

Standards

Our standards form the foundation for how we regulate, explaining what we expect of our registrants and education and training programmes

Meeting our standards

Guidance and learning materials on putting our standards into practice and supporting professionalism

https://www.hcpc-uk.org/standards/meeting-our-standards/

Standards of conduct, performance and ethics

The ethical framework within which our registrants must work https://www.hcpc-uk.org/standards/standards-of-conduct-performance-and-ethics/

Standards of proficiency

The professional standards all registrants must meet in order to become registered, and remain on the Register

https://www.hcpc-uk.org/standards/standards-of-proficiency/

Standards of continuing professional development

Our expectations around demonstrating continuing learning and development https://www.hcpc-uk.org/standards/standards-of-continuing-professional-development/

Standards relevant to education and training

The standards against which we assess education and training programmes https://www.hcpc-uk.org/standards/standards-relevant-to-education-and-training/

Reviewing the standards

Revised standards of conduct, performance and ethics

Information about the revisions to the standards of conduct, performance and ethics, which were consulted on in 2023 and came into effect on 1 September 2024.

https://www.hcpc-uk.org/standards/standards-of-conduct-performance-and-ethics/revised-standards/

Updated standards of proficiency

Information about the most recent update to the standards of proficiency, including comparison tables and themes in the key changes.

https://www.hcpc-uk.org/standards/standards-of-proficiency/revisions-to-the-standards-of-proficiency/