Aligning Learning Outcomes and Entrustable Professional Activities (EPA) for Meaningful Learning and Assessment

**Course Description**

Today, an outcome-based education (OBE) model is strongly advocated for the design and delivery of 21st century health professional curriculum: the professional competencies required for future practice are defined in terms of the intended learning outcomes (i.e. the knowledge, skills, attitudes) formulated from and aligned to the end-product capability (i.e. the desired attributes of the end-product) identified. Learners need to provide evidence of having acquired the desired professional competencies by passing examinations which use assessment tools (e.g. MEQs, OSCEs) designed for such a purpose.

However, in the clinical setting (i.e. in the work environment), it is recommended that learners need to show evidence that they have acquired desired professional competencies by independently performing a given set of professional tasks, after a period of learning under supervision. Such ‘professional tasks’ performed by the learner independently are referred to as the Entrustable Professional Activities (EPAs). Workplace-based assessments tools (e.g. Mini-CEX, DOPS) should be used for assessing EPAs.

**Workshop Objectives**

This workshop will:
- discuss the key features of EPAs
- provide participants with hands-on experience on how to formulate EPAs in their respective disciplines
- describe how to develop a blueprint for EPAs closely aligned to the professional competencies identified
- create opportunities for participants to practice blueprinting for the EPAs formulated in the different disciplines.

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**Registration Fees**

**NUHS STAFF** - S$204*  
(Including staff on clinical faculty/adjunct scheme)

**Others** - S$230*

*Fees are inclusive of GST

Registration is on a first-come-first-served basis

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**Closing date of registration: 1 March 2019**

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Feedback from past participants...

“Better understanding of EPA and the difference between milestones and EPA”

“Good mix of participants”

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SMC CME / CNE / CPE accreditation are being finalised

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