

# **Intern/Tutor Training 2020**

**Intern portfolio on  
CPD system**



**South African  
Pharmacy Council**

# Outline

- CPD cycle
  - ➔ Selecting a domain
  - ➔ Selecting a competency standard
  - ➔ Pitfalls/special considerations
  - ➔ Evidence
- Assessment
  - ➔ Re-assessment
- Professionalism

Mostly aimed at interns; and also provides guidance relevant for tutors



# Important Resources

Find online

- The **2020 Intern and Tutor Manual** for the pre-registration experience of pharmacist interns which includes:
  - ➔ Criteria for assessment of a CPD entry (page 29)
  - ➔ Checklist for CPD portfolio (page 33)
  - ➔ Competency standards for pharmacists (page 52)
- Other resources
  - ➔ Tutor
  - ➔ SAPC website



**DOMAIN**

**COMPETENCY  
STANDARD**

**BEHAVIOURAL  
STATEMENT**



So much new  
terminology...



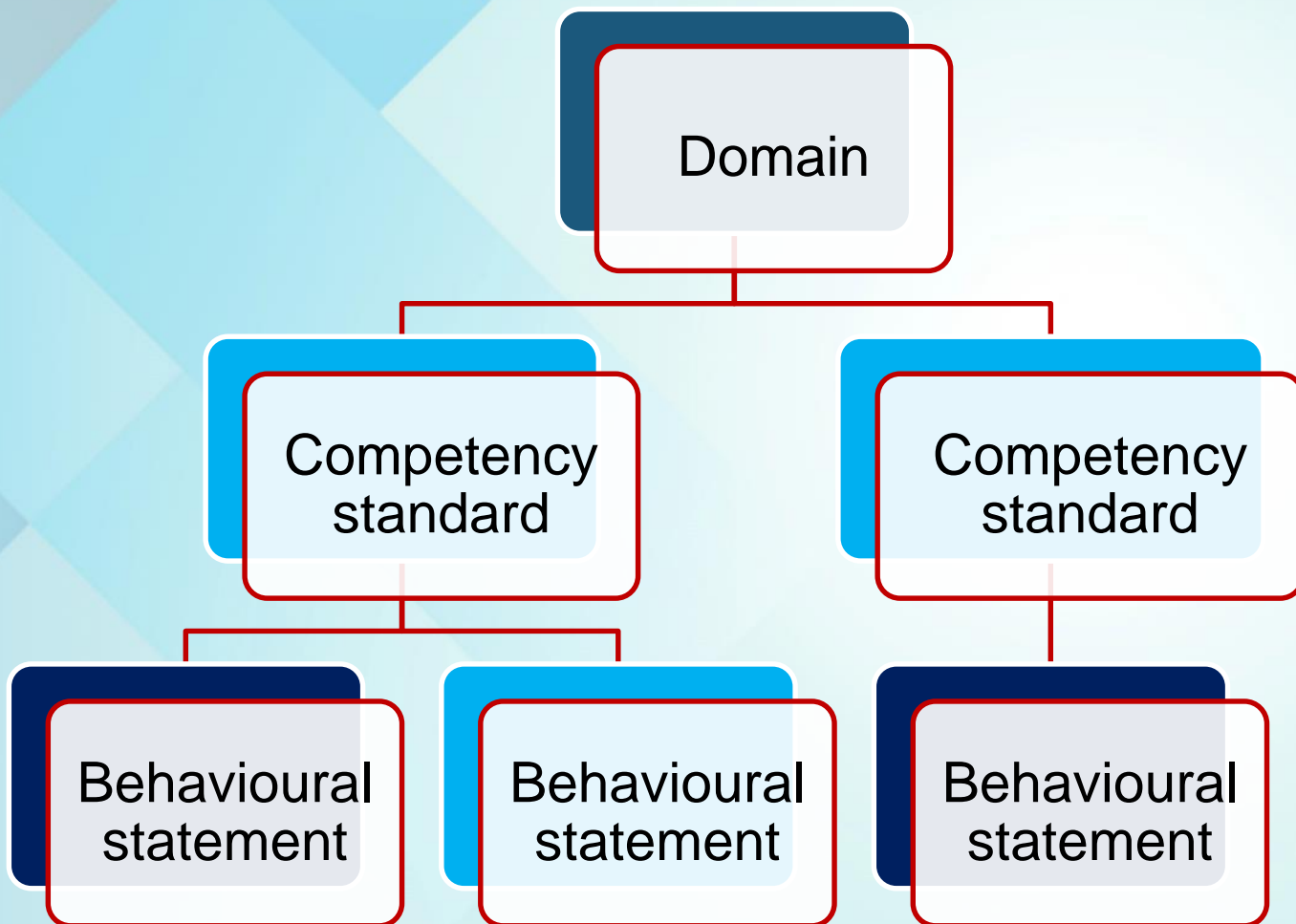
# Competency Framework



Take a few minutes to  
familiarise yourself with  
the competency  
framework  
(refer to your Manual,  
Annexure A)



# Competency framework



# Six Domains

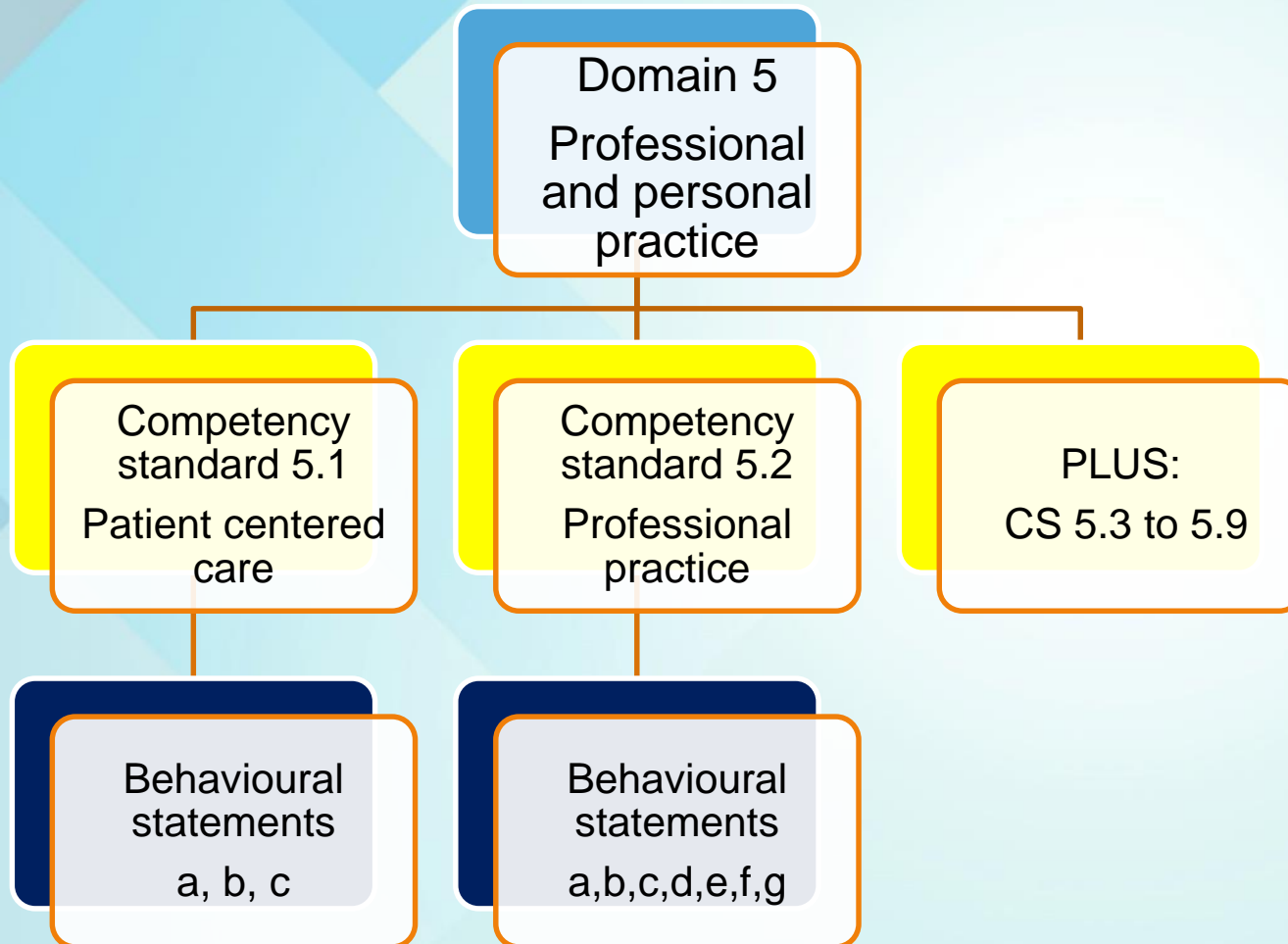
Domains are  
organised  
clusters of  
competencies

1. Public health
2. Safe and rational use of medicines and medical devices
3. Supply of medicines and medical devices
4. Organisational and management skills
5. Professional and personal practice
6. Education, critical analysis and research





# Competency framework example





# Competency Standard (CS)

- Previously, since 2006: **Competence standards** to assess competence
- Replaced in 2018: **Competency standards for pharmacists**
  - ➔ The competency framework consists of **six domains** and **several competencies** suitable for the South African context
  - ➔ Developed in line with current practice, exit level outcomes (ELO) for revised BPharm qualification, and international trends
  - ➔ The competency standards have been developed with **behavioural statements\*** linked to each competency
  - ➔ also called “subsections” in the Manual



# Competency Standard (CS)

Council has aligned the CPD system with the competency standards for implementation in 2020



So that's for  
me ...  
I'm an intern  
registered in  
2020



What about  
me?  
I registered  
in 2019

Interns registered in or  
before 2019 will use  
previous format in  
2020,  
Transition to new  
format in 2021



# Competency Standards (CS)

Take note  
of how  
each CS is  
structured



- ▶ Part of a domain
- ▶ How does domain apply to you?
- ▶ Introduction to domain
- ▶ Competencies
- ▶ Behavioural statements
- ▶ Entry level
- ▶ Intermediate practice
- ▶ Advanced practice
- ▶ Assessment tick box

For interns

Later



# Structure of the Competency Standards

## DOMAIN 1: PUBLIC HEALTH

### Does this domain apply to me?

**The domain applies to all pharmacists whose practice includes promotion of health and wellness through the provision of healthcare information and education to the public and other members of the healthcare team**

### INTRODUCTION

Domain 1 covers public health and includes competencies that are required in both the public and private healthcare sectors to promote health and wellness through the provision of healthcare information and education to the public and other members of the healthcare team.

The provision of medicines and healthcare information and education forms an integral part of the scope of practice of a pharmacist. The availability of specialised pharmaceutical knowledge at all levels of care, including primary healthcare (PHC), is an important component for the delivery of effective and efficient pharmaceutical services.

The domain covers competencies that are required to promote health, promote and monitor adherence and apply pharmacoeconomic principles.

The public health domain competencies are:

### COMPETENCIES

- |     |                                  |
|-----|----------------------------------|
| 1.1 | Promotion of health and wellness |
| 1.2 | Medicines information            |
| 1.3 | Professional and health advocacy |
| 1.4 | Health economics                 |
| 1.5 | Epidemic and disaster management |
| 1.6 | Primary healthcare               |

**A person who has achieved this standard is able to demonstrate the following behaviours:**

- (a) Provide advice on health promotion.
- (b) Provide advice on disease prevention and control.
- (c) Provide advice on healthy lifestyles.
- (d) Participate in public health campaigns.

### **Assessment (Tick appropriate box)**

Does this standard form part of my current practice of pharmacy?

Yes ☐ No ☐

**IF YES,** on the basis of the evidence I have identified I can do this.



# Continuing Professional Development

▶ **CPD**



# Continuing Professional Development (CPD)

- ▶ Definition: the process by which registered persons maintain and enhance their competence throughout their professional careers
- ▶ Encompasses a range of activities including continuing education and supplementary training
- ▶ CPD enables registered persons to develop in their area of practice and demonstrate competence

CPD is a



cyclical activity





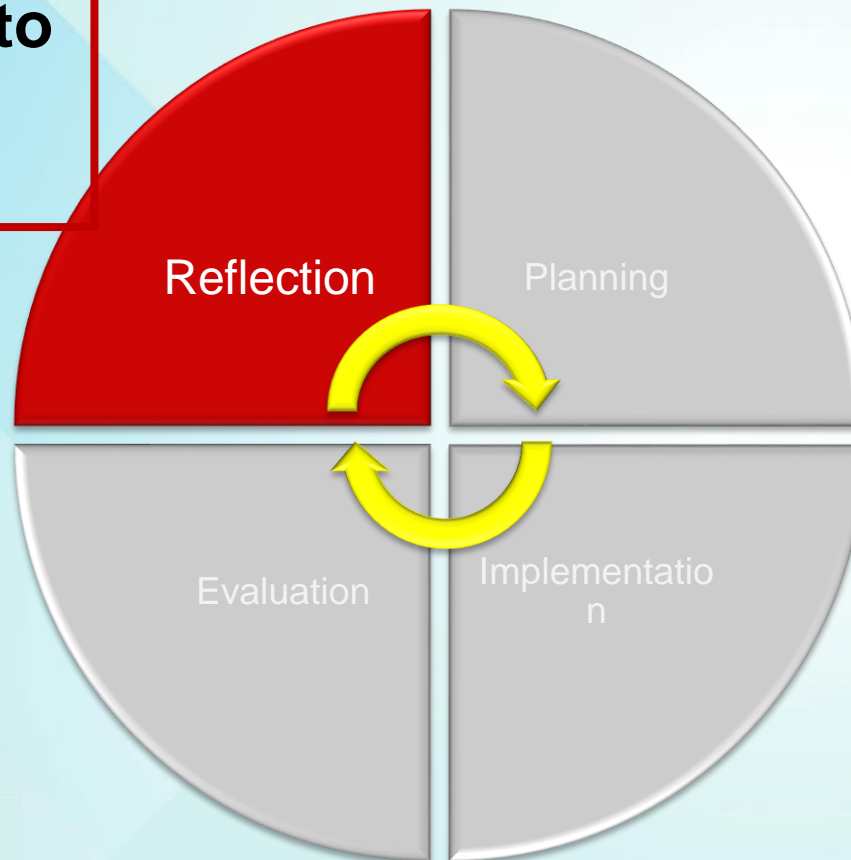
# Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Cycle





# First step: Reflection

What do I need to know/learn to do?



# Reflection

This will determine the choice of CS and behavioural statements



Ask yourself

- ➡ What do I need to learn? i.e. **own** learning need
- ➡ How do I know that's what I need to learn?



Decide on an appropriate Learning Title

- ➡ Should be relevant to what you want to learn
- ➡ NB: Don't simply copy the wording of the CS



Describe this learning need

- ➡ Make it a personal reflection, i.e. use the personal pronoun "I"



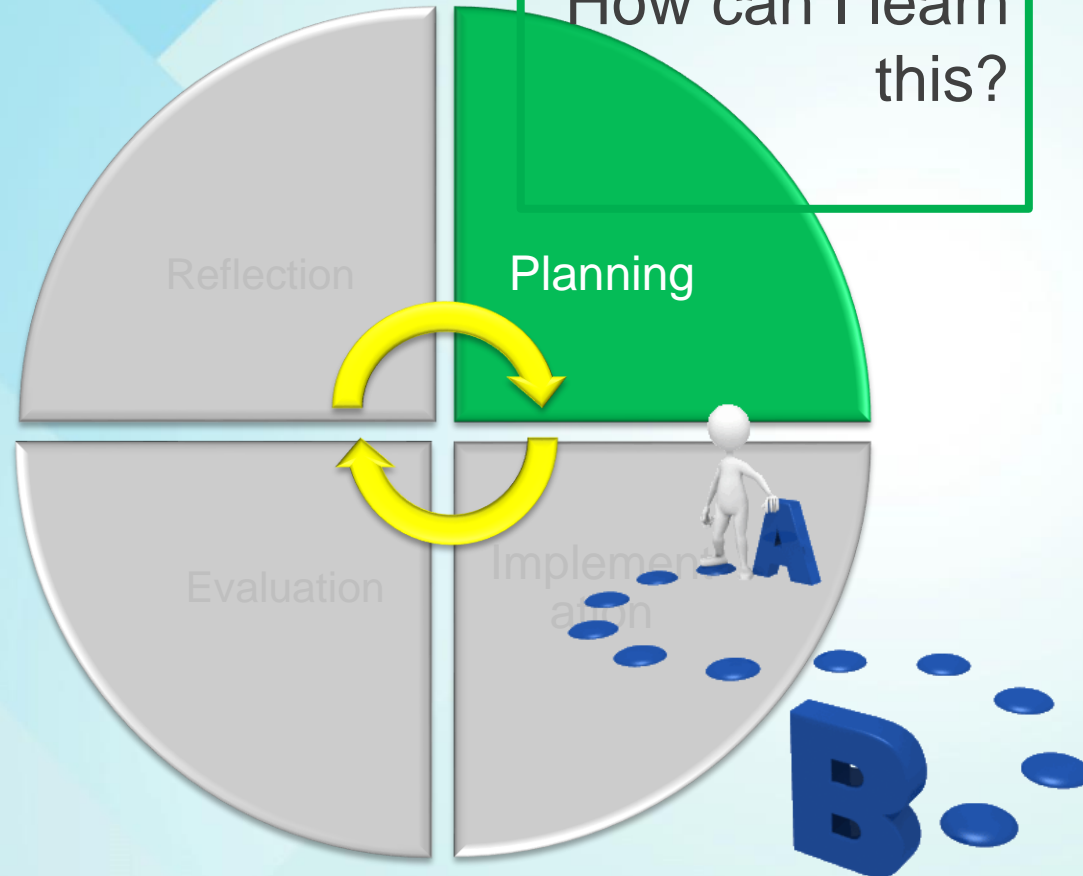
# Reflection

CHECKLIST	YES	NO
<b>TITLE</b>		
Is there a title?		
Is the title short, specific and related to the outcome?		
Is the title a concise statement in my own words (not just a copy of the CS or outcome)?		
<b>REFLECTION</b>		
Have I clearly stated what <b>I need to know or learn</b> ?		
Have I stated my learning need in the first person, e.g. "I need to know/learn ..."?		
Have I stated why I have identified this learning need for myself and not just stated that it is a required outcome?		
Have I made sure not to include details of planning and implementation here?		



# Second step: Planning

How can I learn this?



Use  
behavioural  
statements  
to guide  
your  
planning



# Planning

NB: Don't only describe how you plan to proceed, but say **what** you are going to do, **how** you are going to do it and **why** you are going to do things this way

- How, exactly, am I going to learn this?
- What are my options?
  - Short courses, workshops, branch meeting
  - Learning by doing
  - Reading – journals or reference books.
  - When am I going to do this?
  - What evidence can I submit to support my learning activity?

Specify  
resources to be  
used

Resources must  
be relevant

Carefully select primary learning trigger and activity

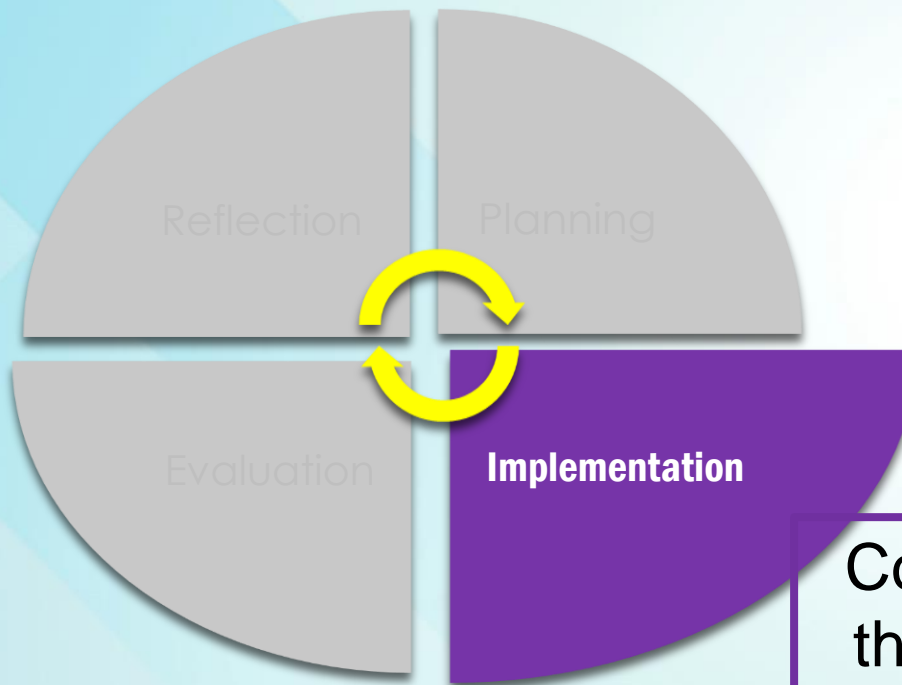


# Planning

CHECKLIST	YES	NO
<b>PLANNING</b>		
Have I clearly stated <b>how</b> I am going to learn?		
Have I identified which resources I will be using?		
Have I explained how I will be using the resources?		
Have I made sure NOT to just write what I intend to do (which is implementation)?		
Have I written this in the future tense?		



# Third step: Implementation



Completing  
the activity,  
What have I  
done?





# Implementation

➤ Describe what you did actually

- ➡ Provide the context
  - what, when, where, how
- ➡ Link to the evidence
- ➡ Remember to include ALL the behavioural statements of the chosen outcome

Tell the story.  
Keep it  
personal, use  
“I”

**EVIDENCE**



More  
about this  
later!



# Implementation

CHECKLIST	YES	NO
<b>IMPLEMENTATION</b>		
Have I described exactly <b>what</b> I did?		
Have I included <b>where, when, what and how</b> ?		
Have I written this in the past tense?		
Have I referred to the labels of my evidence (i.e. the behavioural statements) in the text?		
Have I checked that what I did matches my learning need?		
Have I checked that what I did addresses all the behavioural statements of the outcome?		

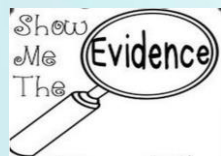


Implementation must be supported by  
Evidence!



# Evidence

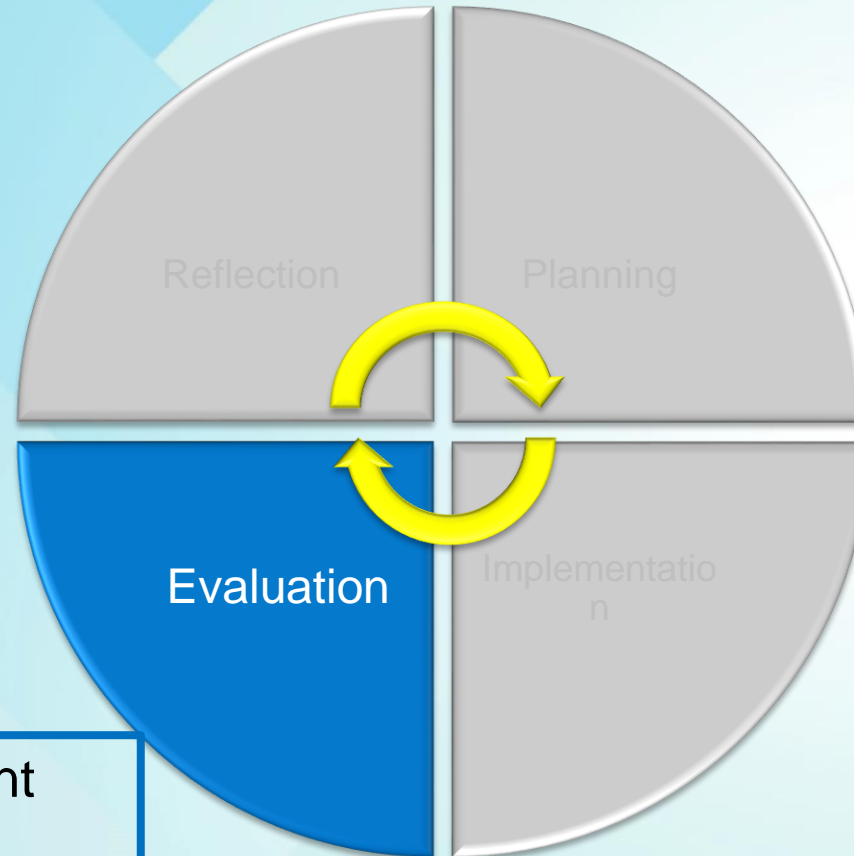
CHECKLIST	YES	NO
<b>EVIDENCE</b>		
Have I checked that I have <b>sufficient</b> evidence i.e. have I covered at least 75% of the subsections of the outcome?		
Have I <b>annotated</b> my evidence so that it is clear why I have included each piece?		
Have I <b>annotated</b> my evidence with the <b>behavioural statements</b> , and does this match the behavioural statements mentioned under Implementation?		
Is my evidence clear i.e. readable, not loaded upside down, etc.?		
Is my evidence properly verified i.e. is there a printed name, designation, P number, signature and date for both me and my tutor or, where applicable, supervising pharmacist?		
Have I made sure that all patient identifying details (such as name, surname, ID number) have been hidden?		



Still more  
about this  
later!



# Fourth step: Evaluation



What have I learnt  
and how have I  
applied my learning?



# Evaluation

## FOCUS HERE IS



- ➔ Learning outcome i.e. what have you learnt – related to evidence?
  - ➔ Application i.e. how have you subsequently used your acquired knowledge
  - ➔ Impact i.e. how has your acquired knowledge changed your practice
  - ➔ Identification of further learning needs
- **NOT** “What I did”

NB: Provide examples to substantiate this



# Evaluation

CHECKLIST	YES	NO
<b>EVALUATION</b>		
Have I clearly stated what I learnt from the action described under Implementation?		
Have I checked that my learning matches my learning need and is relevant to the CS?		
Have I clearly described how this learning has impacted on the way I practice?		
Have I given a specific example of how I applied this learning i.e. something I did after the action described? Have I remembered that I don't have to provide evidence for this, but just have to describe it?		
Have I clearly noted my future learning needs?		



# CPD Cycle

**Each  
phase** of the  
cycle must be  
completed for  
**every CPD  
entry**





# Stepwise approach to completing CPD entries



1. Select domain

2. Select a Competency

3. Read all behavioural statements

4. Start CPD cycle

5. Enter and submit **online for tutor verification**

6. Tutor verifies and submits online

7. Check for feedback

Make sure your tutor has verified and submitted your entries by the deadlines published in intern/tutor manual

This has 4 steps:  
Reflection  
Planning  
Implementation  
Evaluation

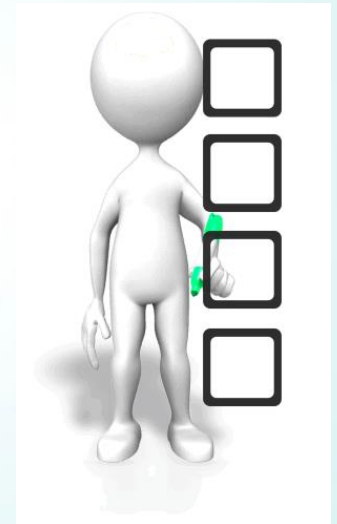
Focus on relevance to your practice setting

Complete annual declaration first!



# Once you have chosen a competency...

- Check again that it is appropriate for your practice setting
- Read all the behavioural statements
- Decide how many you require
- Follow through
  - ➡ As you complete each phase of the CPD cycle, make sure what you write is relevant to the chosen outcome



**REFER TO CHECKLIST!**



# Requirements

- ▶ You need to submit 6 CPD entries
  - ➔ One from each domain
  - ➔ And be **successful in all 6** CPD entries
  
- ▶ For each Domain choose one competency
  - ➔ Read all the behavioural statements carefully
  - ➔ If there are  $\geq 4$  statements, choose at least 75%
  - ➔ NB: Consult your Manual for details of the behavioural statements

Each entry must be accompanied by suitable evidence

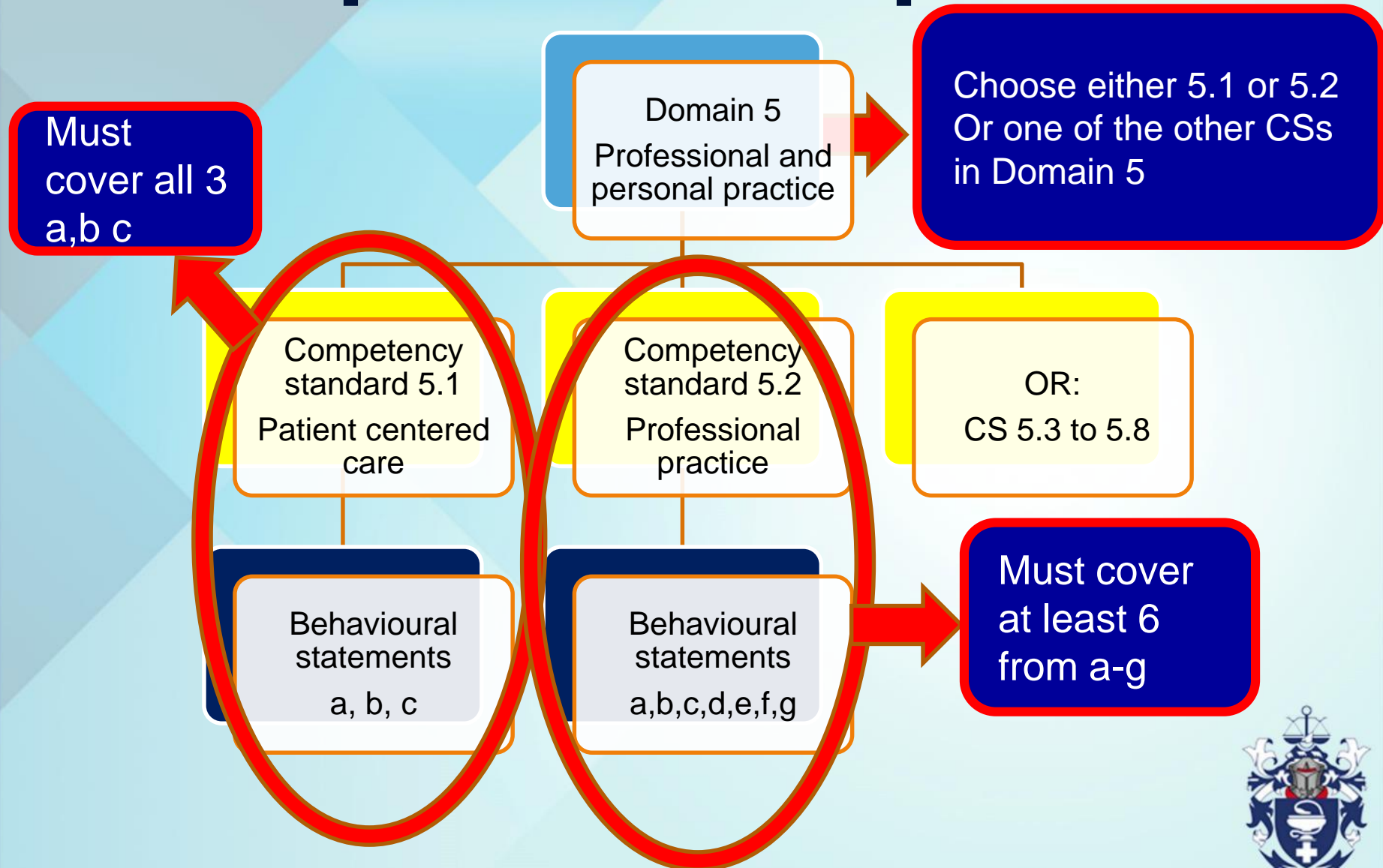
VIP: Every CPD entry must reflect individual work



No group activities are acceptable



# Requirements example



# Requirements



I'm an intern in a public sector hospital. I won't be able to do Pharmacist Initiated Therapy there

You could make arrangements to do this at a nearby community pharmacy

Manufacturing and academic interns may also need to do this if their 400 hours are spent in a hospital



# CPD Cycle **A LITTLE DIVERSION ....**

- Let's think about



# CPD Cycle **REFLECTION**



It's granny's birthday on Sunday.  
I would like to serve afternoon tea for the family.  
A homemade cake would be nice. Could I bake one?





# CPD Cycle **REFLECTION**



I therefore  
**need to know**


What kind of  
cake is her  
favourite?

What ingredients  
to buy?

How to follow the  
recipe /  
instructions?



# CPD Cycle **PLANNING**

- 
- I'll check with my sister what cake granny likes
  - I'll search online for a recipe
  - I'll check YouTube for a cake-making demo

- My sister will know
- I don't have a recipe book and its easy to Google
- I can learn from watching a video



# CPD Cycle **IMPLEMENTATION**



What  
I did

- I checked the recipe before I went shopping
- I followed the steps in the recipe



# CPD Cycle **EVIDENCE of IMPLEMENTATION**



# CPD Cycle **EVALUATION**

I learnt that I must follow the recipe steps carefully.  
Granny loved the cake – so did everyone else  
So I made another cake – there are so many recipes online.  
Seems I'll be the family cake-maker now  
But I still need to learn how to bake cookies!



Learning **+** Application **+** Impact **+**

Future learning  
needs



# CPD A REAL LIFE EXAMPLE

## Continuing Professional Development



1.Reflection



2.Planning



3.Implementation



4.Evaluate



Submissions





# CPD Cycle **REFLECTION**



On 20 February 2020, while working in the dispensary, I received a prescription to dispense. My tutor asked me if I know how to check if a prescription is valid and authentic. As I was unsure, this made me realise that I need to learn this skill. After completing this outcome, I hope to be able to immediately identify any anomalies on, or important information omitted, from a prescription.





# CPD Cycle **REFLECTION**



I checked the CS's in my manual and saw that this learning need refers to Domain 3: Supply of medicine and medical devices

I then looked at the competencies for domain 3 and decided on 3.4 Medicine dispensing

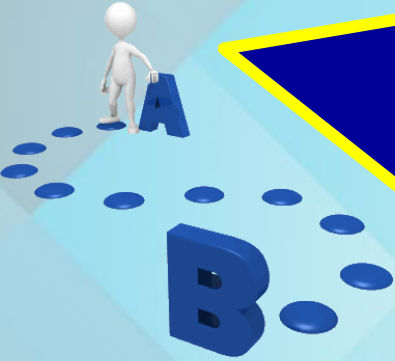
I saw that there are 9 behavioural statements.

I will need to cover at least 7 to meet 75%

I saw that the next step is to formulate a Learning Title – which is not just a copy of competency 3.4



# CPD Cycle **PLANNING**

- 
- Get a current copy of the Medicines and Related Substances Act, 1965 (Act No. 101 of 1965)
  - Search the internet for resources on reading and evaluating a prescription
  - Practice on real scripts

- Regulation 33 of the Medicines Act lists the particulars that must appear on a Rx
- I have my notes from varsity, but maybe there are more complete resources – I must check that the sources are reliable

What I plan to do  Why I'm going to do it this way



# CPD Cycle **IMPLEMENTATION**

Dr Peter Noel

MBChB

Pr No. 1406 789

Tel: 021 930 2548

Email: [drnoel@mweb.co.za](mailto:drnoel@mweb.co.za)

23 Viking Way, Weltevreden, Cape Town

20 February 2020

Ms

23 Stone Road

Weltevreden

Rx

Cefuroxime 500 mg 1 BD x 10

Panado 2 Q6H x 24

Plnd

MBChB

What  
I did

- I checked the Medicines and Related Substances Act, 1965 to know what was required for a prescription to be valid.
- I analysed the script for anomalies and to ensure that it met legal requirements.



# CPD Cycle **EVIDENCE** of **IMPLEMENTATION**

- Very NB! Link each annotation to specific behavioural statement
- Annotated copy of resources used
- Also very NB: tutor verification online

**EVIDENCE =  
annotated Rx**



What  
else is  
needed?



# Annotated example

Dr Peter Noel

MBChB

Pr No. 1406 789

Tel: 021 930 2548

Email: [drnoel@mweb.co.za](mailto:drnoel@mweb.co.za)

23 Viking Way, Weltevreden, Cape Town

20 February 2020

Ms Gladys Jacobs

23 Stove Road

Weltevreden

Rx

Cefuroxime 500 mg 1 BD x 10

Panado 2 Q6H x 24

2200

MBChB

ID 740605 5311 081

Reconciliation with regulation 33 of Act 101

Reg	Indicated on <u>prescription</u>	Not on prescription
33(1)(a)	Prescription is in legible print	
33(2)(a)	Dr Noel signed the prescription in person	
33(3)(a)	Dr's name qualification and address is on prescription	MP number not on prescription Confirmed HPCSA website (see attached)
33(3)(b)	Name and address of patient is on prescription – blocked to maintain patient confidentiality	No ID number – confirmed with patient and added
33(3)(c)	Date is on prescription and patient presented prescription within 30 days of issue.	
33(3)(d)	Approved name of medicine is on prescription	
33(3)(e)	From the instructions and the strength of the medicine prescribed, it could be assumed that tablets were prescribed	
33(3)(f)	Strength and quantity of medicine is indicated. It is a S4 and S0 medicine respectively	
33(3)(g)	Not applicable	
33(3)(h)	Patient is female indicated on prescription.	Patient is 45 years old as confirmed with ID number
33(3)(i)	No repeats indicated. Prescription to be issued once only	

Include annotated copy of Government gazette 41064 24 August 2017, Regulation 33 Act 1010



# CPD Cycle **EVALUATION**

- I learnt that although a script may seemingly fulfill all the legal requirements – it is not necessarily authentic and valid
- It is very important to check anomalies with the prescriber
- I now check every script for legal requirements but also for anomalies that might require communication with the prescriber
- I am a more vigilant intern
- I am still not quite sure, other than confirming every script with a doctor that I will always recognise a fraudulent script and so need to learn more about how this is possible

Learning  Application  Impact  Future learning needs



# Completing competency 3.4

- The evidence presented – to which behavioural statement is it linked?
- Include in Implementation and annotation
- What about the other behavioural statements?
- What evidence could you use?







No! Definitely not

So what else  
do I need to  
do?

That's  
great, I'm  
done with  
competency  
3.4!



Dr John Smith

MBChB

Pr No. 1406 703

MP No. 0311247

Tel: 021 935 2549

Email: practice@mweb.co.za

23 Western Boulevard, Cape Town

CS 3.4 g

Jessica Mzuko

21 Forest Drive

Cape Town

ID 981214 5133 085

24 January 2020

Rx

Enalapril 50 mg daily x30

Repeat x3

JS

MBChB

Contacted the doctor about Enalapril dosage

The prescription was meant to be for losartan 50 mg tablets and not enalapril

Presc

▶ Which behavioural statement(s)  
could this evidence support?



Dr Amos Nzo

MBChB

Pt No. 1406 703

MP No. 0311247

Tel: 021 935 2549

Email: practice@mweb.co.za

23 Western Boulevard, Cape Town

Jessica Mzuko

21 Forest Drive

Cape Town

ID 981214 5133 085

24 January 2020

Rx

25% betamethasone in Epizone

Apply to the affected areas n

300g

Repeat x3

ANzo

MBChB

CS 3.4 e & f

$25/100 \times 300/1 = 75g$   
Betamethasone cream  
to be used

A total of 300g to be  
supplied

Epizone =  $300 - 75 = 225g$   
Epizone to be used

► Which behavioural statement(s)  
could these support?



# Annotation

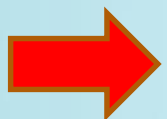


## What it is

- ▶ Mechanism to give meaning to evidence
- ▶ Justifies why evidence included
- ▶ Must be planned and meaningful
- ▶ Must provide links to behavioural statements

## What it isn't

- ▶ Merely labels
- ▶ Single words next to parts of evidence
- ▶ Scribbles on evidence
- ▶ Lacking links to behavioural statements






Must tell a story!

And the story is “What have I done to show behaviour”



# Exercise on annotation of evidence

<b>DELIVER TO :</b> 1303002 MO-KEM PHARMACY 34 HIGH ROAD AIRPORT MALL CAPE TOWN		 <b>UPD</b> WE DELIVER HEALTHCARE Reg. No. 1995/009967/07 Cape Town United Pharmaceutical Distributors a division of New Clicks South Africa (Pty) Ltd.		20 Bolt Ave, Montague Gardens, Cape Town P.O. Box 37116, Chempet 7442 Tel: (021) 550-1411 Fax: (021) 551-2934 Contact Centre: 0860 873 278 customerservices@upd.co.za Vat Reg. No. 4860155177											
		Cage : <b>10</b> Inv. No : <b>33884720</b> Date : <b>07-02-2019</b> Cust Ord : <b>RW16408864</b> Route : <b>2111</b> Cut Off : <b>18:00</b> Account : <b>1303002</b> Our Ord : <b>20294469</b>													
<b>TAX INVOICE</b>															
Subject to standard Terms and Conditions of Sale a copy of which will be supplied on request															
M = Markup, F = Fee															
PRODUCT CODE	DESCRIPTION	QTY + BONUS	CHEM COST UNIT PRC	DIS-COUNT	NETT UNIT PRC	NETT TOTAL PRC	VAT	SEP / UNIT PRC INC VAT	VAT CAT	BATCH NUMBER	EXPIRY DATE	LABEL / SEP + DISP. FEE			
1490121	BIOTECH TRAZODONE 50MG CAPS 100	1+ 0	307.89	NETT	307.89	307.89	46.18	354.07	1	162074	06-2019	460.30 M			
Total Chemist Cost Value						307.89									
Discount Total						0.00									
Subtotal						307.89									
Vat Total							46.18								
<b>ZAR TOTAL</b>						<b>354.07</b>									
<b>INVOICE TO :</b> MO-KEM PHARMACY 34 HIGH ROAD AIRPORT MALL CAPE TOWN Vat Reg: 4210197349						Acc: 1303002		CHECKED BY :							
MTD PURCH:		SCHED 0 0.00		SCHED 1+ 19213.31		PATENTS 580.50		DELIVER		PROCESSED BY REP ORDERS Q/W		INVOICE # 33884720		TIME OF ORDER 15:52	

Which domain? Which competency?





# Exercise on annotation of evidence

**DELIVER TO :**  
1303002  
MO-KEM PHARMACY  
34 HIGH ROAD  
AIRPORT MALL  
CAPE TOWN

**UPD**  
WE DELIVER HEALTHCARE  
Reg. No. 1995/009967/07  
Cape Town  
United Pharmaceutical Distributors  
a division of New Clicks South Africa (Pty) Ltd.

20 Bont Ave, Montague Gardens, Cape Town  
P.O. Box 37116, Chempet 7442  
Tel: (021) 550-1411 Fax: (021) 551-2934  
Contact Centre: 0860 873 278  
customerservices@upd.co.za  
Vat Reg. No. 4860155177 \*U7G1HC4\*

Cage : 10 Inv. No : 33884720 Date : 07-02-2019 Cust Ord : RW16408864  
Route : 2111 Cut Off : 18:00 Account 1303002 Our Ord : 20294469

**TAX INVOICE** Subject to standard Terms and Conditions of Sale a copy of which will be supplied on request

PRODUCT CODE	DESCRIPTION	QTY + BONUS	CHEM COST UNIT PRC	DIS-COUNT	NETT UNIT PRC	NETT TOTAL PRC	VAT	SEP / UNIT PRC INC VAT	VAT CA	BATCH NUMBER	EXPIRY DATE	Label / Disp. Fee
1490121	BIOTECH TRAZODONE 50MG CAPS 100	1+ 0	307.89	NETT	307.89	307.89	46.18	354.07	1	162074	08-2019	460.30 M

I checked the medicine against the parcel received - quantity, strength, dosage form and pack size and found it in order

I checked the name on the invoice to ensure that the parcel is indeed for our pharmacy and that the medicine is charged to the correct pharmacy

I checked the batch number and the expiry date against the medicine received

The medicine was received in good order and the invoice captured and the medicine packed on the shelves according to the FEFO system

**INVOICE TO :**  
MO-KEM PHARMACY  
34 HIGH ROAD  
AIRPORT MALL  
CAPE TOWN  
Vat Reg: 4210197349 Acc: 1303002

Total Chemist Cost Value 307.89  
Discount Total 0.00  
Subtotal 307.89  
Vat Total 46.18  
ZAR TOTAL 354.07

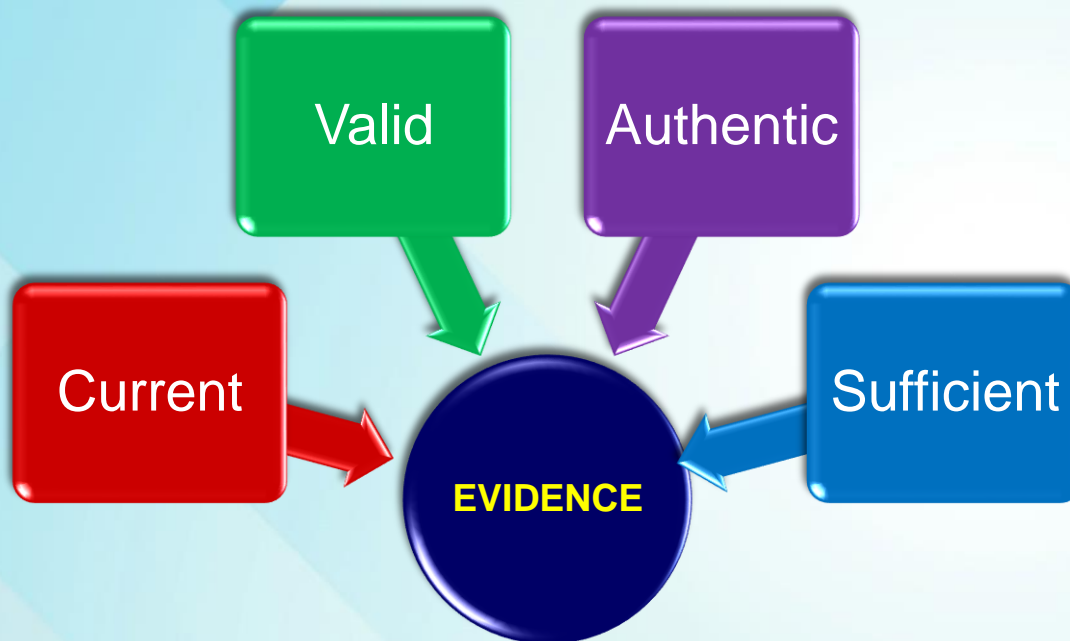
MTD PURCH: SCHED 0 0.00 SCHED 1+ 19213.31 PATENTS 580.50 DELIVER PROCESSED BY REP ORDERS O/W INVOICE # 33884720 TIME OF ORDER 15:52

CHECKED BY :

Linked to which behavioural statement(s)?



# Evidence criteria







- ▶ CPD entry must relate to exposure to CSs DURING the internship period
- ▶ Evidence must therefore be collected DURING the internship
- ▶ Don't include anything from your undergraduate years





- ▶ Evidence must pertain to the specific competency being addressed
- ▶ If factual and/or calculation errors occur in the evidence
  - Deemed NOT valid

**NB: If evidence is not valid, the other 3 criteria do not count**



Authentic

**EVIDENCE**

- ▶ This means that the evidence must be verified by your tutor
  - Name (printed) and signature
  - Designation and P number
  - Date
- ▶ You as the intern must also sign the evidence (with other details as above)
- ▶ Original documents must be authenticated; don't simply attach pre-printed stickers of tutor details

This is the original work of my intern - Alex Jay (P9999). Authenticated by tutor Jodi Kay (P4545) on the 8th of February 2020.

*Jkay*  
Tutor

*AJay*  
Intern



Sufficient

**EVIDENCE**



- If there are  $\geq 4$ , then the evidence submitted must cover at least 75% of the behavioural statements

**Make sure  
you have  
enough  
evidence**

**NB: Focus on  
the QUALITY not  
only on the  
QUANTITY of  
evidence**

- The same piece of evidence can't be used for more than one CS



# Evidence

- ▶ NB: Tutor authentication
  - Name (printed), signature, P number, designation
  - Must also be included if another person has authenticated evidence
- ▶ All pieces of evidence must be described in terms of :
  - “Why did I include this?”
  - In text and annotations on evidence
- ▶ Tutor verification
  - Make sure your tutor verifies your entries
  - Make it your responsibility to check



# Evidence

**HINT** Put yourself in assessor's shoes before submitting evidence.  
Ask: What does it show?  
Will probably point to need for more discussion and/or annotation

## Photos



Add date stamp!  
Meaningless  
**UNLESS**  
authenticated **AND**  
you identify  
yourself  
Can be anyone in  
the photo!

## Pages from SAMF



Reference name,  
edition, page  
number, etc  
What does this  
show?  
That you can use a  
scanner or  
photocopier?

## Delivery notes



What does this  
show?  
Stock was  
delivered, but  
received by whom?  
Signatures not  
annotated are  
meaningless

# Evidence

- ▶ No highly glossy photos
- ▶ Not uploaded upside down
- ▶ Put all evidence in one document
- ▶ Annotate, annotate, annotate!
  - For e.g. Link to subsections, identify own signature





# Evidence for specific situations



- ▶ Think about typical situations
- ▶ What kind of evidence would be needed?
- ▶ This exercise is to get you thinking ... not all examples will be provided



# What kind of evidence?



If I'm providing  
information to a  
patient...

Prescription  
+?  
+?

But if I'm  
providing  
evidence to a  
group...

Attendance register  
Presentation  
Reference materials  
used  
Feedback

- ▶ Attendance register - + presenter name, date, venue
  - Only **one presenter**
- ▶ Feedback on presentation – should reflect knowledge and understanding of audience after the presentation



# What kind of evidence?



**I'm consulting  
with a patient**

**But what if I'm  
consulting with  
a doctor?**

**Patient history  
Rx, request from patient,  
blue copy, label,  
reference material used**

**Reason for consultation  
eg. Rx,  
Reference material used**

- ▶ References – scientific, not Wikipedia
  - Must also be annotated
  - Include page, edition eg for SAMF



# What kind of evidence?


Sometimes I  
attend a  
meeting ...



Agenda  
Attendance register  
Minutes of meeting  
Most VIP: own contribution  
to meeting



# What kind of evidence?



I will also be  
working with  
data ...

Reason for data collection  
e.g. screening report  
Data analysis



# Evidence ... summary

- ▶ Evidence is proof of **what I did**
  - **NOT** reading an article
  - **NOT** theoretical scenario
  - **NOT** witnessing someone else
- ▶ Must convince the assessor that I performed the activity
- ▶ Must be professional
  - Neat, clear
  - Not a note scribbled on a Rx!



# Feedback from assessors

## ► What can you expect?

- **Comments, dated**
- Positive = acknowledgement of being on the right track
- Negative - with specific pointers wrt. to what you did wrong and how to improve
- Especially wrt. Evidence annotation
- Comments = guidelines for next entries, even if attached to entry assessed as Competent





# Assessment

- ▶ Done (mostly) on a scale of 0 to 3
- ▶ To earn 3 marks, **ALL** requirements must be met
  - Follow Assessment Criteria for each of the 4 phases of the CPD cycle
- ▶ **In addition**, you must have use an
- ▶ appropriately professional communication style
  - Free of spelling and grammatical errors
  - Properly punctuated
  - Trade names capitalised

**REMEMBER:** spelling and grammar are not auto-corrected!


Check everything carefully before submitting

0: Not yet met  
1 or 2: Partially met  
3: Fully met

Check  
Manual pg  
29-30 for  
full details  
of how  
0, 1, 2 or 3  
marks  
allocated




# ASSESSMENT of Reflection



0	3
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Learning title absent or simply a copy of CS or outcome</li><li>• No clear learning need identified</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Appropriate descriptive title; linked to outcome<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 1 mark maximum</li></ul></li><li>• Clear learning need identified</li></ul>



# ASSESSMENT of Planning

0	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	3
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Absent or inappropriate</li></ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Includes what is planned AND why specific choices made</li><li>• Appropriate primary learning channel chosen</li></ul>



# ASSESSMENT of Implementation

0	3
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Absent or inappropriate</li><li>• No supporting documentation (evidence)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Describes context</li><li>• Clearly states what was done and what has been learnt</li><li>• Makes reference to attached evidence</li></ul>



# ASSESSMENT of Evidence

0

- No/insufficient evidence
- Evidence not valid for outcome
- Confidentiality breached
- Authentication absent/incomplete

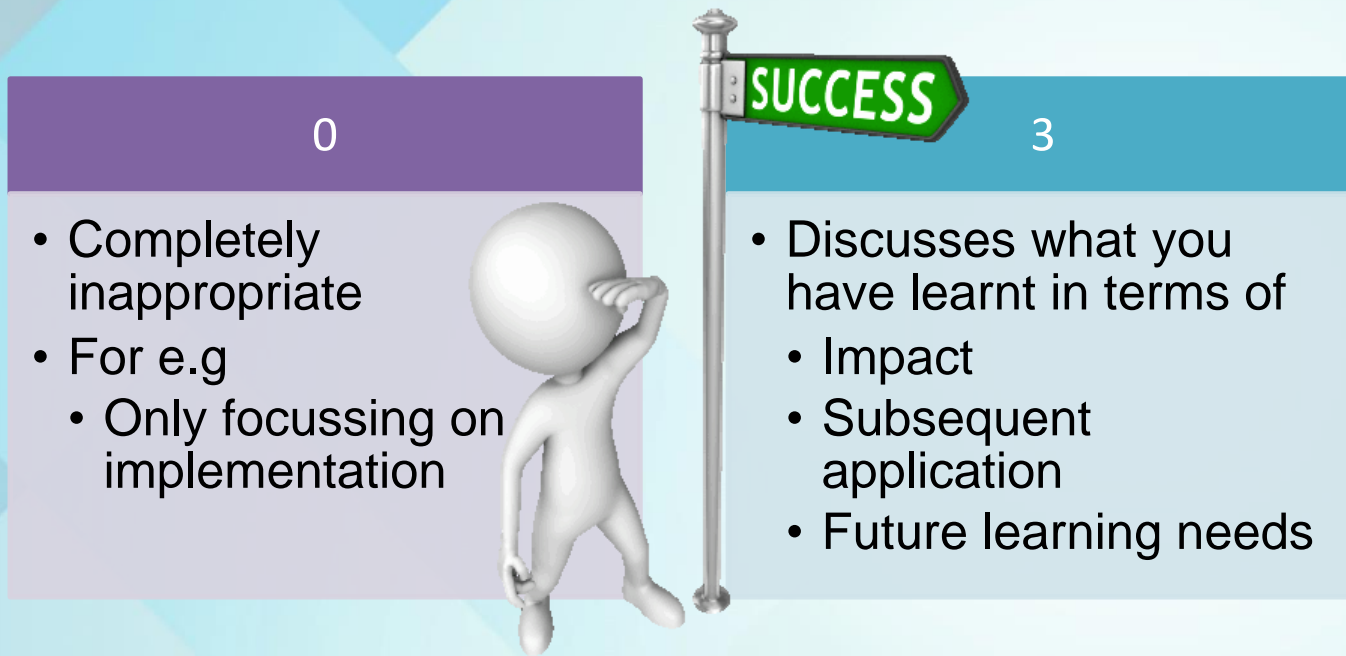
3

- Sufficient evidence which is current and valid
- Linked to subsections
- Appropriately annotated
- Properly authenticated

**COMPETENT OR NOT COMPETENT**



# ASSESSMENT of Evaluation



# Re-assessment

- ▶ You are allowed to resubmit for re-assessment of your CPD entries
- ▶ On resubmitting –
  - fix an entry that is there
  - don't start a new one unless assessor recommends this
  - If necessary, remove incorrect evidence
- ▶ See Guidelines for
  - Conditions
  - Application procedure
  - Timeline

To minimise need for

**resubmission:**

- Submit early
- Submit regularly on a monthly basis





# Re-assessment

- ▶ To prevent need for resubmission, **make sure to follow your assessor's recommendations**
- ▶ Re-submitted CPD entries are sent to the same assessor
  - Don't simply re-submit without attending to the reasons for the entry being deemed "not yet competent"
- ▶ You are allowed to submit 9 CPD entries
  - i.e. 6 + 50% re-submissions
- ▶ A fee is levied if 10 or more entries are submitted



# Professionalism

CPD submissions are more than “just another hurdle”, they are an opportunity for you to further develop your professionalism

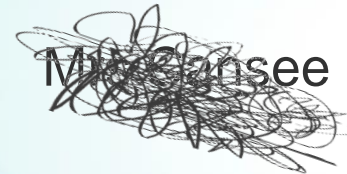
- ▶ Plagiarism
- ▶ Obviously your CPD entries must reflect your own work
  - Any irregularities will be referred to the SAPC legal department
  - Penalties
    - Expect them to be applied
    - Expect them to be severe



# Confidentiality

- ▶ Must be maintained at all times
  - Rxs, trailer labels, S6 registers

Make sure the name is completely obscured  
Untidy scribbles are not effective



- ▶ Automatically **Not yet competent** if confidentiality breached
- ▶ Confidentiality applies only to patients
  - Not doctors, hospitals or other facilities



# Role of the tutor

**NB:** You have to have at least 4 CPD online entries before you can be registered as a tutor Also, remember all pharmacists must now submit CPDs

## Role model

- Implies an obligation to be competent and practise professionally yourself



## Mentor

- Opportunity for self-development through training
- Can use this for your own CPD entries



# Tutor authentication

- ▶ Best = descriptive note, not just generic statement
- ▶ Make sure all elements of authentication are present
- ▶ Most VIP:
  - When intern completes an entry, you must **verify it online**
  - Either accept – will release entry to Council
  - Or suggest to intern how to improve
  - Then verify and release

This is the original work of my intern - Alex Jay. I personally witnessed him contacting the prescriber as he describes it.

*JKay*  
Jody Kay  
P4545  
20 March 2020

*AJay*  
*Alex Jay*  
*P99999*



# Role of the tutor

- ▶ Ultimate responsibility for completion of internship requirements lies with intern
- ▶ You have a responsibility to familiarise yourself with all the internship requirements and to timeously complete reports
- ▶ You play a vital role as no intern is likely to succeed without a tutor who is
  - Competent
  - Gives guidance
  - Interactive
  - Empathetic
  - Supportive
  - Etc. ....



Most NB:  
Grow with your  
intern!  
Enjoy the journey!

Think about Domain  
6: This includes  
education So tutors  
can use this  
opportunity to  
complete their own  
CPDs



# And finally ...





**THANK YOU!**



# CONTACT US



**086 172 7200**



**customercare@sapc.za.org**



**@OfficialSAPC**



**www.sapc.za.org**



**591 Belvedere Street,  
Arcadia, Pretoria**



# ANY QUESTIONS?

