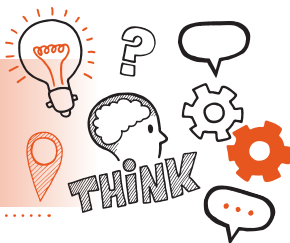


Think about
Professional discussion
Level 3 Custody and
Detention Officer AP01



On the day of assessment, you will carry out:



A 90-minute professional discussion



Remote or face-to-face



Under exam conditions



With an end-point assessor and line manager (optional)



Key point

You will have already submitted your portfolio of evidence.
This is not directly assessed.



Do

- Review the criteria associated with the professional discussion – this can be found in the EPA kit
- Review relevant legislation, regulations, external and internal professional codes of conduct and your organisation's policies and procedures
- Make sure you have a quiet room available where you will not be disturbed
- Reflect on CPD activities you have undertaken
- Be prepared to reflect on work-related or personal situations you or your colleagues have experienced and what you have learnt from them
- Be prepared to answer scenario-based questions on situations you could encounter in your role



Don't

- Forget to plan
- Forget to bring your portfolio of evidence and other resources to support you in the discussion
- Forget to bring your ID



Next steps

- Results can take up to 12 working days to be confirmed
- Your manager/training provider will inform you of the results



Resits

- If you do not achieve a pass result on the professional discussion you can resit the assessment



Use the table below to plan and prepare for the professional discussion

Standard area	Key points to remember
The role	
Reporting	

Security

**Rehabilitative
culture**

**Rights and
responsibilities**

Wellbeing

**Supporting
vulnerable
prisoners**

**Substance
misuse**



**Understanding
potential
conflict**

**Managing
potential
conflict**

Managing risk

Searches