

ASSESSMENT GUIDELINE

Module Title	Transition to Advanced Clinical Practice		
Module Code	HEA00146M	Module Level*	7
Word Limit /Exam Duration	[1] 2 hours [2] 1500 words & 35 minutes	Assessment Type(s)	[1] Open book exam [2] Clinical change report & presentation
Marking Criteria Guidelines should be read in conjunction with the marking criteria guidance for the module level* noted above: http://www.york.ac.uk/healthsciences/student-intranet/exam-assess/markgrid/			
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Assessment Timing The deadline for correctly presenting a submission is 4.30pm on the published submission date. The submission deadline is published on the Programme Assessment Schedule available on the following link: http://www.york.ac.uk/healthsciences/student-intranet/timetables/assessment-schedules/			
Referencing You must reference your work in accordance with departmental referencing guidelines which you can access via the following link: http://www.york.ac.uk/integrity/harvard.html			
Assessment Guidance This guide should be read in conjunction with the published End Point Assessment for Advanced Clinical Practitioner ST0564			
<u>Formative Assessment</u> N/A			
<u>Summative Assessment</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> There are two parts to the summative assessment. You will create three referenced case studies which fulfil the requirements as set out in the published standard. These will be a maximum of 1500 (+/- 10%) each excluding references using the template presented in the module. You will then have a two-hour open book exam which consists of eight questions where you draw on your case studies to answer the questions. This will be weighted at 50% of the overall mark and you must achieve a mark of 50% to pass. The second part of the summative assessment is a 1500 (+/- 10%) word clinical change report which you will present to a panel in a 35-minute (+/- 10%) presentation. 			
Background and Context for Practice Development in Advanced Clinical Practice (guide 500- 600 words) In this part of the proposal, you will: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Introduce the panel to the potential area for practice development related to your scope of Advanced Clinical Practice. (B: Work to best practice, challenge areas of concern, be adaptable) Provide a background to your proposed clinical practice change drawing upon relevant policy (applying appropriate trends and any previous audit data, policy, legal, professional, or clinical guidelines, to provide an initial rationale alerting the panel to evidence of gaps and/or practice development needs Review of Research Literature (guide 400-500 words) In this section you will critically evaluate evidence from the research literature to provide the panel with: A brief synopsis of available research literature related to your proposed clinical practice change with justification of search strategy and limitations 			

6. A critical appraisal of the research as part of the evidence base for the proposed clinical practice change
7. Any implications or recommendations that have arisen from the research literature that need to be considered as part of the proposed clinical practice change

3. Clinical Practice Change Outline (guide 500 words)

In this section you will:

1. synthesise the evidence from research, policy and practice to justify the need for a people centred change in clinical practice
2. Detail the overall aims and intended outcomes
3. Recognise your individual scope of practice and where you will need to involve others
4. Outline the resources required, including multi- agency and inter-professional resources as needed
5. Identify how intended outcomes will be measured

Element 2 is a 25-minute presentation (+/-10%) with 10 minutes questions from the panel (+/-10%) which is focused on leading the implementation of the clinical practice change outlined in element 1 (clinical practice change report).

Assessment Guide:

Your presentation to the panel which will discuss your plans for the implementation and evaluation phase of your clinical practice change (element 1). Your presentation is particularly focused on your leadership and your role in enabling the education and development of others. In your presentation you will,

1. Drawing on section 3 of your report (element 1) you will provide the panel with a succinct summary of the proposed change and indicate selected key challenges for implementation (guide 5 mins)
2. Considering one of the challenges you have raised, provide the panel with a justification of your proposed approach to leadership, articulating any models or theories that would systematically address the challenge and support change and innovation (guide 7-8 mins)
3. Considering one of the challenges you have raised (element 1) present the panel with your evidence-based strategy for educating and developing others to address the challenge and enhance the implementation
4. Present the panel with your critique of the strengths and limitations of your overall presentation of practice (elements 1 and 2), evaluating personal development achieved through undertaking this process (5 minutes)
5. Respond to any questions or defend any challenges posed by the panel (10 minutes)

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