

Enhancing employability and work based learning

The ALPS CETL Network outputs

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ALPS CETL Programme



This innovative programme developed 4 approaches to improving **confidence** and **competence** in pre-registration health and social care students across 5 Yorkshire Universities and 16 professions by:-

- Promoting the interprofessional assessment of core competences
- Testing the use of mobile devices to deliver assessment and learning in practice settings, linked to e-portfolios
- Encouraging service user & carer involvement in student feedback
- Developing tools to evaluate confidence to practice

Common Competency Maps

Result – 4 Maps

- Communication Skills Map
- Teamworking Skills Map
- Ethical Practice Skills Map
- Patient safety map

Globalised versions of the ALPS Competency Maps are also available.



ALPS Assessment Tools

5 interprofessional tools in use:-

- Working Interprofessionally
- Gaining Consent
- Providing Information
- When to Consult and Refer
- Demonstrating respect for Service User



Which encourage the use of 360 assessment from:-

Self: Peer : Practice educator: Patient/Service User/Carer:
University Tutor

Mobile Assessments delivered to e-portfolios



The screenshot shows the 'Student view' of the ALPS e-portfolio. At the top, there is a navigation bar with 'About ALPS', 'Home', and 'Sign-out' links. Below this is a 'You are here: Home > Assessments' breadcrumb. A central profile card for 'Student Demo2' at 'ALPS' is displayed. To the right, there are sections for 'Mobile Assessments', 'Blog', 'Online Assessments', and 'Contact & Resources'. Below these is a section titled 'Assessments - Student Demo2' with a brief description. The main content area is titled 'Set Assessments' and lists several assessment entries with dates and response counts. Each entry includes a calendar icon, a mobile phone icon, and a 'MiniCEX' icon.

Assessment Title	Date	Response Count	Feedback Count
ALPS Providing Information Assessment	23 September 2008	0	0
ALPS Providing Information Assessment	01 October 2008	0	0
Gaining Consent	01 October 2008	0	0
ALPS Providing Information Assessment	01 October 2008	0	0
Gaining Consent	01 October 2008	0	0
ALPS Providing Information Assessment	06 October 2008	0	0
ALPS Gaining Consent Oct08	05 November 2008	2	2

Service User Assessment Scenario
Peer Assessment Scenario

Multi-Port
e-portfolio

Confidence In Practice Assessment Tools, CIPA and PPA



- Developed by ALPS originally as
 - A research instrument to be used by 16 different health and social care professions
 - To measure perceptions of competence in students and newly qualified practitioners.
 - Now extended by the ALPS network team at Huddersfield as a self evaluation tool for students to check their readiness, pre placement - PPA.

Today's Workshops

- Will give you the opportunity to find out more about these ALPS network outputs.
- Network with colleagues who are interested in similar developments.
- Discuss the use of similar initiatives in your own organisations.
- Keep in touch with ALPS colleagues and foster relationships for future developments.

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