General Pharmaceutical Council

Buttercups Training support staff course re/accreditation event report, Dispensary Stock Management - part 3, July 2021



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### **Event summary and conclusions**

Provider	Buttercups Training
Course name	Support Staff Course for Dispensary Stock Management
Framework used	National Occupational Standards
Relevant requirements	Requirements for the education and training of pharmacy support staff,  October 2020
Event type	Reaccreditation
Event date	30 July 2021
Approval period	November 2021 - November 2024
Outcome	Please refer to parts 1 and 2.
Conditions	Please refer to parts 1 and 2.
Standing conditions	A link to the standing conditions can be <u>found here</u> .
Recommendations	Please refer to parts 1 and 2.
Registrar decision	Please refer to parts 1 and 2.

## Technical knowledge and skills

The technical knowledge and skills content of the course/qualification must be derived from, and mapped to, an appropriate national framework for pharmacy knowledge and skills recognised in the UK.

# Part 3: Role-specific learning outcomes (National Occupational Standards)

#### PHARM01

Assist with the provision of a pharmacy service

How the course/qualification supports the trainee to achieve this outcome and where the learning outcome is taught

#### Provider's commentary

To meet the requirements of NOS PHARM01, learners complete **Core Module 1: Working in a Pharmacy Environment, Core Module 2: Teamwork and Person-Centred Care**, and the technical module **Handling Stock** on the b-Hive platform.

Please refer to the mapping document in Appendix M5 –Stock Management Curriculum Mapping V2.

How the course/qualification assesses whether the trainee achieves this outcome

#### Provider's commentary

Learners complete the **formative assessment** activities throughout the course materials including the activity books in the modules listed above which require research into the relevant workplace policies and procedures, and interactive activities built into the b-Hive platform to provide instant feedback.

The **activity books** are reviewed by their workplace training supervisor (WTS) and contain both formative and summative assessment activities. The **formative** activities include reflecting on a referral they have made to another healthcare professional and thinking about what constitutes good customer service. The **summative** activities include describing their responsibilities in the event of a complaint and describing how to report health and safety matters in their workplace.

**Summative assessment** of PHARM01 overlaps with the Part 1 learning outcomes which are assessed by a **witness testimony** by their WTS following observations in the workplace, including demonstration of good communication skills, effective teamwork, awareness of SOPs, workplace health and safety and referral procedures, and handling a complaint.

Accreditation/recognition team's commentary.

**Learning outcome met? Yes ⊠ No** □

Based on the submitted documentation and event discussions, the accreditation team agreed that this learning outcome will be met.

#### PHARM12 Order pharmaceutical stock

How the course/qualification supports the trainee to achieve this outcome and where the learning outcome is taught

#### Provider's commentary

To meet NOS PHARM12, learners complete **Core Module 1: Working in a Pharmacy Environment, Core Module 2: Teamwork and Person-Centred Care**, and the technical module **Handling Stock** on the b-Hive platform.

Please refer to the mapping document in Appendix M5 -Stock Management Curriculum Mapping V2.

How the course/qualification assesses whether the trainee achieves this outcome

#### **Provider's commentary**

Learners complete the **formative assessment** activities throughout the course materials including the activity books in the Handling Stock module which require research into the relevant workplace policies and procedures, and interactive activities built into the b-Hive platform to provide instant feedback.

The **activity books** are reviewed by their workplace training supervisor (WTS) and contain both formative and summative assessment activities. The **formative** activities include finding out the ordering cut-off times for their suppliers and when items will arrive if they are ordered after the cut-off time. The **summative** activities include observing a colleague responsible for managing stock when ordering stock, then read the relevant SOPs and be observed by their WTS carrying out this task.

**Summative assessment** of PHARM12 includes scenario-based multiple-choice questions (MCQs) in a **Final Test**, and a **witness testimony** by their WTS following observations in the workplace to assess the learner's ability to order pharmaceutical stock according to workplace SOPs.

Accreditation/recognition team's commentary.

Learning outcome met? Yes ⊠ No □

Based on the submitted documentation and event discussions, the accreditation team agreed that this learning outcome will be met.

#### PHARM13 Receive pharmaceutical stock

How the course/qualification supports the trainee to achieve this outcome and where the learning outcome is taught

#### Provider's commentary

To meet NOS PHARM13, learners complete **Core Module 1: Working in a Pharmacy Environment, Core Module 2: Teamwork and Person-Centred Care**, and the technical module **Handling Stock** on the b-Hive platform.

Please refer to the mapping document in Appendix M5 -Stock Management Curriculum Mapping V2.

How the course/qualification assesses whether the trainee achieves this outcome

#### **Provider's commentary**

Learners complete the **formative assessment** activities throughout the course materials including the activity books in the Handling Stock module which require research into the relevant workplace policies and procedures, and interactive activities built into the b-Hive platform to provide instant feedback.

The **activity books** are reviewed by their workplace training supervisor (WTS) and contain both formative and summative assessment activities. The **formative** activities include finding out how to check and adjust stock levels when receiving stock. The **summative** activities include describing how their dispensary ensures the stock received is genuine and fit for purpose.

**Summative assessment** of PHARM13 includes scenario-based multiple-choice questions (MCQs) in a **Final Test**, and a **witness testimony** by their WTS following observations in the workplace to assess the learner's ability to receive pharmaceutical stock according to workplace SOPs.

Accreditation/recognition team's commentary.

Learning outcome met? Yes ⊠ No □

Based on the submitted documentation and event discussions, the accreditation team agreed that this learning outcome will be met.

#### PHARM14 Maintain pharmaceutical stock

How the course/qualification supports the trainee to achieve this outcome and where the learning outcome is taught

#### **Provider's commentary**

To meet NOS PHARM14, learners complete **Core Module 1: Working in a Pharmacy Environment, Core Module 2: Teamwork and Person-Centred Care**, and the technical module **Handling Stock** on the b-Hive platform.

Please refer to the mapping document in **Appendix M5 –Stock Management Curriculum Mapping V2.** 

How the course/qualification assesses whether the trainee achieves this outcome

#### **Provider's commentary**

Learners complete the **formative assessment** activities throughout the course materials including the activity books in the Handling Stock module which require research into the relevant workplace policies and procedures, and interactive activities built into the b-Hive platform to provide instant feedback.

The **activity books** are reviewed by their workplace training supervisor (WTS) and contain both formative and summative assessment activities. The **formative** activities include finding out who is responsible for performing stock checks on controlled drugs and how frequently they are performed. The **summative** activities include observing a trained colleague responding to a drug recall or drug alert, then describing who is responsible and the procedures they follow.

**Summative assessment** of PHARM14 includes scenario-based multiple-choice questions (MCQs) in a **Final Test**, and a **witness testimony** by their WTS following observations in the workplace to assess the learner's ability to maintain pharmaceutical stock according to workplace SOPs.

Accreditation/recognition team's commentary.

Learning outcome met? Yes ⊠ No □

Based on the submitted documentation and event discussions, the accreditation team agreed that this learning outcome will be met.

#### PHARM15 Supply pharmaceutical stock

How the course/qualification supports the trainee to achieve this outcome and where the learning outcome is taught

#### **Provider's commentary**

To meet NOS PHARM15, learners complete **Core Module 1: Working in a Pharmacy Environment, Core Module 2: Teamwork and Person-Centred Care**, and the technical module **Handling Stock** on the b-Hive platform.

Please refer to the mapping document in Appendix M5 –Stock Management Curriculum Mapping V2.

How the course/qualification assesses whether the trainee achieves this outcome

#### **Provider's commentary**

Learners complete the **formative assessment** activities throughout the course materials including the activity books in the Handling Stock module which require research into the relevant workplace policies and procedures, and interactive activities built into the b-Hive platform to provide instant feedback.

The **activity books** are reviewed by their workplace training supervisor (WTS) and contain both formative and summative assessment activities. The **formative** activities including a scenario-based activity on how to contact manufacturers to source a product that is out of stock. The **summative** activities include describing the procedure for responding to urgent requests for stock in accordance with workplace SOPs.

**Summative assessment** of PHARM15 includes scenario-based multiple-choice questions (MCQs) in a **Final Test**, and a **witness testimony** by their WTS following observations in the workplace to assess the learner's ability to supply pharmaceutical stock according to workplace SOPs.

Accreditation/recognition team's commentary.

**Learning outcome met? Yes** ⊠ No □

Based on the submitted documentation and event discussions, the accreditation team agreed that this learning outcome will be met.

