

NHS Trusts: Developing and delivering apprenticeship programmes

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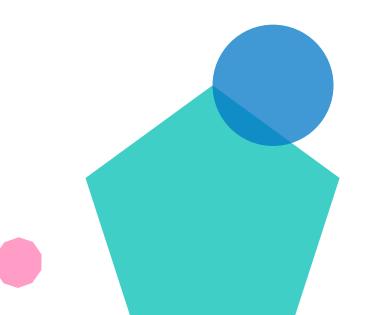
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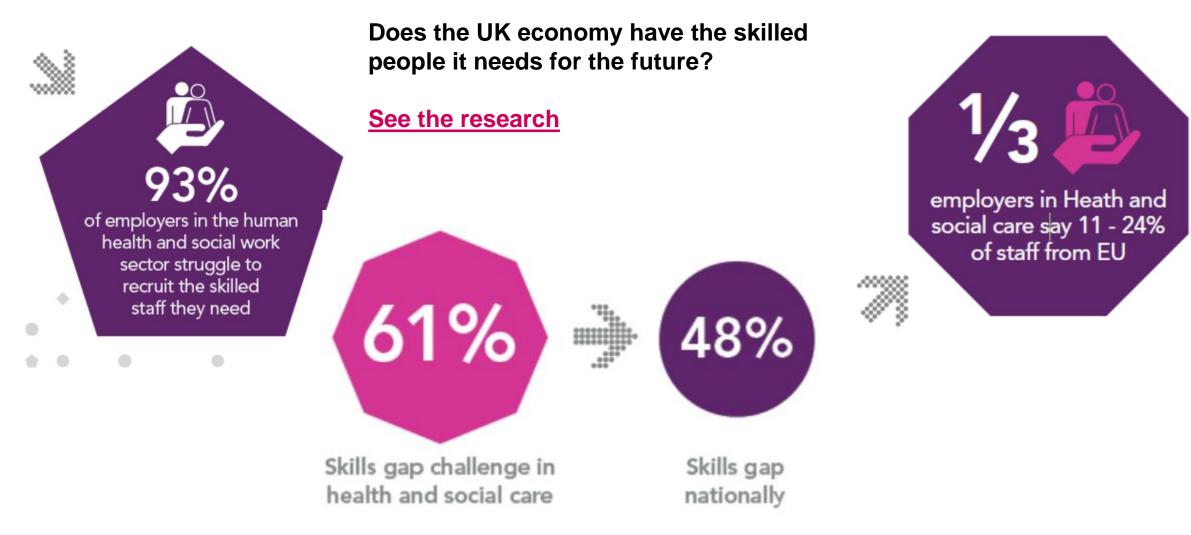


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People power research



^{*1,000} employers were asked for their insight and views in this report – June 2018 by EMSI and City & Guilds Group

How we can support the NHS

As a global leader in skills development we are well placed to support your organisational talent and development needs.

We deliver high-quality learning solutions and qualifications based on our years of working across multiple industries to create resources that draw out the skills, knowledge and behaviours apprentices' need, from beginning to end.

You can count on our **expertise**, **rigour**, **commitment to quality**, **network and support** to ensuring your apprentices have a first rate learning experience to help them get to gateway.



Key steps to developing an apprenticeship programme

1. Building robust workforce development plans

- Work closely with HR and Organisational Development to align business goals in accordance with workforce development plans.
- Identify staff development and talent planning across all NHS Pay Bands.
- Identify skills gaps or recruitment opportunities across all departments to determine if an apprenticeship is an appropriate solution.

Check points:

- What HR people plan is in place to tackle current recruitment challenges?
- How does the Trust plan to achieve its NHS public sector target for apprenticeship provision?
- What 3 5 year forecast is in place to achieve apprenticeship provision considering both planned and projected starts to reach your levy target?

Key steps to developing an apprenticeship programme

2. Review all current training programmes and where occupations can be mapped to apprenticeships

Map new apprenticeship standards to all job roles to identify skills gaps, support progression and identify recruitment opportunities.

- Align a seamless 'business as usual' approach, map and plan training against all the apprenticeship standards or frameworks currently available.
- Keep referring back to your apprenticeship forecast plans City & Guilds can support this.

Key considerations:

- Where are the Trust's largest recruitment vacancies?
- Remember, existing SASE Frameworks can also be considered as they will continue to be offered alongside the new standards during the transitional period.

Key steps to developing an apprenticeship programme

3. Deciding how best to deliver an apprenticeship programmes through multiple delivery methods

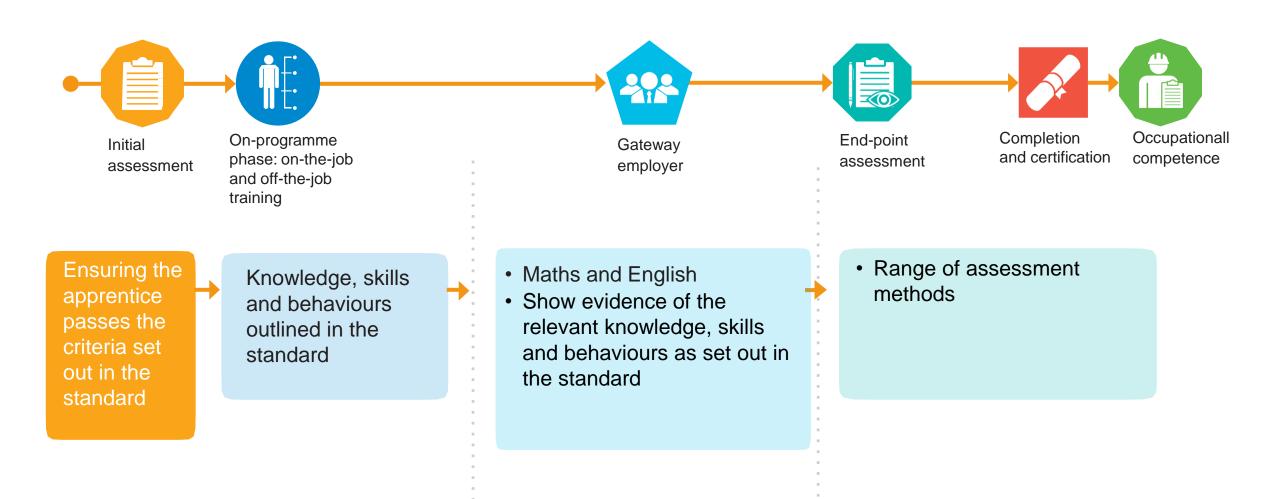
Determine which delivery method is best suited to your Trust. We can help you to:

- Become a registered training provider through our consultative services.
- Deliver as a registered employer provider with City & Guilds supporting with on programme requirements.
- Work in partnership as a supporting provider and or in-conjunction with providers, colleges and HEI's from the RoATP.

Key considerations:

- If partnering, ensure that the chosen provider or college has the capability and capacity to deliver and determine what percentage of the apprenticeship, if any, will be delivered by a college or provider?
- Determine end-point assessment quality and delivery method required (face-to-face or remote).
- Register with an end-point assessment organisation as soon as possible to allow the EPAO to have resource in place for the planned events.

Delivering the new apprenticeship standards



Our evolving offer

Which industries can City & Guilds help you with? We specialise in the following areas:



Business Services Engineering



Business and Admin including public sector



Catering and Hospitality



Childcare & Education



Construction



Digital



Engineering & Manufacturing

Adjacent employer-led industries



Hair and Beauty



Health



Land based



Management (ILM)



Social Care



Transport



Logistics



Security



Retail



Aviation & Travel



Built



Justice

We can develop programmes quickly in these sectors for you when there's employer demand.

Servicing multiple roles, occupations and skill levels

Decide which programmes to deliver. City & Guilds offer 30+ standards that can service NHS employers



Business support services: customer service practitioner (L2), business administrator (L3), customer service specialist (L3), operations delivery officer (L3).



Health and care delivery: adult case worker (L2), dental nurse (L2), healthcare support worker (L2), lead adult care worker (L3), senior healthcare support worker (L3), leader in adult care (L5), healthcare assistant practitioner (L5).



IT and digital support services: unified communications technician (L3), digital marketer (L3), infrastructure technician (L3), network engineer (L4), software developer (L4).



Support services: commis chef (L2), property maintenance operations (L2), chef de partie (L3), senior chef production cooking (L3).



Leadership and management: team leader / supervisor (L3), operations / departmental manager (L5).



Update on City & Guilds in the Health Sector

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Qualifications – existing

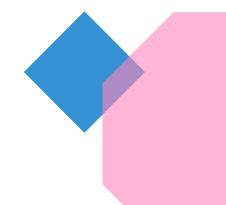
- Level 2 Certificate in Clinical Skills (3051-02)
- Level 2 Award in Medical Terminology (AMSPAR) (5519-12)
- Level 2 Certificate in Healthcare Support Services (4223-02) SASE still open



- Diploma in Mental Health Care Level 3 (3101-03)
- Diploma in Clinical Healthcare Support Level 3 (4223-11)
- Diploma in Allied Health Profession Support Level 3 (4223-14)
- Diploma in Maternity and Paediatric Support Level 3 (4223-15)
- Diploma in Perioperative Support Level 3 (4223-16)

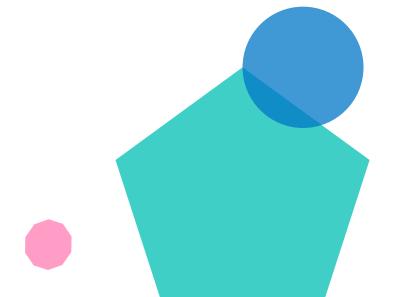
Now that the new standard is published – apprentices must be registered on the new Level 3 Diploma in Healthcare Support (4345-31).

Level 5 Diploma for Assistant Practitioner in Healthcare (3576-51)



Qualifications - new

- 3095-21 Level 2 Diploma in Care (England) 603/2660/8
- 4345-31 Level 3 Diploma in Healthcare Support 603/2544/6



Healthcare standards

| Standard name | Availability | Assessment plan | EPA | Date available to register |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|---------|---|
| Healthcare Support Worker | Standard published | Assessment plan published | 9041-12 | Open for registrations |
| Senior Healthcare Support Worker | Revised standard published February 2018. Assessment plan being revised again expected July 2018. | Revised assessment plan published February 2018 | 9043-12 | November 2018 Adult Nursing support only. Additional options will be available later dates tbc. |
| Assistant Practitioner in Healthcare | Standard published | Assessment plan published | 9576-12 | August/September 2018 |

City & Guilds in on the EPAO Register for all three standards. Health and Science standards on IfA website

Healthcare Support Worker standard

On programme – typically 12 months

- No mandatory qualification
- Options are:
 - Level 2 Diploma in Care (3095-21)
 - Level 2 Certificate in Clinical Skills (3051-21).

Assessment gateway requirements

- Evidence of having met the 15 standards as outlined in the Care Certificate.
- Level 1 maths and English.
- Attempt maths and English Level 2 by sitting the test.
- Any qualification specified by the employer (see above options).

Last three months

A portfolio of evidence completed end-point assessment.



Trailblazer Apprenticeships

(individual standards per occupation)





On-programme phase: On-the-job and off-the-job training

Qualifications are not mandatory

Trailblazer groups can choose to build qualifications into Standards, either mandatory (in the Standard) or recommended (in the Assessment Plan). If qualifications are not written into a Standard, providers can still build them into their apprenticeship programme at a cost

- Maths and English
- Behaviour formal measurement is not mandatory



Gateway

Employer and provider sign off learner



End-point assessment



Customer Service Assessment Plan for EPA

- 1. Apprentice Showcase (after 12 months on-programme learning)
- 2. Practical Observation (min 1 hour)
- 3. Professional discussion (max 1 hour)



Completion and certification



Occupational competence

Senior Healthcare Support Worker standard

On programme – typically 18 months

- Options are:
 - Adult Nursing Support
 - Maternity Support
 - Mental Health Support
 - Children and Young People Support
 - Theatre Support
 - Allied Health Profession-Therapy Support.

Mandatory qualification

City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Healthcare Support (4345-31).

Assessment gateway requirements

- Evidence of having met the 15 standards as outlined in the Care Certificate.
- Level 2 maths and English.
- Achieved Level 3 Diploma in Healthcare Support.

Last three months

· A learning journal completed.



Healthcare Assistant Practitioner standard

On programme – typically 18 months

 City & Guilds Level 5 Diploma for Assistant Practitioners in Healthcare (3576-51).

Assessment gateway requirements

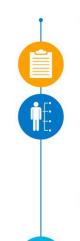
- Evidence of having met the 15 standards as outlined in the Care Certificate.
- Level 2 maths and English.
- Level 5 City & Guilds Diploma for Assistant Practitioners in Healthcare.

Last three months

A reflective journal.

End-point assessment

- Multiple choice test plus short answer questions.
- Assessment of reflective journal.
- Observation of practice in the workplace.
- Interview/professional discussion.



Trailblazer Apprenticeships (individual standards per occupation)

Initial assessment

On-programme phase: On-the-job and off-the-job training

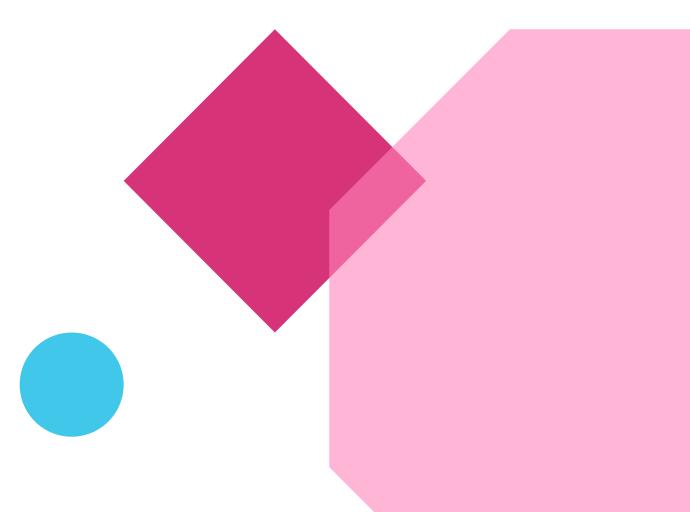
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Working with us to deliver apprenticeships

Off-the-job training, the vital 20%

Off-the-job training must be directly relevant to the apprenticeship standard and must take place within the apprentice's normal working hours.

It can include:



Teaching of theory - lectures



Simulated exercises and role play



Attendance at competitions



Manufacturer training e.g. new equipment or technologies



Learning support provided by employer or the provider



Some online learning e.g. webinars or blended learning



Shadowing or being mentored



Practical training



Visiting the employer's other departments



Time spent by the apprentice writing assessments/assignments



Industry visits or visiting other companies or suppliers

Key themes to explore

Our offer is designed around NHS employers, apprentices and centres, focusing on portability and visibility, apprentice experience and apprentice motivation.



Key considerations

How can these 4 elements improve the delivery and success of your apprenticeships...

Apprentice journey design



Apprentice

- A clear learning journey allowing the apprentice to plan their time.
 - Multiple channels for learning and high levels of portability give flexibility for when and where they study.



Provider

- Providers can structure resources against a timeline.
- Apprentices' progress can be tracked and success of each step can be measured.



Employer

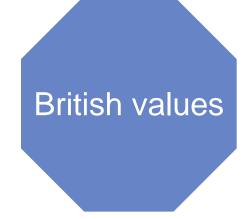
 Providers can add specific elements that are important to the employer.
 These can then be built into the timeline that delivers against that apprenticeship standard.

Essential content

Apprentice journey design

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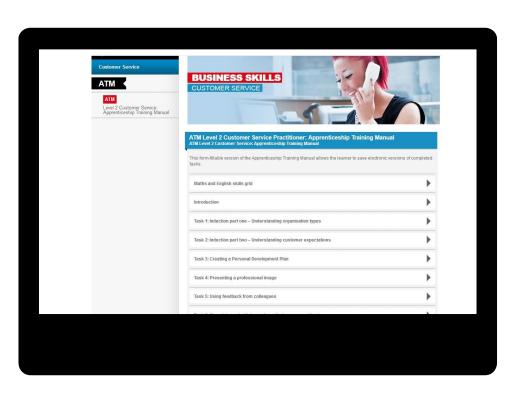
Health and safety

Apprenticeship training manuals

Apprentice journey design

A programme of learning that is fully mapped to the standard:







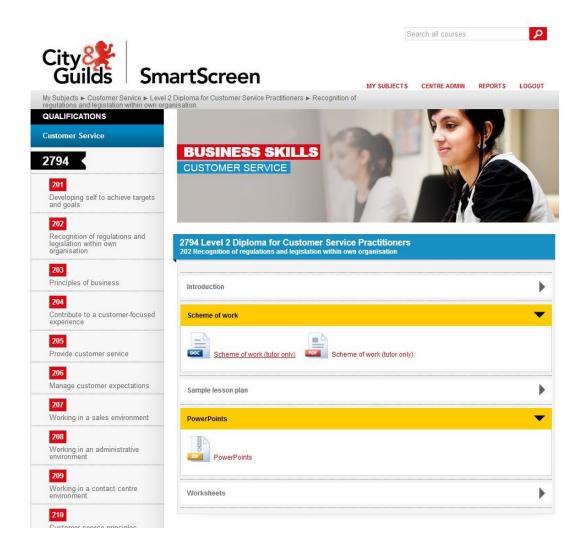
Apprenticeship training manual





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Tutor support in SmartScreen





Level 2 Diploma for Customer Service Practitioners



SmartScreen

Unit 202 Scheme of work

| Session | Objectives/learning outcomes | Activities and resources | Assessment | | |
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| 1 3 hours | Be aware of the content of Unit 202 Be able to locate the SmartScreen webpage Learning outcome 1: 1.1 Identify the different regulations and legislation that affect own organisation | Activities: Discussion on the range of legislation and regulations that have an impact on customer service provision Completion of Worksheet 1 Presentation of PowerPoint 1 including equality legislation video https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UcuS5glhNto Discussion of all legislation Discussion of customer charter examples Learners to review worksheets in pairs and make any amendments on basis of the other's experience and presentation Resources: Sample lesson plan 1 PowerPoint presentation 1 Worksheet 1 Worksheet 2 | Worksheet 1 Worksheet 2 | | |
| 2 3 hours | Recap previous session Learning outcome 1: 1.1 Identify the different regulations and legislation that affect own organisation | Activities: Review worksheets completed by learners during Session 1 Discuss any issues raised Discussion on customer charters, service level agreements, ethics and morals, and codes of practice Presentation of PowerPoint 2 Introduction of role play – Worksheet 3 (customer and employee briefs) | Worksheet 3 | | |

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Enhanced SmartScreen





Embedded assessment



Apprentice

- Motivates the apprentice, giving them a sense of their progress.
 - Gives the apprentice confidence in the quality of their training and feedback to enable them to continue to develop.



Provider

- Tracks progress and enables the provider to give apprentices the support they need.
- Help ensure focus on the right parts of the standard, maximising productivity and enhancing the quality of the learning experience.



Employer

- Visibility of the apprentice's progress against the standard.
- Instills confidence that they have well trained apprentices.

Qualifications mapped to standards

Qualifications to support on-programme learning – now live

- Level 2 Diploma for Customer Service Practitioners (2794).
- Mapped 100% to the Customer Service Practitioner standard.
- Mapping document available.
- Resources available on SmartScreen.



Level 2 Diploma for Customer Service Practitioners (2794-02)

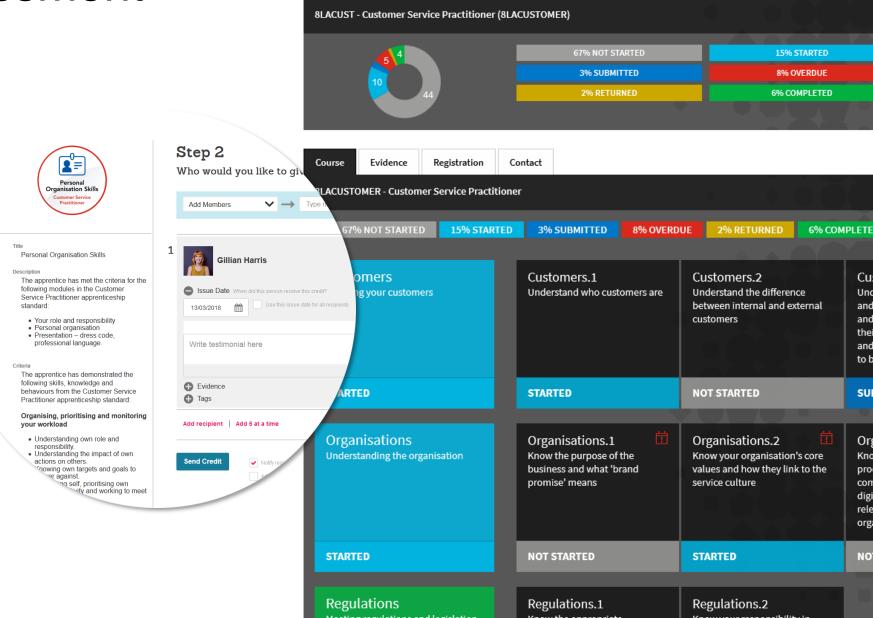
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Qualification Handbook

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Embedded assessment

Where a qualification is not included there's a greater need for the continuous assessment and recording of achievement against the standard to track progress, provide feedback and determine readiness for EPA.



Maths and English – what can we offer?



Qualifications

- Full suite of Functional Skills qualifications (3748).
- 'Bite-sized' maths qualifications (3847 and 3844).
 - Can be used to support progression towards Functional Skills or GCSE.

Learning resources

- e-Functional Skills.
- Maths and English e-Toolkit.
- Functional Skills SmartScreen resources.

Workforce support

- Qualifications for literacy and numeracy practitioners.
- Specialist support, especially with maths and English integration.

Tracking



- Creating a structure environment to ensure apprentices feel in control of their learning.
- Speeds up the process for assessors to review work; apprentices' can record audio and upload videos and written content quickly,



Provider

- An e-portfolio system captures all the off-the-job learning and apprentice progression.
- All resources are in one place.



Employer

- On-going tracking helps to support the apprentice.
- Easy to set up reporting for assessors, the apprentice managers.
 - Collate statistics for board reports.

Embedding assessment and monitoring progress with our flexible e-portfolio





Digital learning resources include:

- ✓ logging and recording 20% offthe-iob
- access apprenticeship training manuals fully mapped to the standard
- ✓ upload your own resources
- ✓ apprentice tracking, monitoring and reporting
- ✓ showcasing and preparation tools for EPA
- √ digital consultancy
- ✓ implementation
- ongoing support and training and development.

Tracking

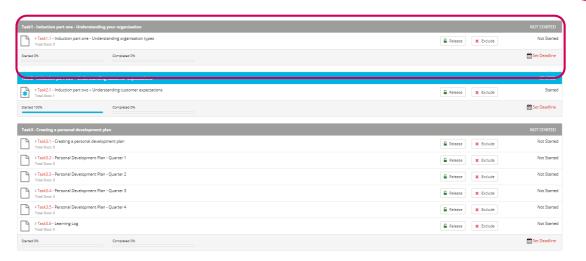
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e-portfolio – embedded resources

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Our Learning Assistant licence lets you have access to some of the most popular City & Guilds apprenticeship training manuals for no additional charge.



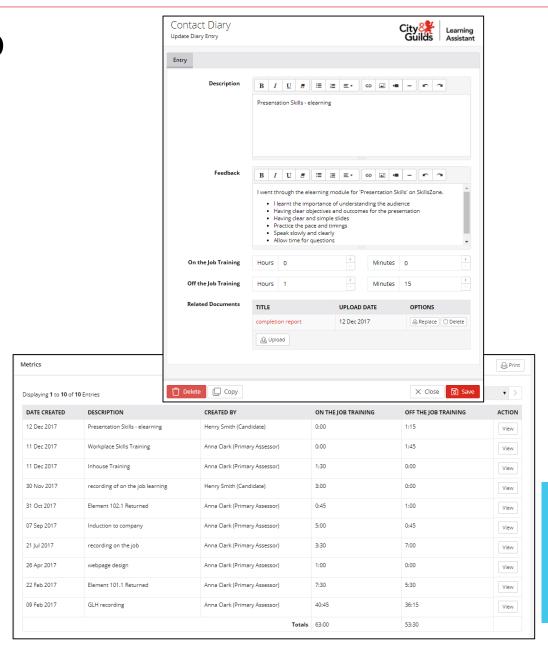


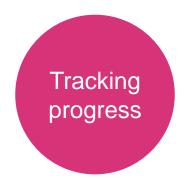
Standard features in LA offer unique benefits such as:

- ✓ mobile app available on android and apple
- ✓ progress tracking
- ✓ LA Connect
- ✓ embedded resources
- ✓ use for all vocational delivery.

Capture 20% off-the-job

- Apprentices and assessors can easily create contact diary entries and record their off-the-job training.
- Diary entries are date stamped and have the embedded electronic signature of the person who recorded the entry. Documents and evidence can be uploaded as part of the entry if required.
- A apprentice, employer or assessor could be asked to acknowledge the entry.
- Reports can be accessed by the employer, assessors and administrators on either individual apprentices or groups of apprentices.





End-point assessment preparation benefits



Apprentice

- Gain confidence in areas like building a showcase, presentation and interview skills.
- Practical hints and tips on how to prepare for EPA are essential.



Provider

- Good preparation for EPA helps to ensure all the apprentice's hard work is properly demonstrated to the assessor.
- Not preparing the apprentice properly impacts our success rates and potentially our reputation.



Employer

- Successful preparation leads to successful results in EPA.
- Apprentices provide us with skilled employees for the future of our businesses.

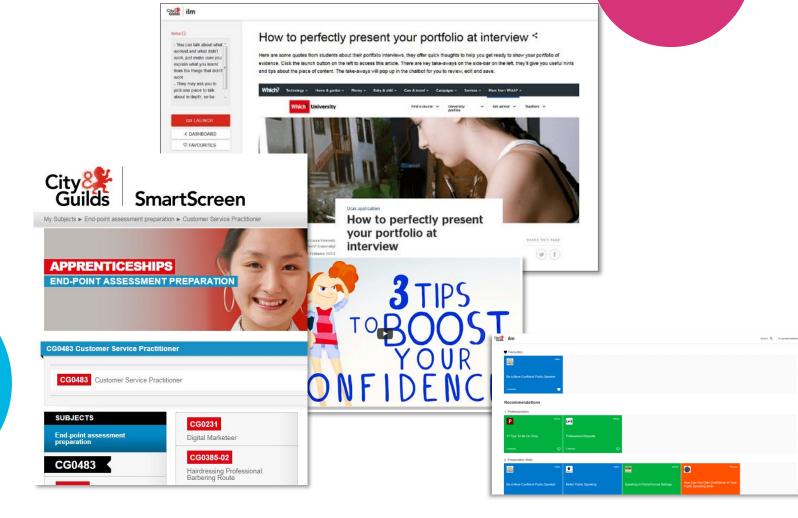
EPA preparation tool – helping your apprentice calmly approach EPA

EPA preparation

Personalised to each apprentive with up to six hours of generic content per standard

Apprentices can gain confidence in areas like interviews, presentation skills, writing and exam revision Useful and relevant learning resources relevant to the standard and the assessment method

Organised by assessment skills most relevant to the apprentice and to the standard



Six key steps to developing an apprenticeship programme

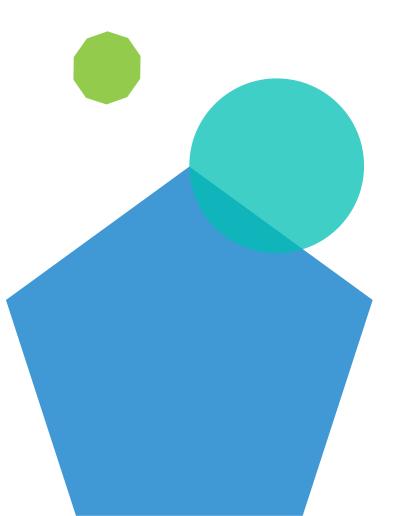
Ensuring readiness to deliver

Considerations for existing staff training and planning strategies when developing apprenticeships programmes within the Trust

- Determine if staff require coaching or leadership and management training, to effectively support and manage apprentices and assess knowledge and competency.
- Implement a strategy for training internal staff, mentoring and coaching City & Guilds can help with this.
- Decide how to manage and monitor the apprenticeship programme, create, weekly training plans, learner journeys and build in EPA planning and revision sessions.
- Ensure internal systems, facilities and equipment are in place as per the requirements of the apprenticeship programme.

Check points:

- Do you require support with e-portfolio's and Management Information Systems(MIS)?
- Does your MIS integrate across application program interfaces (APIs), which are tools that make it possible to manage communication between programs?

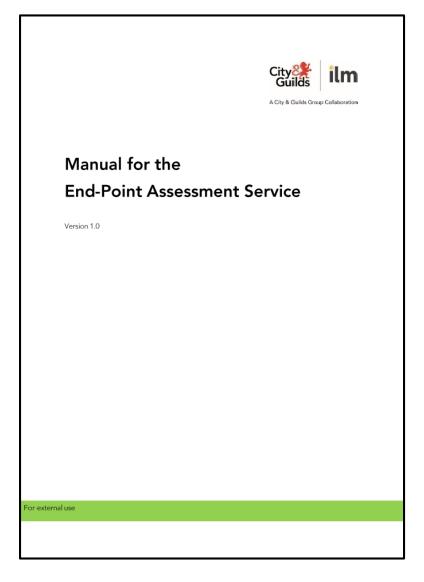


City & Guilds EPA service



Manual for City & Guilds and ILM EPA Service

Catch-up on our recent webinar on the EPA booking process and support on assessment methods



Preparation at the heart of our service

EPA customer packs for every standard

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Level 2 Customer Service Practitioner (9794-02)

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End-Point Assessment Pack
For Centres/End-Point Assessment Customers/Employers

Key document for centres/customers/employers for the planning and delivery of the apprenticeship.

It will include:

- the standard
- guidance on how to book EPA
- guidance on how to prepare for the showcase portfolio, practical observation and professional discussion and how they will be assessed – against relevant sections of the assessment methods and grading criteria (annex)
- guidance on examples of possible evidence
- separate pack with recording forms.

We can also support with subject specific on-programme learning. Find out more at https://www.cityandguilds.com/apprenticeships/on-programme-learning

EPA exemplar material

- Aimed at the assessor/tutor.
- Easy to access.
- Standard specific.
- Best practice guidance for relevant EPA components.

Showcase portfolio Examples of evidence Practical observation Guidance on a successful observation Guidance on how to present and what is expected

Underpinned by overarching tutor notes to pull all the different elements together

Results and resits

Statement of Achievement

- If the apprentice passes, then we will issue a 'Statement of Achievement' to the customer.
- We then claim the apprentice certificate from the Institute of Apprenticeships who in turn, post certificates to the employer.
- If the apprentice fails, we will issue a formal notification and feedback to the customer on which areas were failed.
- Book through Walled Garden on a component by component basis.
- City & Guilds reopens access for the apprentice's EPA portal record or gives them a resit course.



Our EPA service

Simple pricing – two charging points:

- EPA registration fee non-refundable £25 when the apprentice is registered for EPA on City & Guilds system.
- EPA balance paid after assessor enters results.

Our registration fee releases our EPA preparation tool and any related materials during the on-programme learning.

NHS Trust will of received nearly all of your funding by this point so helps cash flow.

No hidden charges – includes any third-party fees related to external quality assurance.

Charged after EPA

| | Month 1 | Month 2 | Month 3 | Month 4 | Month 5 | Month 6 | Month 20 | Month 21 | Month 22 | Month 23 | Month 24 | Point of EPA Event |
|-----|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------------|
| ЕРА | £25 REG | £0 | £0 | £0 | £0 | £0 | £0 | EPA RES £0 | £0 | £0 | £0 | £525 |
| ОР | £30 | £0 | £0 | £0 | £0 | £0 | £0 | £0 | £0 | £0 | £0 | £0 |

EPA registration fee £

EPA reservation request

EPA event

Balance £



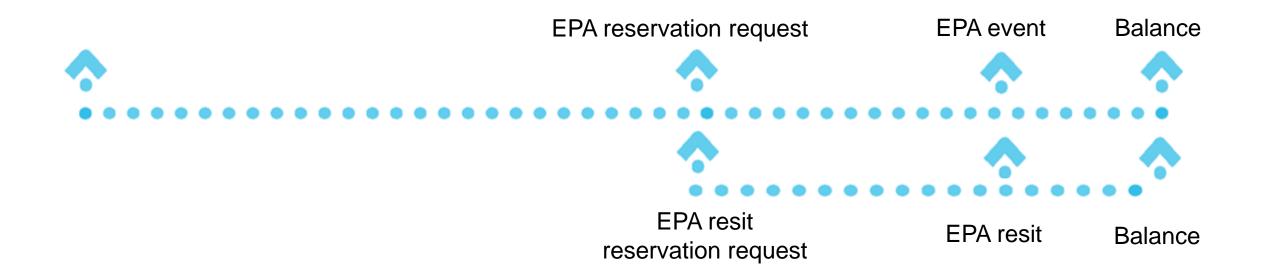




EPA registration can be made at your discretion but has to be before EPA reservation

Our EPA service

- Apprentices who don't achieve their end-point assessment or a component of it will need to resit.
- Resits are covered by funding to maximum 20% of the funding band.
- Costs vary with each standard our prices are on Walled Garden.
- You need a reservation request for each resit will be prioritised on a shorter timescale.
- · Any contract between employers and providers should say who's responsible for paying for any resits.



Our EPA assessors

- We've recruited over 100 high-quality assessors across a range of standards.
- Our assessors are industry experts.
- We train them to help apprentices feel relaxed and show their best in assessment.

Join our IEPA team

For a list of standards that we're recruiting in, visit our **IEPA** assessor page.

Sample from Senior Healthcare Support Worker IEPA specification

- Be occupationally competent and be a registered healthcare professional or have completed a Level 5
 healthcare apprenticeship/relevant regulated Level 5 qualification.
- Have relevant occupational experience in a health or social care setting within the last two years.
- Be fully conversant with the standards and criteria being assessed.

Essential qualifications and experience:

- A qualified and experienced assessor with an understanding and knowledge of the sector.
- Hold the qualifications or demonstrate current experience as specified in the assessment requirements.
- Experience of working with quality assurance processes and complying with regulatory requirements.



Leading the way in EPA currently in 42 apprenticeship standards

30 years' experience









delivering this type of assessment.

organisation to deliver and issue apprenticeship and EPA certificates of achievement.

registered to take our EPA already and growing weekly.

high-quality assessors recruited across a range of standards and still recruiting. apprentices already gone through our robust EPA events.

^{*} Figures at June 2018

Customer queries and general apprenticeship enquiries

Please contact apprenticeships@cityandguilds.com

For end-point assessment email the team on epa@cityandguilds.com

For more information on the new standards, our learning resources (including demos), and how we can support your business: directsales@cityandguilds.com

Keep up to date – register for email updates:

http://www.cityandguilds.com/what-we-offer/centres/email-updates

Register for event and webinars:

https://www.cityandguilds.com/apprenticeships/events-and-webinars

Get involved in the developments of new apprenticeship standards by emailing our product team through apprenticeships@cityandguilds.com



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Thank you, any questions?

