

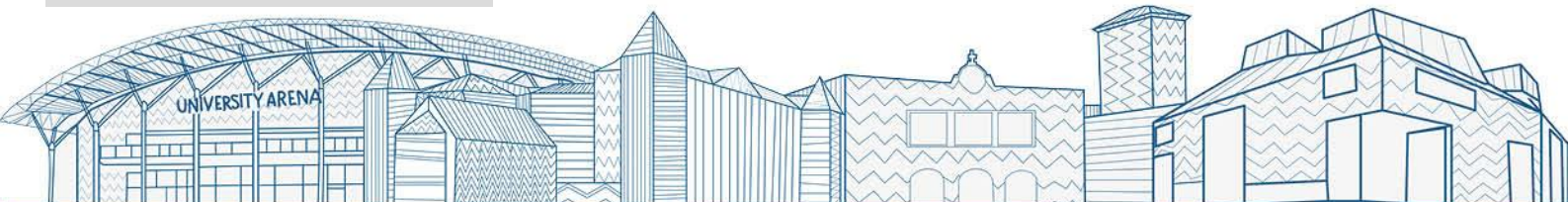
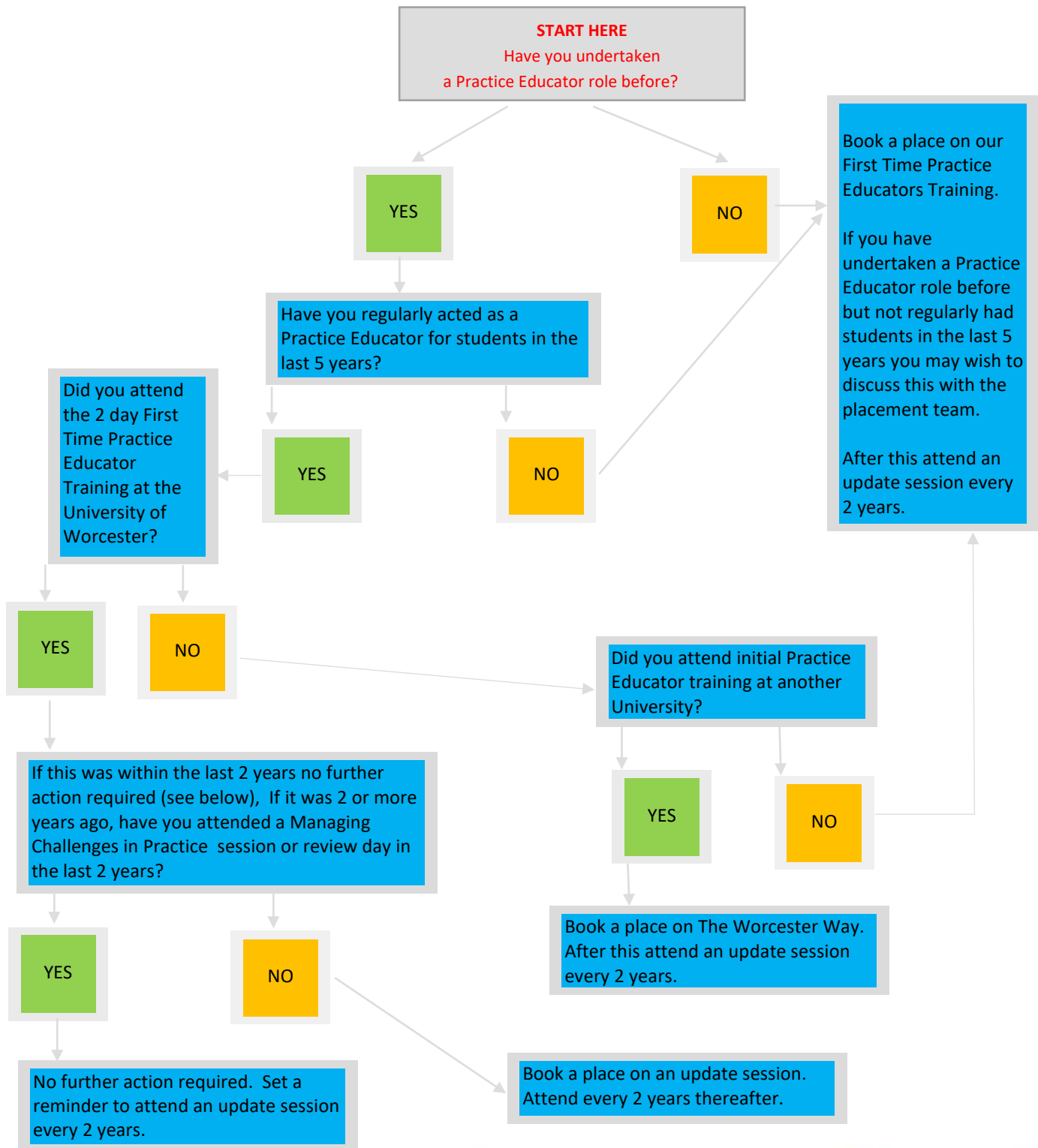


Occupational Therapy and Physiotherapy Practice Education Training Dates 2020/2021

*For Educators supporting Occupational Therapy &
Physiotherapy students in practice*



How to choose the right training for you:



First Time Practice Educators Training

Dates:

12 & 19 June 2020

3 & 10 September 2020

14 & 28 January 2021

22 & 29 June 2021

(09.30 – 16.30)

This 2 day training introduces any Occupational Therapist or Physiotherapist, who has never had a student before or not had a student for some time, to becoming a Practice Educator. There is no minimum length of time since registration required to undertake this training. Learning Outcomes include:

- Describe the role and critically evaluate the attributes of an effective practice educator
- Critically apply learning theories that are appropriate for adult and professional learners
- Plan effective strategies to implement and facilitate learning in the practice placement setting
- Apply sound principles and judgement in the assessment of performance in the practice placement setting
- Critically reflect on and evaluate the quality of practice education learning
- Critically reflect on experience and formulate action plans to improve future practice

Please note that whilst we do not charge for training, we do expect delegates to take a student as soon as practicable after their training. Please consider this before booking and ensure that you have this conversation with your manager before attending. If you anticipate particular difficulty with this, please contact the team on therapyplacements@worc.ac.uk for an informal discussion.

Please book your place online at: <https://ucw.onlinesurveys.ac.uk/first-time-practice-educators-training-20202021>



The Worcester Way

(for new Worcester Practice Educators trained elsewhere)

Dates:

23 June 2020

9 September 2020

13 January 2021

3 June 2021

(09.00 – 13.00)

This training is for Educators who are experienced in providing placements but new to the Worcester course.

Covering:

- Assessment and documentation
- Expectations of a student on placement
- Managing the hours of the placement
- A summary of the academic subjects covered by students

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Practice Educator Update Training

In line with the Royal College of Occupational Therapists and Chartered Society of Physiotherapy legislation, Practice Educators are required to attend update training regularly. The University of Worcester recommends that training is attended every two years and may not be able to place students with Practice Educators who have not completed this training.

Whilst you only need to update every other year, you are welcome to book on one of these per year to maintain and develop your skills.

All updates will contain a brief overview of documentation and assessment, and an overview of contemporary placements.

UPDATE 1: Managing Challenges in Practice

Dates:

18 November 2020

15 June 2021

(09.00 – 13.00)

Managing Challenges in Practice will follow a participant-led format and enable educators to discuss and problem-solve any particular challenges they have faced recently. These may include, but are not limited to, supporting struggling students, supporting students with additional learning needs, and challenging students who are exceeding expectations.

Please book your place online at: <https://ucw.onlinesurveys.ac.uk/managing-challenges-in-practice-20202021>



UPDATE 2: Facilitating Adult Learning

Dates:

6 July 2020

17 February 2021

(09.00 – 13.00)

Facilitating Adult Learning will include an overview of adult learning theory and consider how this can be put to best use within placement settings. Participants will consider different aspects of adult learning theory including focusing on themselves as adult learners. Common assumptions will be discussed along with critical appraisal of the evidence in relation to learning styles.

Please book your place online at: <https://ucw.onlinesurveys.ac.uk/facilitating-adult-learning-20202021>





Further information....

In case of queries please email:

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