

Core Medical Training ARCP Decision Aid – standards for recognising satisfactory progress

	CMT Year 1		CMT Year 2		
	Month 8/9 ePortfolio review (locally)	ARCP at month 11 or 12	Month 16 ePortfolio review (locally)	Month 22/ 23 ePortfolio review (locally)	ARCP at month 23 or 24
Common Competences (25)	Competent in minimum of a third at level 1 or 2 descriptor (ACAT/ CbD/ mini-CEX/ MSF)	Review progress against month 8/9 targets	Competent in minimum half of areas at level 1 and half of level 2 descriptors (ACAT/ CbD/ mini-CEX/ MSF) Year 1 MSF completed and satisfactory.	Competent in all to level 2 descriptor (ACAT/ CbD/ mini-CEX/ MSF)	Review progress against month 22/23 targets
Emergency Presentations (4)	Some experience of all (ACAT/ CbD/ mini-CEX)		Competent in all (ACAT/CbD/ mini-CEX)	Competent in all (ACAT/ CbD/ mini-CEX)	
Top 20 Presentations (20)	Some experience of half (ACAT/ CbD/ mini-CEX)		Competent in half (ACAT/ CbD/ mini-CEX)	Competent in all (ACAT/ CbD/ mini-CEX)	
Other Presentations (40)	Competent in a quarter (ACAT/ CbD/ mini-CEX)		Competent in half (ACAT/ CbD/ mini-CEX)	Competent in minimum of 34/40 (ACAT/ CbD/ mini-CEX)	
Procedures (17)	Independent in at least half (DOPS)		Independent in at least two thirds (DOPS)	Independent in 15/17 (DOPS)	
Examinations	Review MRCP Pt1/Pt2 progress Enables achievement of competences		Review MRCP Pt1/ Pt2 /PACES progress Enables achievement of competences	Ensure MRCP(UK) diploma acquired Enables achievement of competences	
ALS	Valid		Valid	Valid	
Minimum number of workplace assessments by Consultant Assessor in each 8 month Block	3 X ACAT 3 X CbD 3 X mini-CEX		3 X ACAT 3 X CbD 3 X mini-CEX	3 X ACAT 3 X CbD 3 X mini-CEX	
Annually Required	1 X MSF DOPs until independence in procedures demonstrated		1 X MSF DOPs until independence in procedures demonstrated		
Events giving concern	The following events occurring at any time may trigger review of trainee's progress and possible remedial training: issues of professional behaviour; poor performance in work-place based assessments; poor MSF performance; issues arising from supervisor report; issues of patient safety				