

# INFORMATION FOR WITNESSES



## WHO CAN WITNESS?

In order to act as a witness in a candidate's Record of Experience you must be in a position where you can directly observe the performance of the candidate. You will need to be a GDC registrant and have successfully completed the witness training programme provided by the Dental Team Education Centre.



## WHAT DOES A WITNESS DO?

The role of a witness is to:

- Satisfactorily complete the online witness training
- Directly observe the performance of the candidate
- Make judgements about the performance observed
- Give constructive feedback to the candidate on their performance
- Record their judgements and their feedback in the e-ROE within **14** days of the date of the clinical activity



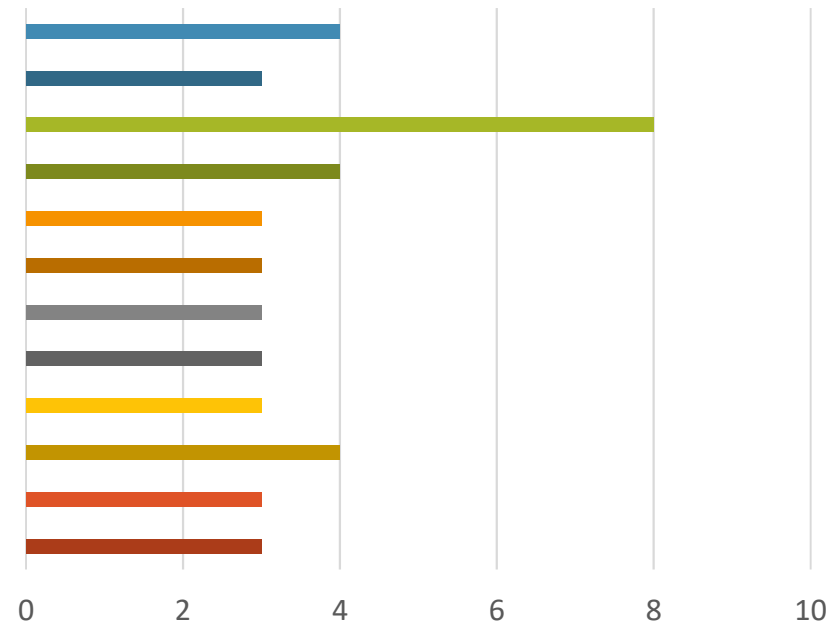
## WITNESS TRAINING

The witness training programme is provided by the course tutor.

Witnesses are advised to:

- Read everything in the witness training programme (including hyperlinked resources)
- Observe the activity in the videos carefully
- Make their decisions on based only on the criteria provided
- Explain their decisions clearly
- Complete the evaluation form via the hyperlink, to complete the training.

## OBSERVATIONS



- Preparing & Maintaining the Environment
- Disinfecting Impressions
- Assisting with Clinical Assessment
- Assisting with Cavity Restoration
- Assisting with Fixed Prosthesis
- Assisting with Extractions
- Sterilising Process
- Assisting with Preventive Treatment
- Assisting with Radiography
- Assisting with Endodontic Procedures
- Assisting with Removable Prosthesis
- Assisting with Local Anaesthesia

A brief list of the procedures to be observed in a candidate's Record of Experience is illustrated above.