2014 Genitourinary Medicine ARCP Decision Aid – August 2014

The following table sets out the targets to be achieved for satisfactory ARCP outcome at the end of each training year. Guidance is provided on management and leadership and suggested topics for SLEs and DOPS. This document replaces previous versions from August 2014.

Assessment	ARCP year 3 (End of ST3)	ARCP year 4 (End of ST4)	ARCP year 5 (End of ST5)	ARCP year 6 (End of ST6)
GUM / sexual health competencies	Consistent with Level Descriptor at level 1 in GUM curriculum	Consistent with Level Descriptor at level 2 in GUM curriculum	Consistent with Level Descriptor at level 3 in GUM curriculum	Consistent with Level Descriptor at level 4 in GUM curriculum
HIV competencies	Consistent with Level Descriptor at level 1 in GUM curriculum	Consistent with Level Descriptor at level 2 in GUM curriculum	Consistent with Level Descriptor at level 3 in GUM curriculum	Consistent with Level Descriptor at level 4 in GUM curriculum
Medical leadership & management competencies	Consistent with Level Descriptor at level 1 in GUM curriculum	Consistent with Level Descriptor at level 2 in GUM curriculum	Consistent with Level Descriptor at level 3 in GUM curriculum	Consistent with Level Descriptor at level 4 in GUM curriculum
Epidemiology & public health competencies	Consistent with Level Descriptor at level 1 in GUM curriculum	Consistent with Level Descriptor at level 2 in GUM curriculum	Consistent with Level Descriptor at level 3 in GUM curriculum	Consistent with Level Descriptor at level 4 in GUM curriculum
Examinations (pass required to progress to next level)		Diploma in Genitourinary Medicine (Dip G-U Med)	Diploma of the Faculty of Sexual & Reproductive Healthcare (DFSRH)	Diploma in HIV Medicine (Dip HIV Med)

ePortfolio evidence including supervised learning events (mini-CEX and CbDs) can be linked to GUM competencies to demonstrate engagement and exploration of the curriculum. Educational supervisor to confirm level achieved in ES report.

Assessment	ARCP year 3 (End of ST3)	ARCP year 4 (End of ST4)	ARCP year 5 (End of ST5)	ARCP year 6 (End of ST6)
Multi-source feedback (MSF)	Satisfactory		Satisfactory	
	should be carried out regularly thr structured feedback and action pla			
Mini-Clinical Evaluation	6 Mini-CEX	6 Mini-CEX	6 Mini-CEX	6 Mini-CEX
Exercise	(see suggested topics)	(see suggested topics)	(see suggested topics)	(see suggested topics)
(Balance between GUM & HIV conditions)	, ,			
Case based discussion	6 CbD	6 CbD	6 CbD	6 CbD
(Balance between GUM & HIV conditions)	(see suggested topics)	(see suggested topics)	(see suggested topics)	(see suggested topics)
Direct Observation of Procedural Skills (DOPS)	3 DOPS Such as: 1. Female genital examination including bimanual examination, speculum insertion and cervical cytology sampling 2. Male examination with proctoscopy and sample collection 3. Liquid nitrogen cryotherapy 4. Lumbar puncture	3 DOPS Such as: 1. Light microscopy for detection of sexually transmitted infections 2. Dark ground microscopy 3. Point of care testing	2 DOPS Such as: 1. Insertion of sub-dermal contraceptive implant 2. Skin biopsy or punch biopsy	
Audit (including Audit Assessment WPBA)	Participation in audit	Participation in audit	Completion of audit cycle(s) with satisfactory Audit Assessment (AA)	Portfolio of audit involvement
Educational supervisor report and training portfolio	Satisfactory – to include feedback from at least 2	Satisfactory – to include feedback from at least 2	Satisfactory – to include feedback from at least 2	Satisfactory – to include feedback from at least 2
	Multiple Consultant Reports (MCRs)	Multiple Consultant Reports (MCRs)	Multiple Consultant Reports (MCRs)	Multiple Consultant Reports (MCRs)

Assessment	ARCP year 3 (End of ST3)	ARCP year 4 (End of ST4)	ARCP year 5 (End of ST5)	ARCP year 6 (End of ST6)
Teaching competencies (including Teaching Observation WPBA)		Evidence of participation in teaching of medical students, junior doctors and other health care professionals	Evaluated participation in teaching confirmed by satisfactory Teaching Observation (TO)	Evidence of participation in evaluated teaching with delegate evaluation of that teaching
HIV in-patient competencies				Achieved attachments and competencies outlined in curriculum
Dermatology competencies			Achieved attachments and competencies outlined in curriculum	
Gynaecology competencies		Achieved attachments and competencies outlined in curriculum		
Medical microbiology competencies			Achieved attachments and competencies outlined in curriculum	
Contraception competencies			Passed DFSRH	Achieved attachments and competencies outlined in curriculum including insertion of contraceptive implants
Research competencies		Evidence of critical thinking around relevant clinical questions	Evidence of developing research awareness and competence such as participation in research studies, critical reviews, presenting at relevant research meetings or on courses where participants assess the trainee	CV with evidence of research awareness and competence. Evidence might include a completed study with a peer-reviewed publication or abstract

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Examples of topics for Supervised Learning Events (mini-CEX/CbD)

	First 6 months of Training	Second 6 months of Training
ST3	Sexual history taking	1. Genital ulcers
	2. Male genital examination	2. Systemic syphilis & extra-genital
	3. Female genital examination (including	manifestations of STIs
	bimanual)	3. Genital infestations
	4. Speculum examination	4. Genital dermatoses
	5. Proctoscopy	5. HIV post-exposure prophylaxis
	6. Urethral discharge	6. Monitoring of HIV patients
	7. Vaginal discharge	7. Primary HIV infection
	8. Rectal discharge	8. Pelvic pain
	9. Genital lumps	9. Scrotal pain
	10. Maintaining confidentiality	10. Ethical dilemma
		11. HIV pre-test discussion
ST4	1. Light microscopy	Assessment of Fraser competence
	2. Dark ground microscopy	2. Sexual assault
	3. Treponemal serology	3. Erectile dysfunction
	4. Emergency contraception	4. Managing antiretroviral side
	5. Vulvo-vaginitis	effects/complications
	6. Balanitis	5. HIV ante-natal care
	7. Newly diagnosed HIV	6. Point of care testing
	8. Starting antiretroviral therapy	7. Recurrent GUM problems
	9. Switching antiretroviral therapy	8. Genital dermatoses
	10. Child protection and risk assessment	9. Intraepithelial neoplasia
		10. Sero-negative arthritis
ST5	1. ART treatment failure & HIV drug	1. Skin or punch biopsy
	resistance	2. Management of advanced
	2. Contraception initiation and	immunosuppression
	maintenance	3. Insertion of sub-dermal contraceptive
	3. LARC methods	implants
	4. Contraception in HIV positive patients	4. HIV & viral hepatitis co-infection
	5. Hepatitis B infection in	5. Metabolic & CVS conditions in HIV
	immunocompetent patients	patients
	6. Hepatitis C infection in	6. HIV salvage therapy
	immunocompetent patients	7. Gastrointestinal conditions & HIV
	7. TB and respiratory conditions with HIV	infection
	infection	8. Management of malignancy with HIV
	8. Neurological HIV disease	9. STI in an under 16 yr old
	9. Gender-based violence	10. Management of syphilis in pregnancy
	10. Management of herpes in pregnancy	

Topics from earlier in training programme can be repeated or assessed for first time if not done previously.