



Pace University - Lenox Hill Hospital Physician Assistant Program - NYC

MK= Medical Knowledge
ICS= interpersonal & Communication Skills

PC=Patient Care
P=Professionalism

PBLI=Practice-Based Learning & Improvement
SBP= Systems-Based Practice

ENTRUSTABLE PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY #1-HISTORY TAKING

Level-EPA #1	Program Benchmarks	Core Competency-PC/MK/ICS	Teaching Methods	Courses	Primary Assessment Tool
Novice - Gather a basic history according to a systems approach in a virtual simulated environment	Summer II Didactic year	PAs are expected to understand evaluate and apply obtaining a medical history to a clinical scenario.	Lectures, readings, small groups lab sessions, simulations, SPE and debriefing sessions, written notes	PAS 506	Written exam, clinical documentation, SPE sessions (graded written note)
Advanced beginner - Gather and write a focused history in a simulated environment	Fall/Spring Didactic year		Lectures, readings, small groups lab sessions, simulations, SPE and debriefing sessions, written notes	PAS 606, 607	Didactic OSCE, Written exam, clinical documentation, SPE session (written note, oral presentation))
Competent – Gather, write and report an accurate detailed history from a patient	Clinical year completion		Preceptor evals, site visits, clinical documentation, mid-clerkship eval, simulation & debriefing sessions (HFS, SPE, mini OSAT)	PAS 701-709, 799C,	Clinical OSCE, clinical documentation, case presentations, preceptor eval, site visit, virtual pt cases



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ENTRUSTABLE PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY #2- PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

Level-EPA #2	Program Benchmarks	Core Competency MK	Teaching Methods	Courses	Primary Assessment Tool
Novice - Perform a PE in a simulated environment according to a system-based approach	Fall Didactic year	PAs are expected to understand, evaluate and apply performing a PE to a clinical scenario	Lectures, readings, small groups lab sessions, SPE sessions, clinical documentation	PAS 606	Didactic OSCE, written exam, SPE session (graded SOAP note)
Advanced beginner - Perform a focused PE in a simulated environment	Spring Didactic year		Lectures, readings, small groups lab sessions, SPE sessions, clinical documentation	PAS 607	Didactic OSCE, written exam, SPE session (graded note & pral presentation)
Competent - Perform an integrated PE tailored to a specific patient encounter.	Clinical year completion		Preceptor evals, site visits, clinical documentation, mid-clerkship eval, simulation & debriefing sessions (HFS, SPE, mini OSAT)	PAS 701-709, 799C	Clinical OSCE, clinical documentation, case presentations, preceptor eval, site visit, virtual pt cases, EORs



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ENTRUSTABLE PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY #3- PATIENT MANAGEMENT

Level-EPA #3	Program Benchmarks	Core Competency MK/PC	Teaching Methods	Courses	Primary Assessment Tool
Novice – Recall the management of disease states based on body systems	Fall Didactic year	PAs are expected to understand, evaluate and apply appropriate management of general and surgical conditions to include pharmacologic & other treatment modalities to a clinical scenario	Lectures, readings, small groups lab sessions, SPE sessions, clinical documentation	PAS 547, 648, 601-603, 606, 607	Written exams, clinical documentation, SPE sessions, didactic OSCE
Advanced beginner - Apply the management of disease states in a simulated environment	Spring Didactic / Summer I Didactic year		Lectures, readings, small groups lab sessions, SPE sessions, clinical documentation	PAS 606, 607, 609, 601-603	Written examinations, clinical documentation, SPE sessions, didactic OSCE
Competent - Develop and implement patient management plans tailored to a specific patient encounter in all settings.	Clinical year completion		Preceptor evals, site visits, clinical documentation, mid-clerkship eval, simulation & debriefing sessions (HFS, SPE, mini OSAT)	PAS 701-709, 799C	Clinical OSCE, clinical documentation, case presentations, preceptor eval, site visit, virtual pt cases, EORs



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ENTRUSTABLE PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY #4-DIAGNOSTIC STUDIES

Level-EPA #4	Program Benchmarks	Core Competency MK/PC	Teaching Methods	Courses	Primary Assessment Tool
Novice – Recall appropriate diagnostic studies	Fall Didactic year	PAs are expected to understand, evaluate and apply appropriate laboratory & diagnostic studies to a clinical scenario	Lectures, readings, small groups lab sessions, SPE sessions, clinical documentation	PAS 601-603, 604, 605, 606, 607	Written exams, Didactic OSCE
Advanced beginner - Interpret common diagnostic studies and apply in a simulated environment	Spring Didactic year		Lectures, readings, small groups lab sessions, SPE sessions, clinical documentation	PAS 605, 607	Written exams, SPE sessions (written & oral note), Didactic OSCE
Competent - Recommend and apply common diagnostic studies and apply to clinical encounters with patients	Clinical year completion		Preceptor evals, site visits, clinical documentation, mid-clerkship eval, simulation & debriefing sessions (HFS, SPE, mini OSAT)	PAS 701-709, 799C	Clinical OSCE, clinical documentation, case presentations, preceptor eval, site visit, virtual pt cases, EORs



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ENTRUSTABLE PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY #5- CLINICAL DOCUMENTATION

Level-EPA #5	Program Benchmarks	Core Competency PC/MK	Teaching Methods	Courses	Primary Assessment Tool
Novice – Identify and document the components of a history and physical exam	Summer II Didactic year	PAs are expected to accurately <u>record</u> and orally present findings in an organized manner.	Lectures, cases, SOAP notes, small group lab sessions, SPE sessions	PAS 506	Written exams, SPE (written note)
Advanced beginner – Document a clinical encounter based on body systems in a simulated environment	Fall/Spring Didactic year		Lectures, cases, SOAP notes, small group lab sessions, SPE sessions	PAS 606, 607	Written exams, Didactic OSCE, SPE (graded note)
Competent – Devise and document an accurate, focused, context-specific clinical note based on a patient encounter	Clinical year		Preceptor evals, site visits, clinical documentation, mid-clerkship eval, simulation & debriefing sessions (HFS, SPE, mini OSAT)	PAS 701-709, 799C	Clinical OSCE, clinical documentation, case presentations, preceptor eval, site visit, virtual pt cases



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ENTRUSTABLE PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY #6-ORAL PRESENTATION SKILLS

Level-EPA #6	Program Benchmarks	Core Competency ICS/MK/PC	Teaching Methods	Courses	Primary Assessment Tool
Novice – Recall components of an oral presentation and present a history in a simulated environment	Fall Didactic year	PAs are expected to accurately record and orally present findings in an organized manner.	Lecture,cases, small group lab sessions, SPE sessions	PAS 606	Written exams, SPE(written note)
Advanced beginner - Present a complete focused oral presentation in a simulated environment	Spring Didactic year		Lecture,cases, small group lab sessions, SPE sessions	PAS 607	Written exams, SPE (written note & oral presentation)
Competent – Summarize and report focused oral presentations based on a patient seen during clinical rotations	Clinical year completion		Preceptor evals, site visits, clinical documentation, mid-clerkship eval, simulation & debriefing sessions (HFS,SPE, mini OSAT)	PAS 701-709,799C	Clinical OSCE, clinical documentation, case presentations, preceptor eval, site visit, virtual pt cases



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ENTRUSTABLE PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY #7-DIFFERENTIAL DIAGNOSIS

Level-EPA #8	Program Benchmarks	Core Competency MK/PC	Teaching Methods	Courses	Primary Assessment Tool
Novice – Recognize the importance of a differential diagnosis	Fall Didactic year	PAs are expected to recognize appropriate history and physical findings and diagnostic studies to formulate a differential diagnosis	Lectures,cases,readings, SPE sessions	PAS 601-603,604,605 606	Written exams,cases,Didactic OSCE, SPE (written note)
Advanced beginner – Develop a differential diagnosis based on simulated patient’s history and physical examination	Spring Didactic year		Lectures,cases,readings, SPE sessions	PAS 601-603,604,605 606,607	Written exams,cases,Didactic OSCE, SPE (written note & oral presentation)
Competent – Devise and prioritize a differential diagnosis based on a patient encounter	Clinical year completion		Preceptor evals, site visits, clinical documentation, mid-clerkship eval, simulation & debriefing sessions (HFS,SPE, mini OSAT)	PAS 701-709,799C	Clinical OSCE, clinical documentation, case presentations, preceptor eval, site visit, virtual pt cases, EORs



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ENTRUSTABLE PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY #8- GENERAL PROCEDURES INCLUDING TECHNICAL SKILLS

Level-EPA #9	Program Benchmarks	Core Competency MK/PC	Teaching Methods	Courses	Primary Assessment Tool
Novice: Recall components & techniques of general procedures	Fall Didactic year	Physician assistants are expected to perform core procedures in order to provide basic care.	Lecture, readings, videos	PAS 609, 610, 604, 605	Written exams, checklists skill sessions
Advanced beginner: Perform specific procedures in a simulated environment	Spring-Summer I Didactic year		Lecture, reading, videos	PAS 604, 605, 609, 610	Written exams, checklist skill sessions
Competent: Choose and perform general procedures on patients under full supervision	Clinical year completion		Preceptor evals, site visits, student procedure logs, simulation & debriefing sessions (HFS, SPE, mini OSAT)	PAS 701-709, 799C	Clinical OSCE, mid-clerkship eval, preceptor eval



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ENTRUSTABLE PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY #9- RETRIEVE AND APPLY EVIDENCE

Level-EPA #10	Level/Program Benchmarks	Core Competency MK/PC/PBL/SBP	Teaching Methods	Courses	Primary Assessment Tool
Novice – Read and summarize peer-reviewed journal articles	Fall Didactic year	PAs are expected to understand, evaluate and apply evidence from scientific studies related to their patients' health	Cases, posted articles	PAS 601-603	Written exams,
Advanced beginner – Locate and appraise evidence from scientific studies	Spring Didactic year		Critical appraisals	PAS 514	Critical appraisal worksheets
Competent – Use information technology to retrieve evidence and apply to patient care	Summer I Didactic year-Clinical year completion		Final Master project, posted articles, case presentations, pt education project, virtual pt cases, simulation (HFS, SPE)	PAS 620, PAS 515, 701-709, 799C	Clinical review article, pt education project, case presentations, virtual patient cases



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ENTRUSTABLE PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY #10- HEALTH PROMOTION & DISEASE PREVENTION

Level-EPA #10	Program Benchmarks	Core Competency MK/PC	Teaching Methods	Courses	Primary Assessment Tool
Novice – Recall the importance of health prevention on disease states	Fall Didactic year	PAs are expected to understand, evaluate and apply interventions for prevention of disease and health promotion/maintenance to clinical scenarios	Lecture, cases	PAS 601, 602, 603	Written exams
Advanced beginner – Recall and apply health promotion/maintenance in a simulated environment	Summer I Didactic year		Lecture, posted articles	PAS 515,	Written exams, SPE counseling session
Competent EPA – Evaluate and provide preventive health care services and education to patient encounters	Clinical year completion		Preceptor evals, site visits, clinical documentaion, pt education project, virtual pt cases	701-709, 799C	Patient education project, clinical documentation, case presentations. Preceptor evals, clinical OSCE, virtual pt cases



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ENTRUSTABLE PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY #11-PROFESSIONALISM

Level-EPA #12	Program Benchmarks	Core Competency ICS/PC/PBLI	Teaching Methods	Courses	Primary Assessment Tool
Novice EPA – Explain the concept and components of professional behavior	Summer II Didactic year	PAs are expected to develop and sustain professional relationships with peers, faculty, colleagues, patients, families and communities.	Lectures, posted readings, group discussions, didactic orinntation	PAS 511, 506	Written exam , ethics group presentation, citi-certification, SPE (written note)
Advanced beginner – Apply concepts and components of professionalism in a simulated environment	Fall/Spring/Summer I Didactic year		IPE activities, student assessment, SP sessions	PAS 603, 606,607, 515	Adviser meeting, SPE (witten note & oral presentation)
Competent - Choose to maintain a professional attitude and demonstrate ethical behaviors in a clinical setting	Clinical year		Preceptor evals, site visits, mid clerkship eval, pt education project	701-709, 799C	Clinical OSCE, preceptor eval, adviser meeting, site visits, pt education project