

## PERIPHERAL I.V. CANNULATION ENDORSEMENT PROCESS

1. Line manager identifies a clinical need for staff to have cannulation.
2. Candidate is able to maintain cannulation skills through frequent practice.
3. Candidate has the required mandatory venepuncture endorsement

1. Candidate agrees to **complete the endorsement process within the time frame of 2 months.**
2. IV link assessors with cannulation endorsement are available in clinical area to support and assess practical skills required.

→ **NO**  
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**STOP**

N.B. if candidate is not willing to practice the skills, complete the skills within the given time frame or will be unable to maintain practical skills do not proceed or attend the course.

If candidate meets all the above:

1. Complete the Learning Agreement with the Line manager. This is a mandatory component. Scan and email form to the PDU.

1. Complete the pre-course requirements listed in the on-line course
2. Complete Quiz – 100% pass required
3. Book into a Lab practicum session

**Candidate attends the 2hr hour Lab Practicum**

### Supervised practice in workplace following the Lab Practicum

Candidates may need to perform a number of 'practice insertions' with their assessor before they are confident in completing the 4 practical skill assessments required for final endorsement.

Assessed as ready to proceed?

1. IV link assessor observes 4 practical cannulations and completes and signs each assessment on form.
  2. Candidate scans and emails completed assessment form to the PDU.
- NB. This must be completed within 2 months of attending the workshop.**

Endorsement recorded in candidate's healthLearn Learning Record.

*If unable to complete the practical assessment within 2 months contact  
Nurse Consultant Vascular Access  
or  
for Partnering Organization's  
Your Clinical Lead*