

Form 6 – Audit – guidance and template

For GPs seeking accreditation as GPwER in Musculoskeletal Medicine with the Faculty of Sport and Exercise Medicine UK

**Important notes about the audit**

* An audit of clinical practice should relate to your clinical practice and provides an opportunity to identify how your own clinical performance compares to any local, national, and international standards.
* There is no definitive number of cases required but it is likely to be at least 20 cases.
* Subjects chosen for audit are many and varied and may include a review of interventions such as joint injections, assessment of diagnostic imaging use (clinical diagnosis vs radiological diagnosis), use and impact of blood tests or therapeutic interventions.
* Standards set and comparison
	+ Every criterion should have a set standard against which results are measured. The standards should be justified against national or locally agreed standards and expressed as a percentage
	+ All candidates must compare clinical vs histological diagnoses
	+ All candidates managing BCC must compare incomplete excision rates
	+ Refer to the bottom of this documents for further information
* Reflection
	+ Audit results should be discussed with a clinical supervisor
* Please complete all sections of the audit document below and submit along with the data collection log, and then send to………

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| **1. Audit Title**  | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| **2.Criterion / criteria** | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| **3. Standards set with justification**  | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| **4. Preparation and planning**  | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| **5. Results compared with standards set. Express as total numbers and as a percentage**  | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| **6. Reflection on results including discussion with clinical supervisor**  | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| **7. Recommended changes to practice because of reflection (including any plans to repeat the audit)**  | Click or tap here to enter text. |