Appraisal Meeting WPBA Benchmark Sheet

** NOTE Trainee Educational Supervisor must be present at meeting. Trainee must have prior permission from appraisee.

	Concerns	Good practice	Trainer Comments
Appropriate arrangement	Poor organisational skills. Poor timing for	Works with appraisee to identify convenient	
of date	meeting or late for trainee educationally.	dates. Educational Supervisor also involved.	
	No consent from appraisee beforehand.	Timely. Consent gained from trainee before.	
Preparation of	Little or no preparation. Does not know what	Reviewed evidence beforehand, understands	
paperwork/evidence	the expectations are for the meeting or	what is expected educationally and pastorally.	
	paperwork involved		
Seeks views of others	No evidence of using others experience.	Speaks to ES regarding their views and utilises	
		others in training faculty as appropriate.	
Uses open and closed	Closed conversation, doesn't allow appraisee	Encourages conversation and allows appraisee	
questions in the appraisal	to speak. Superficial. Avoids difficult subjects.	to openly discuss in training and at home.	
session	Doesn't cover all appraisal domains.	Covers all appraisal domains.	
Gives appropriate and clear	No feedback, irrelevant or poorly delivered.	Offers bespoke and effective feedback to	
feedback	Appears uncomfortable or avoids difficult	trainee. Sensitive and empathetic. Ensures that	
	feedback.	feedback is given even if difficult.	
Listens to trainee views	Doesn't listen or pick up on non-verbal clues	Listens to appraisee, open and receptive	
Checks trainee	Doesn't check understanding. No	Ensures understanding and interpretation. Uses	
understanding and	acknowledgement that this could be	alternative explanations to help get message.	
interpretation of feedback	challenging. Unable to explain feedback	Mindful of sensitive issues and adapts to suit	
	effectively.	trainee.	
Helps trainee set personal	Unaware of appropriate objectives or doesn't	Clear understanding of areas to develop which	
objectives	set any	are appropriate to grade and behaviours	
Achieves appropriate	Doesn't close effectively – areas not	Manages meeting in time, achieving objectives.	
closure and next steps -	discussed or runs out of time. Appraisee	Appraisee clear about next steps and next	
including next meeting	unhappy without safety netting.	meeting date. Safety nets.	
Reflection	Has not demonstrated required learning or	Demonstrates understanding of performing an	
	reflection from process.	appraisal. Aware of challenges and identified	
		personal learning points.	

The assessor is asked to consider the learner's performance in all of the domains listed in completing this statement: "Based on this WPBA, I would be satisfied that this learner could perform an appraisal as a newly appointed consultant"

Yes	
No	
Signature	
GMC	
Date	

If no, these are the reasons and my recommendations for further work: