Think about

Observation of professional practice

Level 4 ST0430 Regulatory
Compliance Officer v1.0/AP02



On the day of this assessment you will carry out:



A 120-minute observation



Face-to-face



In a suitable, controlled environment free from distractions or influence



With an end-point assessor



Key point

You will be required to undertake 6 simulated tasks to demonstrate your abilities in the following:

- 1. Planning and preparing for a regulatory intervention
- 2. Carrying out regulatory activities
- 3. Analysing information gathered
- 4. Providing initial guidance or feedback
- 5. Evaluating findings and formal reporting
- 6. Following up actions and monitoring





- Review the criteria associated with the observation of professional practice - this can be found in the EPA Kit and in the table at the end of this document
- Select an appropriate scenario from those available to you with the support of your employer
- Use the planner to plan how you will demonstrate the skills you have that are associate with the observation of professional practice
- Be prepared to reflect on your on-programme personal development and learning



Don't

- Forget to bring your ID
- Forget to plan
- Forget to relax and enjoy your assessment



Next steps

- Results can take up to 7 working days to be confirmed
- Your manager or training provider will inform you of the results



Resits

 If you do not achieve a pass result on the observation of professional practice, you can retake the assessment



Use the table below to plan and prepare for the observation of professional practice

- (P) indicates pass criteria
- (M) indicates merit criteria
- (D) indicates distinction criteria

Assessment criteria	Key points to remember
Evaluation	
(P) Demonstrate in their practice how they gather and utilise feedback from stakeholders	
(M) Demonstrate in their practice how they gather and utilise feedback from stakeholders. Actions to be taken in response to the feedback are identified and explained	

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(D) Demonstrate in their practice how they gather and utilise feedback from stakeholders. Implications of feedback are understood and predicted	
Deliver a service	
(P) Demonstrate in their practice that they can plan and deliver compliance support services in line with business	
expectation	
(P) Demonstrate in their practice that they can carry out activities in line with their organisation's regulatory outcomes	

(P) Demonstrate in their practice that they can work within the organisation's policies and procedures and the law (NB failure to demonstrate compliance will result in a failure of the End-point Assessment) – is also marked as merit and distinction if achieved	
(M) Demonstrate in their practice that they can plan and deliver compliance support services in excess of business expectation. This could be delivered ahead of schedule or they can offer a range of compliance solutions	
(M) Demonstrate in their practice that they can carry out activities in line with their organisation's regulatory outcomes and Identify industry best practice and outline how it can be applied in the situation	

(D) Demonstrate in their practice that they can plan and deliver compliance support services in excess of business expectation this could include describing the compliance environment and the wider consequences of non-compliance appropriate to the situation	
(D) Demonstrate in their practice that	
they can carry out activities in line with their organisation's regulatory outcomes clearly identify business benefits and improvements to wider consumer or environmental protection	
Risk assess	
(P) Demonstrate in their practice that they can assess regulatory risks and use risk assessment	

(M) Demonstrate in their practice that they can assess regulatory risks and use risk assessment. Analyse the risks identified and suggest appropriate actions or mitigation	
(D) Demonstrate in their practice that they can assess regulatory risks and use risk assessment. Evaluate the risks in a wider context, draw and explain conclusions appropriate to the situation	
Collect and analyse data (P) Demonstrate in their practice that they can gather, analyse, use and share data to inform risk assessment	

(M) Demonstrate in their practice that they can gather, analyse, use and share data to inform risk assessment, and have developed their practice within their own role as a consequence	
(D) Demonstrate in their practice that they can gather, analyse, use and share data to inform risk assessment, and have developed their data gathering and analysis in a wider context	
Plan their activities (P) Demonstrate in their practice that they can plan their compliance support activities so as to deliver their responsibilities efficiently	

(M) Demonstrate in their practice that they can plan their compliance support activities so as to deliver their responsibilities efficiently and have developed their practice within their own role as a consequence	
(D) Demonstrate in their practice that they can plan their compliance support activities so as to deliver their responsibilities efficiently and have developed their transferable skills in a wider context	
(P) Demonstrate in their practice that they can conduct interventions in a proportionate manner	

(P) Demonstrate in their practice that they can be responsive to the circumstances encountered	
(P) Demonstrate in their practice that they can make informed assessments of compliance and risk	
(P) Demonstrate in their practice that they can follow-up on checks on compliance in an appropriate manner	

(M) Demonstrate in their practice that they can conduct interventions in a proportionate manner and have developed their practice within their own role as a consequence	
(M) Demonstrate in their practice that they can be responsive to the circumstances encountered and have developed their practice within their own role as a consequence	
(M) Demonstrate in their practice that they make informed assessments of compliance and risk and have developed their rationale and understanding of the assessment process	

(M) Demonstrate in their practice that they can follow-up on checks on compliance in an appropriate manner and have developed their rationale and understanding of follow-up checks	
(D) Demonstrate in their practice that they can conduct interventions in a proportionate manner and give support and advice likely to mitigate future incidents of non-compliance	
(D) Demonstrate in their practice that they can be responsive to the circumstances encountered and can show an understanding of the wider implications and potential consequences	

(D) Demonstrate in their practice that they can make informed assessments of compliance and risk and use a broader range of methods to assess the compliance and risks in a wider context	
(D) Demonstrate in their practice that they can follow-up on checks on	
compliance in an appropriate manner	
and have developed the use of a broader	
range of methods to assess the risks in a wider context	
Support compliance	
(P) Demonstrate in their practice that they can promote the importance of	
compliance and their organisation's role	
in supporting compliance	

(P) Demonstrate in their practice that they can provide information and guidance that is needed by businesses and/or those they regulate	
(P) Demonstrate in their practice that they can provide the tailored advice that is needed by businesses where appropriate	
(M) Demonstrate in their practice that they can promote the importance of compliance and their organisation's role in supporting compliance and integrate the promotion of the importance of compliance into their practice	

and/or those they regulate and have integrated the provision of information and guidance into their own practice	
(M) Demonstrate in their practice that	
they can provide the tailored advice that is needed by businesses where appropriate and have developed the specificity, timeliness and appropriateness of the advice	
(D) Demonstrate in their practice that they can promote the importance of compliance and their organisation's role in supporting compliance and can use a variety of methods to promote the importance of compliance within their own practice	

(D) Demonstrate in their practice that they can provide information and guidance that is needed by businesses and/or those they regulate and use a broader range of sources and methods including, for example, signposting to other regulators	
(D) Demonstrate in their practice that	
they can provide the tailored advice that	
is needed by businesses where appropriate and communicate the	
rationale, potential outcomes and	
consequences of following the advice	
Respond to non-compliance	
(P) Demonstrate in their practice that	
they can plan and deliver compliance	
support services in line with business expectation	
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(P) Demonstrate in their practice that they can take appropriate actions to deal with non- compliance using a wide range of interventions	
(M) Demonstrate in their practice that they can plan and deliver compliance support services in line with business expectation and have developed the specificity, timeliness and appropriateness of their communication with businesses that have failed to comply	
(M) Demonstrate in their practice that they can plan and deliver take appropriate actions to deal with noncompliance using a wide range of interventions and have developed their practice within their own role as a consequence – is also marked as a distinction if achieved	

(D) Demonstrate in their practice that they can plan and deliver compliance support services in line with business expectation and communicate the rationale, potential outcomes and consequences of failing to comply with advice	
Effective decision making	
(P) Demonstrate in their practice that	
they can make sound decisions based on effective appraisal of the information	
available	
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(M) Demonstrate in their practice that they can make sound decisions based on	
effective appraisal of the information	
available and have developed their	
practice within their own role as a	
consequence	

(D) Demonstrate in their practice that they can make sound decisions based on effective appraisal of the information	
available compliance and have	
developed their appreciation of the	
consequences of their decision making	
IT and digital	
(P) Demonstrate in their practice that	
they can use IT systems to manage, share	
and store information in accordance with	
data protection requirements where	
appropriate	
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(P) Demonstrate in their practice that	
they can use digital technologies to	
communicate with and support partner	
organisations and regulated entities	

(P) Demonstrate in their practice that they can use digital competencies to support the regulation of online markets	
(M) Demonstrate in their practice that they can use IT systems to manage, share and store information in accordance with data protection requirements where appropriate and understand the implications of IT for the broader regulatory practice	
(M) Demonstrate in their practice that they can use digital technologies to communicate with and support partner organisations and regulated entities and have developed their understanding of the merits of different types of communication	

(M) Demonstrate in their practice that they can use digital competencies to support the regulation of online markets and have developed their understanding of different modes of regulation for online markets	
(D) Demonstrate in their practice that they can use IT systems to manage, share	
and store information in accordance with data protection requirements where appropriate and can show how their	
broader regulatory practice can be enhanced by IT	
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(D) Demonstrate in their practice that they can use digital technologies to	
communicate with and support partner organisations and regulated entities and	
have developed their ability to use a variety of digital technologies to optimise their communications	

(D) Demonstrate in their practice that	
they can use digital competencies to	
support the regulation of online markets	
and develop a variety of digital	
competences to optimally regulate digital	
markets	
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Delivery at pace	
(P) Demonstrate in their practice that	ļ
they plan and deliver compliance support	
services in line with business expectation	
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(M) Demonstrate in their practice that	
they plan and deliver compliance support	
services in line with the requirements of	
the role and are aware of the need to	
prioritise tasks and complete within	
specified timeframes	

(D) Demonstrate in their practice that
they plan and deliver compliance support
services in line with business expectation
and have developed their ability to
optimise their use of time and the
prioritisation of tasks

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