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Approved Clinician Induction Course- Online

Aim of the Course

Approved Clinician courses aim to enhance the knowledge base and clinical skills of clinicians wishing to become Approved Clinicians. Courses should give delegates the opportunity to discuss their competencies and areas of weakness and give them an opportunity to reflect on medico-legal challenges.

The online course consists of self-directed e-Learning modules with an interactive webinar on the second day. The self-directed e-Learning modules are sent in advance and should be completed by end of the first day of the course. The interactive webinar sessions are led by OxCMEd senior tutors. The course uses real and complex case studies, interactive quizzes, mini-lectures, small-group break-out sessions, practical exercises and legal updates to ensure delegates are fully equipped to take on the role of Approved Clinician.

Please note that this course is just part of the AC Approval process. The course is recognised nationally but please contact your local approval office to obtain an application pack and advice regarding the process to apply.

Course objectives:

- To give all delegates a good understanding of the roles of an Approved Clinician and how these roles differ from those of a Section 12 Approved Doctor.
- To give all delegates an improved understanding of commonly used compulsory orders.
- To give all delegates an introduction to the use of compulsory orders in more specialised areas.
- To explain the appeals/hearings process and give the delegates practical advice on the provision of reports and giving verbal evidence.
- To ensure all delegates have an up-to-date awareness of the current relevant case law and an improved understanding of the interface between Common Law, The Mental Health Act, The Human Rights Act, The Mental Capacity Act and Deprivation of Liberty Safeguards.
- To specify the regulations to delegates for becoming an Approved Clinician and continuing to be approved once this has been granted.
- To enhance delegates' awareness of the impact compulsory orders have on service users and carers.
- To enhance delegates' appreciation of the balance that often has to be struck between risk and liberty.

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Fees and payment instructions:

£349 - You will be invoiced when a place is allocated to you)

£299 – Early bird rate for registrations made at least 3 months in advance.

£299 - Institutional rate (Please enquire if you may be eligible for a discounted institutional rate)

Cancellation policy:

- Cancelled by organiser: full refund
- Cancelled more than 28 working days in advance: full refund minus £25 admin fee
- Cancelled between 2-28 working days: 50% will be refunded minus £25 admin fee
- Cancelled within 1 working day or if the delegate fails to attend the course: No refund

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Time-table

Title	AC Induction Course - Online
Interactive webinar Speakers	Dr Farshad Shaddel (Consultant Psychiatrist) Dr Jane Shears (AMHP) Dr Laura Janes (Consultant Solicitor) Dr Hasanen Al-Taïar (Consultant Psychiatrist) Dr Marjan Ghazirad (Consultant Psychiatrist) Prof. Harm Boer (Consultant Psychiatrist) Valbona Demiri (AMHP) Elsa Charrua (MHA Administrator)
Target audiences	Clinicians (Psychiatrists, Social worker, Psychologist, nurse,...) wishing to become Approved Clinicians.
Learning time	Approved for 12 CPD hours, comprising: ☐ 8 hrs self-directed eLearning ☐ 8 hrs interactive webinar
Assessment	The course is not graded but there is a formative assessment of the self-directed learning sessions via MCQ, reflective essays and case studies. In addition, delegates must evidence completion of the eLearning and attendance of the webinar in order to receive a certificate of attendance.

Day 1: Self-directed e-Learning (Pre-recorded sessions)

Time	Topic		Lead
Session 1 (60 mins)	The roles and responsibilities of an Approved Clinician	AC vs. RC <i>Detention Under Part II</i> <i>Section 5(2)</i> <i>Section 17</i> <i>Renewal under Section 20</i> <i>Discharge under Section 23</i> <i>Nearest relative powers</i> <i>"Appropriate treatment"</i>	Dr F Shaddel
Session 2 (30 mins)	Warrants & working with the police	S135 MHA & S136 MHA	Dr Jane Shears
Session 3 (60 mins)	Consent to Treatment	Powers under the Mental Capacity Act Mental Health Law in non-psychiatric settings Role of SOAD	Stuart Wallace & Dr F Shaddel Dr M Ghazirad
Session 4 (45 mins)	Mental Health Law in Specialised Areas	CAMHS Personality Disorder/ Eating disorders	Dr H Hales Dr J Baggott
Session 5 (90 mins)	Detention & Liberty	<i>Fundamental Legal Frameworks</i> Mental Health Act powers Deprivation of Liberty Safeguards	Dr L Janes S Wallace/ Dr J Shears



		The distinction between restriction & deprivation of liberty	
Session 6 (75 mins)	Returning to community	Section 17, 17A, and Discharge options, CTO Guardianship	S Wallace V Demiri
Session 7 (90 mins)	Mental Health Law & Criminal Justice	An overview Detention under Part III MAPPA process	Dr L Janes Prof H Boer Terry Henson
Session 8 (15 mins)	Patients' voice	Service users' experience of MHA	Recorded interview
Quiz (15 mins)	Final assessment		Online quiz

Day 2: Interactive webinars via Zoom (Breakout rooms, Quiz, MCQ, interactive discussions, raise hand, chat and comment functions....)

9:00- 9:30	Introduction and opening note		Dr Jane Shears
9:30- 10:00	S63	Physical healthcare in patients being treated under the Mental Health Act	Dr F Shaddel
10:00- 10:15	De Facto Detention	Definition Inappropriate use of S5(2)	Dr F Shaddel
10:15- 11:15	Appeals/Hearings Procedures	Tribunal and Manager Powers Appropriate Medical Treatment Report writing	Dr F Shaddel
11:15 - 11:30	Coffee break		
11:30 - 12:00	Mental Health Law in Specialised Areas	Learning Disabilities& Autism	Dr M Ghazirad
12:00- 12:30	Advocates & Statutory roles	IMHA & IMCA AMHP & BIA/AMCP	Dr J Shears/ V Demiri
12:30- 13:30	Lunch		
13:30- 14:30	Legal update	Relevant Case Law Mental Health Reform Bill	Dr L Janes
14:30- 15:00	Case discussion/ Short vignettes	Medico-legal challenges in clinical practice – Inpatient setting	Dr F Shaddel
15:00- 15:30	Case discussion/ Long vignettes	Medico-legal challenges in clinical practice – Community setting	Breakout rooms
15:30- 15:45	Coffee break		
15:45- 16:30	Practical aspects	The Approval and re-approval process Form filling – Rectifying mistakes	Panel's lead / Dr H Al-Ta'iar MHA admin
16:30- 17:00	Summary and Closing note		Dr F Shaddel



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I hereby agree:

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2. That I will not share, or have not shared, my log in details to any other party to give access to educational material that relates to this Course. .
3. I will consider any case vignette as confidential and treat them with dignity and integrity
4. That I will act in a professional manner at all times and seek advice from the course organisers if a query arises.
5. I have read and agreed with the Privacy, T&C and cancellation policies

Signature

Date

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