

AARA – EPA 5 sign-off form

EPA 5 is the delivery of spinal anaesthesia to surgical patients.

This form should be used to sign off EPA 5. Once all EPAs are completed and evidenced, the AARA-CCA form should be completed and submitted to the GMC.

It is required that each EPA will include evidence from at least four different assessors.

Anaesthesia associate student _____

Student UID _____

University _____

Date (DD/MM/YYYY): _____

Level of entrustment

Based on the performance and supporting evidence, has the student reached the required level of entrustment for each of the activities?

	Yes	No
Delivery of spinal anaesthesia to surgical patients at entrustment level 1b.		
Maintenance of spinal anaesthesia at entrustment level 2a.		

1a: Direct supervision – supervisor present in theatre throughout and required to assist case with proactive involvement.

1b: Direct supervision – supervisor present in theatre throughout and available to assist reactively when needed.

2a: Indirect supervision – supervisor present in theatre suite and available to assist if required.

NB: Student AAs must always practise under direct supervision, regardless of entrustment level assessment.

Educational supervisor name _____

GMC Number _____

Signature _____

Date _____

Supporting Evidence Minimum of 4 core pieces (including 3 from consultants or autonomously practising anaesthetists)	
SLE	Assessor and Date of sign-off

Further Comments	