

Practice Supervisor Preparation

Practice Supervisors can be any registered health care professional working in a practice environment who are keen to support and facilitate learning for pre-registration nursing and nursing associate students. All Practice Supervisors are required by the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC) to have received preparation and support to undertake the role. In addition, they must have current knowledge and experience relevant to the area and programme of study for which they are providing support, supervision and feedback (NMC 2018).

This preparation is ideally suited to individuals who are **new** to student support. If you have recently undertaken practice supervisor preparation within your organisation of employment, there is no requirement to attend this. If you are currently a mentor, this preparation training is not applicable – please contact your organisation's Practice Facilitation/Education Team.

This preparation is planned in collaboration with practice educators / facilitators and employers.

Topics include:

- The Practice Supervisor role in conjunction with The NMC (2018) Standards to Support Student Supervision and Assessment (SSSA)
- An understanding of programme outcomes and proficiencies you are supporting students to achieve
- Facilitating learning
- Supporting learning within the scope of own practice
- Providing Constructive Feedback
- Coaching
- Contributing to assessment
- The supervisor role in completing required documentation
- Raising concerns appropriately using relevant protocols

Entry Requirements:

- Hold a registrable qualification with the NMC, HCPC, GPhC or GMC
- Have relevant knowledge and experience of your clinical area
- Have Manager and Practice Facilitation / Education approval to attend

Health and social care professionals who are **not** registered with a professional regulator cannot be practice supervisors.



Facilitators:

Sarah Weaver (Senior Lecturer) and the Practice Learning Team

Dates (all sessions run 09.15 – 12.45)

This training will include 1 day eLearning and a half day-Workshop. **The e-learning must be completed prior to attendance on the workshop.** Confirmation of your workshop place will not be received until the e-learning has been completed. There is no charge to attend this preparation.

‘On campus’ sessions will be held at the University of Worcester, St Johns Campus

7 July 2022 (on campus)

18 October 2022 (virtual classroom)

20 July 2022 (virtual classroom)

16 November 2022 (virtual classroom)

2 August 2022 (virtual classroom)

8 December 2022 (virtual classroom)

30 August 2022 (virtual classroom)

26 January 2023 (virtual classroom)

22 September 2022 (virtual classroom)

Semester 2 dates will be advertised in due course. It is hoped that a proportion of these will be offered face-to-face at the University of Worcester.

To book a place:

Please book via our [online form](#)

If you have any queries please contact:

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