

Quality Assurance System

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Purpose

The purpose of the monitoring is to

- ensure Trainers are performing to a high standard
- ensure the suitability of the training venues
- ensure that Trainers are delivering training as specified
- note examples of good/best practice
- get feedback from Trainers and other Programme team members
- provide formative feedback to Trainers on their performance

Scope:

All Trainers delivering training on behalf of LASTNG

Definitions/Acronyms

A Training Monitor is defined as a subject matter expert, trained for the role, who is appointed by the sectoral Training Group.

Authorities/Responsibilities

Function	Activities
RTC Manager	Engage with Training Monitor regarding schedule and range of visits
	Keep record of all Trainer monitoring reports
	Consult with programme Coordinator
	Take appropriate action where required, including escalation to
	Secretary depending on the contractual arrangement
Programme Coordinator	Provide support and advice to RTC Manager
	Submit report to Training Groups
Training Monitor	Implement agreed arrangements
Secretary	Take appropriate action where required

Procedure

A panel of Monitors, who are subject matter experts and are trained for the role, are appointed by the sectoral Training Group on the advice of the Secretary.

The Monitors are briefed by the RTC Manager.

Monitoring visits are assigned by the RTC Manager in consultation with the Programme Coordinator The Monitor undertakes the unannounced monitoring visit having agreed a suitable date and duration for the monitoring visit with the RTC Manager.

At the end of the visit, the Monitor and Trainer discuss the provisional outcomes and the Trainer/s gives feedback to the Monitor and vice versa.

The Monitor completes the Trainer Monitoring Report within a week and submits it by email to the RTC Manager and Programme Coordinator.

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If issues of concern have arisen these are highlighted on the Trainer Monitoring Report by the RTC Manager for the attention of the Training Provider and Programme Coordinator. The Training Provider is asked to complete and submit a Corrective Action Plan to address the concerns.

The RTC Manager, in consultation with the Programme Coordinator, monitors the implementation of the corrective action plan

The Programme Coordinator presents an analysis of Trainer Monitoring Reports and Corrective Action Plans to the Training Groups at their quarterly meetings.

Supporting Documents

- LASNTG Quality Assurance Manual
- Trainer Monitoring Report Template
- Corrective Action Plans Template
- Training Monitor Role Description
- Trainer Handbook

Reference Documents

Metrics

- Number of visits
- Number of corrective actions
- Successful in implementing corrective actions

Related Procedures

Dealing with Issues of Non-Conformance -Trainer Performance