

**SUPPLEMENTARY OUTCOME 6
AUDIT AND PATIENT SATISFACTION**

The candidate is required to design, complete and report on a simple audit related to sedation practice. A copy of the report should be included as part of this supplementary outcome.

The following guidance may be useful for candidates with no previous experience of audit and to indicate the scope expected by NEBDN.

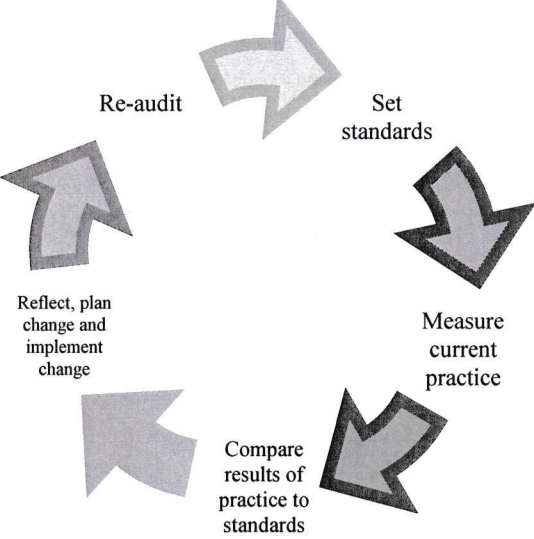
The audit process is simply described by the diagram shown.

There are many good sources of information on carrying out simple clinical audit on the internet for example...

www.dvh.nhs.uk/EasySiteWeb/GatewayLink.aspx?allId=107264

We have also included some suggested topics overleaf!

We would like you to:



1. Set two or three of your own standards relating to any aspect of your care of your sedation patients.
You may decide that 100% of your patients should feel safe in your care or 75% of your patients would be happy being cared for by you in the future. The questions and standards are up to you.
2. Design a simple questionnaire. A minimum of 10 completed questionnaires are required. *Your questions could be a simple 'YES' or 'NO' or you may use a scale 'On a scale from 1 to 5, how safe do you feel in my care?'*
3. Look at your results and see if you have met your standards.
4. If you have not met your standards then reflect on why that might be and what you could do differently. If you have met your standards try to identify why that is, what do you do well and could you do it even better?
5. Decide and state when you feel you should repeat the audit, this may depend on your results.

Your report should describe all five areas.

To be signed and dated by tutor when completed to a satisfactory standard.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

GDC No: _____

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Suggested Audit Topics

You may find your colleagues can suggest an audit which needs completing but some possible topics are listed below.

Patient satisfaction – Produce a short questionnaire for your patients on how they felt about their visit, the care you gave, or how their anxiety has changed during their treatment.

Records – Audit a selection of clinical records looking at aspects including, Drug dosages, Checks of equipment completed, Consent forms completed.

Communication – Have patient instructions been followed, after giving information can the patients answer a question about it.

Drugs – Frequency of Flumazenil use, checks of emergency drugs, correct storage of drugs.