist (CRS): Designed for professional remodelers who specialize in one area, such as concrete and masonry, electrical, insulation, mechanical systems, plumbing systems or roofing and siding.

CERTIFIED NARI PROFESSIONAL CRA

Certified Remodeler Associate (CRA): Designed for professionals in a supporting profession such as architects, designers, manufacturers, suppliers and consultants.



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Learn

At NARI University, Advance Your Craft and Expand Your Business Knowledge

NARI Education. Remodeling Done Right.™

NARI University provides valuable distance learning when you need it. It is your resource for continued education.



Did you know?

OVER 80% of consumers would choose a remodeler who is certified versus a contractor who isn't.

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NARI offers 8 valuable certifications:

- NARI Master Certified Remodeler (MCR)
- NARI Certified Remodeler (CR)
- NARI Certified Remodeler Specialist (CRS)
- NARI Certified Remodeler Associate (CRA)
- NARI Certified Kitchen & Bath Remodeler (CKBR)
- NARI Certified Lead Carpenter (CLC)
- NARI Certified Remodeling Project Manager (CRPM)
- NARI Universal Design Certified Professional (UDCP)

How to Get Certified?

- Submit an application to NARI
- Enroll in a NARI study group among peers (4-12 weeks)
- Pass a rigorous written exam

After Certification

- Use this powerful designation to market your company
- Grow your business based on what you've learned

Need CEUs?

NARI has more than 60 on-demand webinars, each worth 1 CEU. Learn on your own time the subjects that will move your business and your team forward.

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