

PDP example 1 – the one-pager

This example illustrates that PDPs do not need to be long, and you may be able to fit yours on a single page:

Name:

Registration number:

Learning goals / practice review

Examples:

1. *Treatment planning for dementia patients – a high number of my patients are elderly and suffer from dementia*
2. *Infection prevention and control – team leader, want to be sure I am modelling and reinforcing best practice*
3. *ME / CPR training – not a recertification activity, but a biannual requirement for safe practice*
4. *Build skills in complaints handling – I am the first line of management responsible for complaints.*



Planned PDAs

Examples:

1. *Lecture/course; my own research (journals, online); visit age-care facility and engage with nursing staff; no additional resource needed*
2. *Arrange for external provider to deliver on-site IPC training for myself and team; apply for funding and time release*
3. *Attend CPR course, do pre-reading; apply for leave/finance*
4. *Attend course; no additional resource needed, run in-house.*



Expected outcomes

Examples:

- *Improve care I deliver for dementia patients; ensure care offered is appropriate for the patient's circumstance*
- *Ensure following best practice and meeting expected standards; reflected in practice procedures; improved audit outcomes*
- *Protect patient safety; meet regulatory requirements*
- *Ensure appropriate and efficient management of complaints.*



Timeframe for completion

Examples:

- *13.3.2022 (course); own research / visit Feb – end April 2022*
- *May 2022*
- *Emcare course before September 2022*
- *Scheduled October 2022.*