

**Proposed New Clinical Photography Work Based Learning Qualification
Response to Consultation and Engagement Session**

Stakeholder feedback	HEIW response
Unit 1 – An Introduction to Clinical Photography in the NHS	
Uncertainty about assessment method	Unit descriptor to include statement that: Assessment method is not contained within the unit descriptor. The assessment method would be determined through delivery.
Health board values relevant as well as NHS values	Health board values included in 1.2.
Suggested inclusion of medical illustration skills that may be required within certain departments. Noting not all departments undertake medical illustration.	No clinical expectation within the unit, all knowledge based. Learners can gain the learning outcomes through discussion rather than practical skills.
Unit 2 - Clinical Photography Fundamentals	
Uncertainty about assessment method	Unit descriptor to include statement that: Assessment method is not contained within the unit descriptor. The assessment method would be determined through delivery.
Uncertainty about assessment type for 4.3 and 4.4	Wording of 4.3 assessment criteria and assessment information refined to enable 4.4 to be clearer.
Question whether LO 1-3 will be assessed within this as the method only contains LO 4	All learning outcomes to be assessed.
Unit 3 - Patient Consent for Clinical Photography	
Uncertainty about assessment method	Unit descriptor to include statement that: Assessment method is not contained within the unit descriptor. The assessment method would be determined through delivery.
Would like assessment information and criteria to be clearer	In pilot delivery, if assessment information and criteria is required, it will be added in.
Unit 4 - Clinical Photography Workflow	
Uncertainty about assessment method	Unit descriptor to include statement that: Assessment method is not contained within the unit descriptor. The assessment method would be determined through delivery.
Suggested that unit title does not represent all departments. In some departments clinical photographers do their own administration, in other larger departments, there is administrative support.	Title reflective of any workflow scenario, therefore will be kept the same. Additional clarity will be added to the assessment information 'departments across NHS Wales will have various staffing structures and workflow will vary depending on this. Learners will be encouraged to be mindful of this when completing assessments'.
Discrepancy noted LO 1.3 assessment criteria and assessment information	Wording of assessment information for 1.2 and 1.3 to be aligned. Assessment information adjusted to specify data accuracy, data integrity, data confidentiality and data security.

Unit 5 – Fundamentals of Anatomy and Physiology for Clinical Photography	
Uncertainty about assessment method	Unit descriptor to include statement that: Assessment method is not contained within the unit descriptor. The assessment method would be determined through delivery.
Should skin types be included to assessment criteria 1.1	Not included in unit 5 anatomy and physiology about structures but has been included into 'Clinical Photography Fundamentals' 3.2.
Unit 6 – Disease Recognition: Photographing Medical Conditions	
Uncertainty about assessment method	Unit descriptor to include statement that: Assessment method is not contained within the unit descriptor. The assessment method would be determined through delivery.
Inclusion of 'disease' in title suggests negative change in the body, some of the conditions mentioned are congenital.	Title changed to 'Recognising and photographing medical conditions'. Also LO 2 changed from 'diseases' to medical conditions.
Assessment criteria is broad. This module should require pre-requisite learning of unit 5.	Unit 6 doesn't necessarily need unit 5 completed as a pre-requisite, however delivery of units 5 and 6 would be <i>at least</i> concurrent.
Suggest haemangiomas and seborrhoeic keratosis and pressure ulcers should be included integumentary section	Now included.
Suggested reference to infant screening of conditions with potential genetic conditions	Adults and/or children added into LO 1.
Unit 7 – Patient Centred Clinical Photography Practice	
Uncertainty about assessment method	Unit descriptor to include statement that: Assessment method is not contained within the unit descriptor. The assessment method would be determined through delivery.
Propose the title is changed to focus on tailoring clinical photography to individuals, according to individual differences	Title to remain the same, as 'patient centred' reflects tailoring clinical photography to individuals according to individual differences.
May be beneficial to add working with patients in emotional distress and mental health conditions. Ensure clarity around safeguarding and support available.	Added in emotional distress and mental health considerations to LO 2 assessment information. Safeguarding and support added within assessment information.
Unit 8 – Applied Clinical Photography: Imaging Technology and Techniques	
Uncertainty about assessment method	Unit descriptor to include statement that: Assessment method is not contained within the unit descriptor. The assessment method would be determined through delivery.
Unclear title	Current title reflects application of knowledge to be able to demonstrate applied skills.
Concerns re: quantity of patients and variety of clinical environments, especially with regard to operating theatres	Acknowledged difficult to predict opportunities for learners over 18 month traineeship. Quantity of patients and variety of clinical environments will be kept as current numbers for pilot. Will be reviewed after the qualification delivery has been piloted.
3.3 needs explanation	Further explanation will be given by the education provider during delivery.

1.1 to include video	Video currently captured in 1.1.
Portfolio requirement to be more specific in assessment information	Additional wording added into unit descriptor in the 'Prescribed Assessment Methods' section: Learners must present a portfolio of clinical photographs including the critical evaluation described in the assessment criteria.
Unit 9 – Duty of Care in Clinical Photography Practice	
Uncertainty about assessment method	Unit descriptor to include statement that: Assessment method is not contained within the unit descriptor. The assessment method would be determined through delivery.
Are the patient numbers inclusive of the patients already photographed in unit 8?	Clarifying statement added to both units 8 and 9; 'It is recommended that 'Applied Clinical Photography: Imaging Technologies and Techniques' unit and 'Duty and Care in Clinical Photography' unit are delivered simultaneously to enable holistic assessment achievement. This means that same patient cases could be used as evidence for both units.'
Unit 10 – Critical enquiry in Clinical Photography	
Uncertainty about assessment method	Unit descriptor to include statement that: Assessment method is not contained within the unit descriptor. The assessment method would be determined through delivery.
Assessment information wasn't clear	Difficult to address as no specific example given, will be reviewed during qualification delivery pilot phase.
Unit 11 – Professional Development and Service Improvement in Clinical Photography	
Uncertainty about assessment method	Unit descriptor to include statement that: Assessment method is not contained within the unit descriptor. The assessment method would be determined through delivery.
Concerns raised about the timeline to complete this unit	Unit will be launched early in the qualification. Education provider will prompt trainees to make progress and maintain momentum on this unit throughout the programme duration.
Learning outcome 4.5 says "Summarise the outcome of own service improvement project covered in 5.2". Is this right?	This has been corrected to 4.3.
Overall comments	
Suggest inclusion of ethical history of medicine	Ethical history of medicine is covered in course delivery but not the assessment in the following units; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit 3, assessment criteria 1.1 • Unit 7, learning outcome 1 • Unit 9, assessment criteria 1.2
Importance of safeguarding was highlighted	Now included specifically in unit 7. Learning outcome 3, assessment information refers to safeguarding.
Importance of telemedicine	Included in Unit 4 (Clinical photography workflow), assessment criteria 2.2. Assessment information for LO 2.2 note added, 'This could include telemedicine working practices'.

Suggested additional future CPD units in PR	Beyond scope of this pre-registration qualification. Priority is to produce the unit for the entry level education based on AHCS Standards of Proficiency for Medical Illustrators. CPD units will be explored at a later date.
Ensure careful management of course implementation	To be implemented.
Suggestion around trainee rotations across health boards	Previously explored by project group and task and finish group.
Course will give comprehensive basis and follows a logical sequence for building their knowledge.	Proposed unit sequencing upheld.

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