

This document applies to those who begin training on or after July 1, 2022.

This document is to be used in conjunction with the *Entrustable Professional Activity User Guide*, which is available on the Royal College’s website.

Diagnostic Radiology: Transition to Discipline EPA #1

Navigating information systems used in Diagnostic Radiology

Key Features:

- This EPA focuses on accessing and using information systems to gather clinical data from the patient’s chart and the image storage system (e.g., PACS).
- This includes summarizing the history, pertinent physical examination findings and results of relevant investigations from the clinical record and retrieving the imaging study and pertinent priors for review with a supervisor.
- This EPA may be observed in patients undergoing any medical imaging study; the observation of this EPA is based on a single case.
- This EPA does not include the use of advanced PACS functions—that is a Foundation stage activity.

Assessment Plan:

Case review with staff radiologist, Core or TTP resident, or fellow

Use Form 1

Collect 2 observations of achievement

- At least 2 different assessors

CanMEDS Milestones

- 1 COM 2.2 Access the medical record and retrieve clinical information**
- 2 ME 2.2 Interpret the findings of the history, physical examination and investigations in light of the clinical question**
- 3 ME 3.4 Use the PACS system to retrieve images**
- 4 ME 3.4 Identify and retrieve pertinent prior imaging**
- 5 ME 3.4 Display images to review a study**