

# Medidata Rave EDC Certified Study Builder Prep Course - Prerequisites

To prepare certification candidates for the [Medidata Rave EDC Certified Study Builder program](#), Medidata Global Education offers the Medidata Rave EDC Certified Study Builder Prep Course as part of the learning path for Study Builders working towards certification.

This document clarifies the learning path for this course, focusing on both first-time Study Builder candidates and candidates who previously completed the Classic Rave Certified Study Builder certification.

## First-time Study Builder candidates

- The course is a requirement for all Study Builders working towards their first Study Builder certification in the Medidata Certification program.
- Before attending this course, candidates must complete the following courses:
  - eLearning (1.5 hours)
    - [Medidata Rave EDC: Getting Started](#)
    - [Medidata Rave EDC: Clinical Research Coordinators](#)
    - [Rave Reporter](#)
  - Instructor Led Training (54.5 hours)
    - [Medidata Rave Study Design and Build Essentials \(SDBE\) – Data Managers](#) (20 hours Remote, 24 hours Onsite)
    - [Medidata Rave Study Design and Build Essentials \(SDBE\) – Data Validations](#) (16 hours)
    - [Rave Configuration](#) (8 hours)
    - [Rave Clinical Views](#) (2.5 hours)

## Classic Rave Certified Study Builders

This course is optional, but highly recommended for Classic Rave Certified Study Builders, who wish to recertify as a Rave EDC Certified Study Builder. It provides an opportunity to clarify questions and review critical elements of the study-build process, with a Medidata Training Specialist.

- Before attending the course, candidates must complete the following courses:
    - eLearning (2.5 hours)
      - [Medidata Rave EDC: Getting Started](#)
      - [Medidata Rave EDC: Clinical Research Coordinators](#)
      - [Rave Reporter](#)
      - [Overview of Differences between iMedidata and Cloud Administration](#)
      - [Overview of the Differences between Classic Rave and Rave EDC in EDC](#)
      - [Overview of the Differences Between Classic Rave and Rave EDC in Architect](#)
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