

REFLECTIVE ACCOUNTS FORM

You must use this form to record five written reflective accounts on your CPD and/or practice-related feedback and/or an event or experience in your practice and how this relates to the Code. Please fill in a page for each of your reflective accounts, making sure you do not include any information that might identify a specific patient, service user, colleague or other individuals. Please refer to our guidance on preserving anonymity in the section on non-identifiable information in *How to revalidate with the NMC*.

Reflective account: Business Planning – Advanced Masterclass

The CPD activity was a masterclass on **Strategic Business Planning for Stoma Care**, designed to enhance healthcare professionals' ability to **develop**, **implement**, **and evaluate service improvements** within stoma care.

The session covered:

- **Change and Engagement Model**: Strategies to **drive change within the NHS**, focusing on service redesign and stakeholder engagement.
- Business Planning Principles: How to build a case for change using structured frameworks such as SBAR (Situation, Background, Assessment, Recommendation) to improve stoma care services.
- **Pathway Redesign**: Mapping existing patient pathways to identify inefficiencies and develop solutions that enhance patient outcomes.
- Service Evaluation and Performance Measurement: Tools to assess the impact of interventions, ensuring continuous quality improvement in stoma care.

The session provided **practical skills and strategic approaches** to enhance clinical services and meet the evolving needs of people living with a stoma.

What did you learn from the CPD activity and/or feedback and/or event or experience in your practice?

How did you change or improve your practice as a result?

This CPD activity aligns with the **Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC) Code** in the following ways:

Prioritise People

- The masterclass reinforced the importance of **patient-centered care**, ensuring that service redesign efforts **meet the needs of people living with a stoma**.
- Emphasised the value of engaging **patients in decision-making**, empowering them to influence care pathways.

Practise Effectively

- Strengthened my ability to **develop and implement evidence-based service improvements**, ensuring the highest standards of care.
- The SBAR framework and **business planning strategies** provide a structured approach to communicating and justifying service changes.

Preserve Safety

- The training highlighted **risk management principles**, ensuring that any service changes prioritise **patient safety**, **efficiency**, **and equity** in access to care.
- Emphasised **quality assurance measures** to continuously evaluate service effectiveness and improve patient outcomes.

Promote Professionalism and Trust

- The masterclass reinforced the **importance of collaboration**, ensuring that proposed service changes align with **NHS values and organisational priorities**.
- Equipped me with the tools to communicate effectively with **patients**, **colleagues**, **and decision-makers**, fostering trust and professional integrity.

This CPD activity has provided valuable strategic planning skills that will directly enhance my ability to improve stoma care services. By applying the SBAR framework, pathway redesign techniques, and stakeholder engagement strategies, I can contribute to the development of patient-focused, efficient, and sustainable care models.