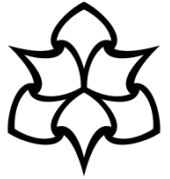


# End Point Assessment

# Advanced Clinical Practitioner

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## End Point Assessment (EPA) What does it mean?

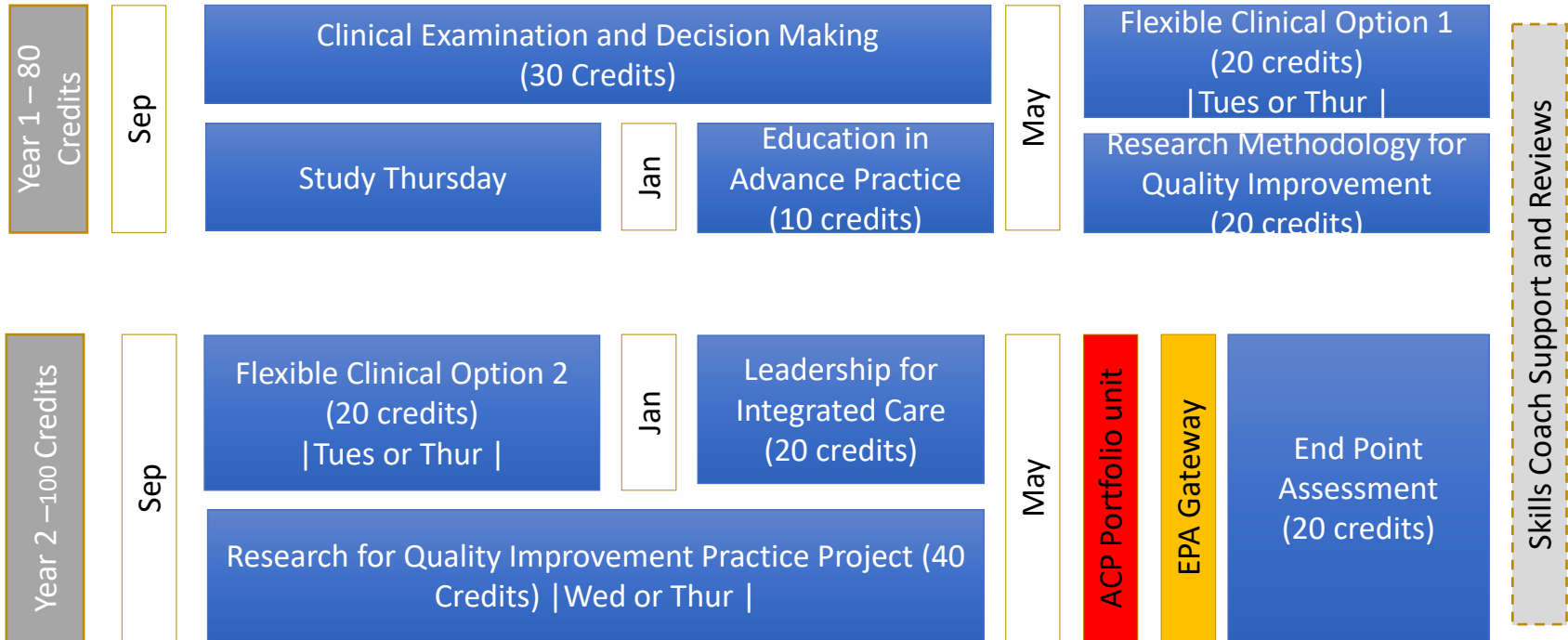
- At the end of the programme the student has to consolidate all the learning that has taken place towards the Advanced Clinical Practitioners Standards.
- They cannot complete the MSc without the completion of the EPA.

To be able to commence the EPA the student has to go through the Gate way to do this you have to meet the criteria.

<https://www.instituteforapprenticeships.org/apprenticeship-standards/advanced-clinical-practitioner-degree/>



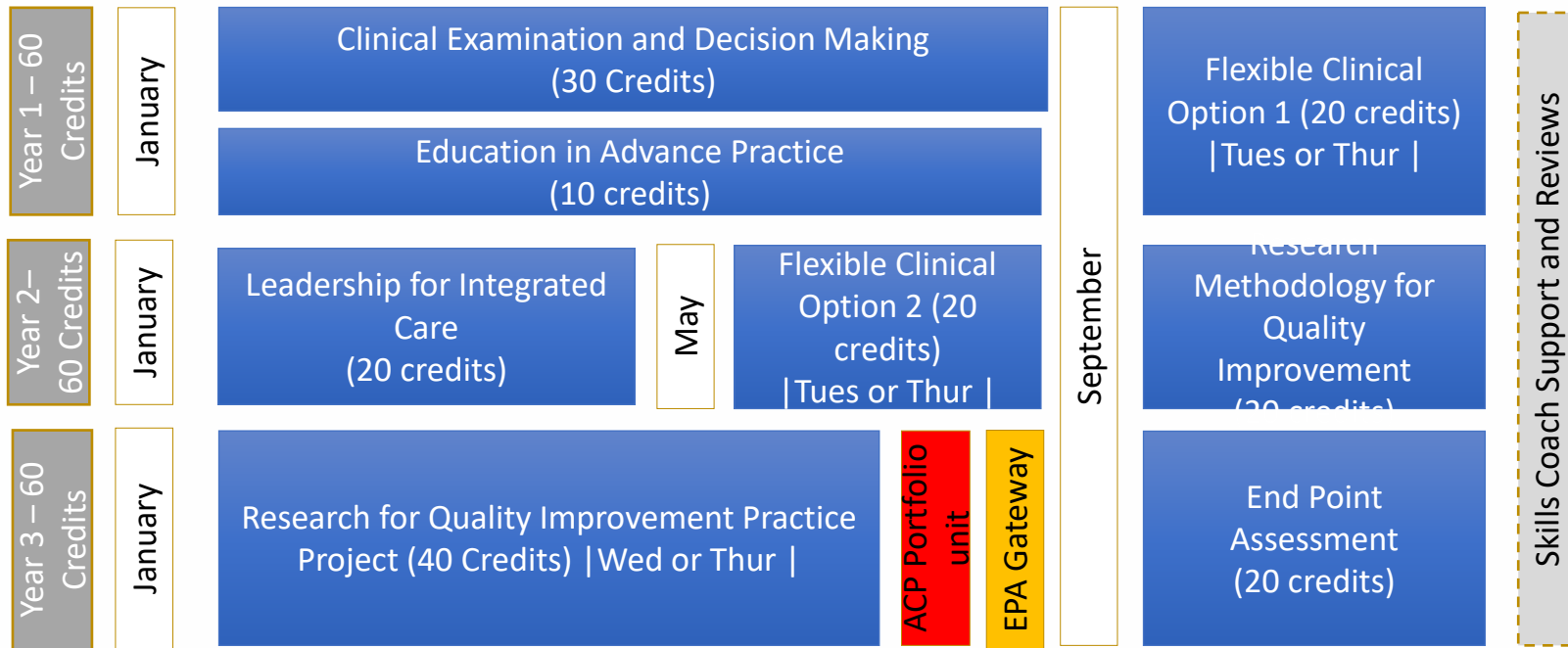
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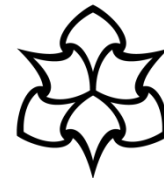
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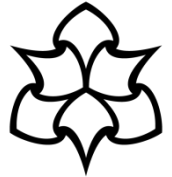


## EPA Gateway Criteria

### Table 2: Gateway Criteria for the Integrated Degree Apprenticeship for Advanced Clinical Practitioner at Level 7

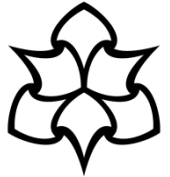
- Registered with a statutory health and/or social care regulator with proof of current registration.
- Achievement of English and mathematics qualification at a minimum of level 2 as per general apprenticeship requirements
- 160 credits of an integrated Master's degree in Advanced Clinical Practice from the on-programme apprenticeship formally confirmed prior to the gateway progression.
- Confirmation from the employer that the requirements of the apprentice agreement and knowledge, skills and behaviours from the standard has been met within the apprentice's workplace
- Confirmation by the employer of the apprentice's readiness to progress to the EPA.

Plus the mandatory evidenced 20% off the job training

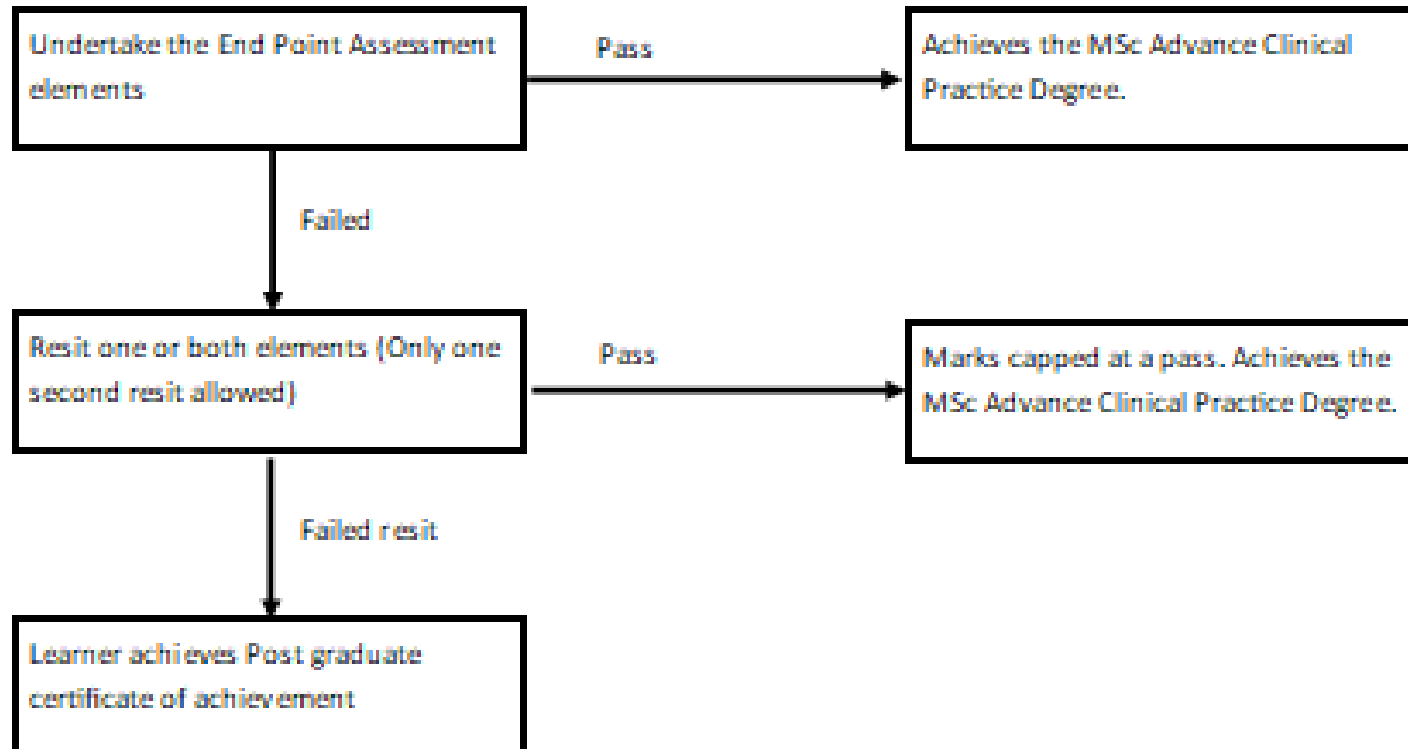


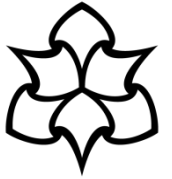
## End Point Assessment methods

Method	Area Assessed	Contribution to final grade	Duration/length	Assessed by	Grading
Open Book Examination	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Advanced Clinical Practice</li> </ul>	50%	2 hours	End-point Assessment Organisation independent assessor	Pass Merit Distinction Fail
Presentation of practice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Advanced Clinical Practice</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Clinical Leadership</li> <li>Research</li> </ul>	50%	<p>1,500 word (+/- 10%) clinical practice change report</p> <p>35 minutes presentation (+/- 10%)</p>	<p>Independent assessment panel comprising</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>independent assessor</li> <li>independent university representative</li> </ul>	Pass Merit Distinction Fail



Failed End Point Assessment Process

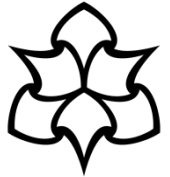




## EPA statement

- This is the statement that is required for the employer to sign to state that the student has met the standards and is ready for the EPA.
- This will need to be collected at the EPA gateway stage, can only be signed once everything has been marked.
- If issues present with the student you should raise them before this gateway point.





## Completing the programme

- Once the students have received their marks from the EPA, this will then need to be taken to the final MMU board (this has been standard practice throughout the course).
- A week after the board the student should receive their transcripts of results, which will be the evidence for them to be indicated as qualified ACPs.
- They will then need to create a log in with HEE and upload this transcript for their evidence, to then be accepted on the list for ACP. Due to the programme being accredited.

# Any questions?

