

CURRICULUM REVIEW

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Time	Topic
8.30 am – 8.45 am	Registration
8.45 am. – 9.00 am	Welcoming remark
9.00 am – 9.30 am	Overview of the curriculum review
9.30 am – 11.00 am	Malaysian Qualifications Framework (MQF 2.0)
11.00 am – 11.30 am	Morning break
11.30 am – 12.00 pm	Outcome Based Education (OBE) Vision, mission, PEO and PLO
12.00 pm – 12.45 pm	Course Learning Outcome Cognitive, Psychomotor and Affective Taxonomies
12.45 pm – 2.00 pm	Lunch and Zuhur prayer
2.00 pm – 5.00 pm	SLT calculation– common mistakes Table 4– What and Why Table 4– Do and don't
5.00 pm	End workshop

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- I want to know why I am doing this??
- This- preparing all the documents? Just to implement a medical curriculum

I am newbies in “my curriculum”

- Just to prepare my self to continue finishing all documents from my senior...

I am not newbies, but I was born form “other curriculum”..

- I want to know why current curriculum is more complex compare to my old days...

Curriculum review: Outline

- Pre workshop
 - Curriculum, OBE, MMC standard,
 - preparation
- During workshop
- Post workshop

What is curriculum?

Harden (2001) defines the curriculum as

“a sophisticated blend of educational strategies, course content, learning outcomes, educational experiences, assessment, the educational environment and the individual students' learning style, personal timetable and programme of work”

COPPA: Code of Practice for Programme Accreditation



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AREA 1

OBE: Vision, mission, PEO, PLO, CLO, LO
Table 4: Mapping, TLA, Content,
Constructive alignment

Programme Development and Delivery

AREA 2

Assessment of Student Learning

AREA 3

Student Selection and Support Services

AREA 4

Academic staff

AREA 5

Educational resources

AREA 6

Programme management

AREA 7

Programme Monitoring, Review and
Continual Quality Improvement

Curriculum design cycle

e.g. SPICES Model (Harden 1984)

PLAN

Curriculum structure is a dynamic interplay between content, pedagogy and assessment.

IMPLEMENTATION

EVALUATE

- Review the Programme
- Determine the success of the programme
- Update the Programme

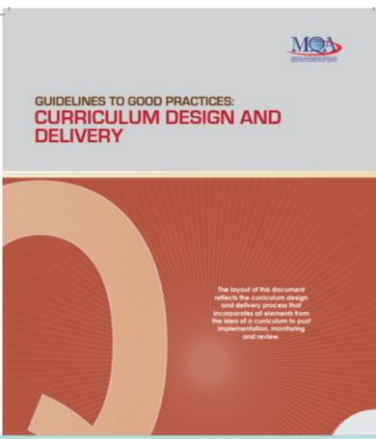
Ongoing, mid term review,
full term review

DEVELOP

PRE WORKSHOP

Curriculum (Review) Committee

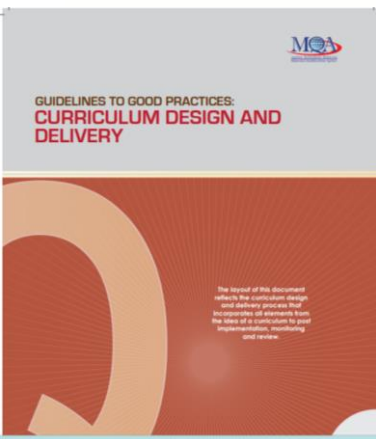
- A formal process of curriculum design involves a Curriculum Committee consisting of representatives that may include the academic and administrative staff of the HEP, government agencies, professional bodies and industries and other stakeholders.
- The Committee must be familiar with MQA and MOHE regulations on programme structures and admission requirements connected with the discipline or the field of study.



GUIDELINES TO GOOD PRACTICES: CURRICULUM DESIGN AND DELIVERY
MQA 2011

The curriculum must also conform to, among others:

- (a) the regulations and laws, that deal with educational programmes at the tertiary level (e.g. inclusion of the compulsory subjects stipulated by Act 555);
- (b) level of qualifications (MQF, Appendix 2), learning outcome domains (MQF, Paragraph 14) and Appendix 1 of this document: Eight MQF Learning Outcome Domains, student competencies (MQF, Appendix 1), and credit and academic load (MQF, Paragraphs 19-22);
- (c) professional body/industry requirements; and
- (d) internal / university policies and procedures.



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2. In Malaysia, the importance of the role of higher education and training institutions is to contribute to the nation's social, economic and political development through the production of quality citizens, a highly skilled and talented workforce and new knowledge has been unambiguously acknowledged. These developments have been guided broadly by the National Education Philosophy. Empowering the actualization of the policy is the Malaysia Education Blueprint 2015-2025 (Higher Education)¹ which outlines the strategies, plans, key performance indicators, responsible departments, institutions and agencies within a number of strong enabling legal frameworks. The Malaysian Qualifications Framework (MQF)² which was approved under the Malaysian Qualifications Agency (MQA) Act, 2007, has a key role within these complex arrangements, i.e. to set qualification standards for all qualifications in the higher education and training sectors.
3. The milestone decision agreed by all stakeholders was made in 2007, to develop a national qualifications framework and establish the MQF. The MQA Act 2007 sets MQF as an overarching framework for all post-secondary qualifications, with a set of objectives to be served and serviced by MQA. The Framework is 'development-oriented', and enabled by strong government policies and regulations, centrally mandated for MQF, its stakeholders and in partnership with higher education and training institutions.

¹ Ministry of Education Malaysia (2015), *Malaysia Education Blueprint 2015-2025 (Higher Education)*. Putrajaya, Malaysia.

² Malaysian Qualifications Agency (2007), *Malaysian Qualifications Framework*. Darulina Taq, Malaysia.



OBE Approaches

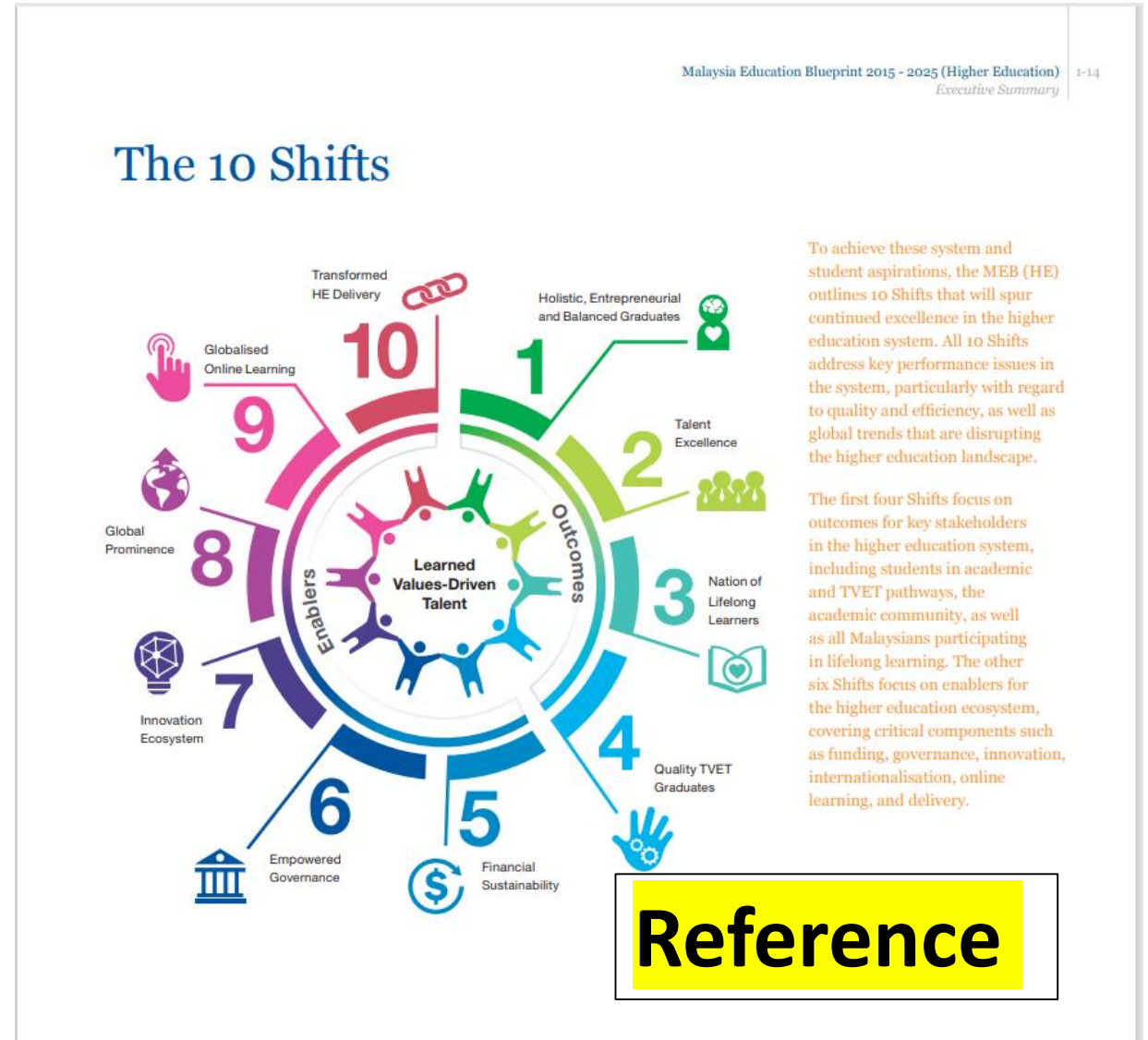
OBE is an approach of curriculum design that focuses on the end product, and defines what the learner is able to do.

A comprehensive approach to organizing and operating an education system that is focused and defined by the **successful demonstrations of learning sought from each student.**

(Spady, 1994)

Reference

The 10 shifts in MEB 205-2025



Kerangka Kurikulum Tersedia Masa Hadapan

Kerangka Kurikulum Tersedia Masa Hadapan merupakan model pembelajaran yang lentur dan organik bagi melahirkan graduan yang adaptif dan kalis masa hadapan seiring dengan cabaran abad ke-21.



Rajah 1: Kerangka Kurikulum Tersedia Masa Hadapan

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SECTION 2

CRITERIA AND STANDARDS FOR PROGRAMME ACCREDITATION

SECTION 2: CRITERIA AND STANDARDS FOR PROGRAMME ACCREDITATION

AREA 1: PROGRAMME DEVELOPMENT AND DELIVERY

1.1.	Statement of Educational Objectives of Academic Programme and Learning Outcomes
1.1.1.	<p>The medical school must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> have its programme to be consistent with, and supportive of, the vision, mission and goals of the medical school. in its mission, outline the aims and the educational strategy resulting in a competent medical doctor. have a mission that encompasses the health needs of the community, the needs of the health care delivery system and other aspects of social accountability.
1.1.2.	A new medical programme shall be considered only after a needs assessment has indicated that there is a need for the programme to be offered.
1.1.3.	<p>The medical school must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> state its programme educational objectives, programme learning outcomes, teaching and learning strategies, and assessment, and ensure constructive alignment among them. define the programme learning outcomes that students should exhibit upon graduation in relation to their achievements regarding knowledge, skills, and attitudes; the appropriate foundation for a future career in any branch of medicine; their future roles in the health sector; their commitment to life-long learning; the health needs of the community and the needs of the health care delivery system.
1.1.4.	<p>The programme learning outcomes must correspond to the Malaysian Qualifications Framework (MQF) level descriptors at Level 6 and the five clusters of MQF learning outcomes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Knowledge and understanding Cognitive skills Functional work skills with focus on: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Practical Skills Interpersonal skills Communication skills Digital skills Numeracy skills Leadership, autonomy and responsibility

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Constructive alignment, Total credit hour

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Programme management

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Programme Monitoring, Review and
Continual Quality Improvement

A few update in MMC standard 2020

MMC CR-01**(Curriculum Review Undergraduate Medical Programme)****Requirement to submit MMC CR-01:**

Medical school is required to submit database using MMC CR-01 form when the curriculum review involved major changes as shown below:

Criteria for Major and Minor Curriculum Review:

Item	Minor	Major
Change in Visions, Missions and Objectives		
Change in Higher Education Provider's Visions, Missions and Objectives		✓
Change in PEOs, PLOs and CLOs		
Editorial change in Programme Educational Objectives (PEO)	✓	
Change in number or learning domains of Programme Educational Objectives (PEO)		✓
Editorial change in Programme Learning Outcomes (PLO)	✓	
Change in number or learning domains of Programme Learning Outcomes (PLO)		✓
Editorial change in Course Learning Outcomes (CLO) (core subjects)	✓	
Change in number or learning domains of Course Learning Outcomes (CLO) for core subjects more than 30% from total CLO		✓
Change in Curriculum Structure		
Change in curriculum structure (e.g from traditional curriculum to integrated curriculum, PBL based etc)		✓

Change in number of years of study (e.g from 6 to 5 years)		✓
Change in total number of graduating credit		✓
Change in sequence of core subjects offered without any change in credit hour e.g. changing the course offered in Year 1 to Year 2	✓	
Change of programme content (core subject) >30%		✓
Change in Teaching and Learning Activity		
Changing from face-to-face to online delivery (theory component) limited to not more than 50%.	✓	
Changing from face-to-face to online delivery (clinical component)		✓
Change in Assessment Strategy		
Change in preclinical assessment method without any change of credit hours (core subjects)	✓	
Change in clinical assessment without any change of credit hours (core subjects) (e.g. from long case and short case to OSCE) **Must adhere strictly to the current guidelines issued by Malaysian Medical Council	✓	
Adding or Removing the number of major examinations <i>Major examination is examination that determine student's progression to the next year of study.</i>		✓

SECTION 4: Core Competencies

[Approved by Council on 21st May 2020]

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DISCIPLINE: INTERNAL MEDICINE

Clinical Problems and Diseases: Level Descriptors

Level	Descriptors
1	Aware of the condition based on literature at the level of overview
2	Able to make provisional diagnosis based on Physical examination and basic investigations. Refer to the relevant specialist
3	Able to make provisional diagnosis based on Physical examination and basic investigations. Initiate initial treatment Refer to the relevant specialist
4	Able to make diagnosis based on Physical examination and basic investigations. Manage and solve the problem

1. List of Problems/Presentation

System: Respiratory

No	Problem (Respiratory)	Level
1	Haemoptysis	4
2	Cough	4
3	Stridor	4
4	Breathlessness	4

System: Gastroenterology

No	Problem (Gastroenterology)	Level
1	Anorexia	4
2	Vomiting	4
3	Diarrhoea	4

Development of Core Competencies

- i. **List problems:** common problems that graduates will encounter both at **individual** and **community**
- ii. **List of diseases**
- iii. **List of clinical skills-** clinical skills that a graduate should be able to perform (History, Physical Examination and procedures)

Arrangement of posting- exposures, contents,
assessment

APPENDIX 7

MINIMUM NUMBER OF ACADEMIC STAFF FOR EACH DISCIPLINE

Minimum number of academic staff for each discipline

For a school that is starting a new programme, there should be sufficient academic staff to support the first 2 (TWO) years of the programme. There must be a minimum of One (1) lecturer for each major discipline.

For the implementation of clinical phase, the minimum number of lecturers are as below:

Single intake per year

- *Major Discipline (Internal Medicine, Surgery, Orthopaedics, O&G and Paediatrics) – 2 Lecturers for each discipline*
- *Minor Discipline – 1 Lecturer for each discipline*

Two intake per year

- *Major Discipline (Internal Medicine, Surgery, Orthopaedics, O&G and Paediatrics) – 4 Lecturers for each discipline*
- *Minor Discipline – 2 Lecturers for each discipline*

[Approved by Council on 22nd June 2021]

APPENDIX 9

GUIDELINE TO CALCULATE FULL- TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE)

Guideline to Calculate Full-time Equivalent (FTE)

Full-time staff workload

Normal Working hours 40 hrs/week (8hrs x 5 days)

Part-Time staff

Preparation time

1 hour Bedside teaching: add 1 hour preparation time

1 hour Lecture: add 2 hours preparation time

Example 1: One part-time lecturer teaching 5 hours bedside/week

5 hours bedside teaching + 5 hrs preparation = 10 hrs/week

FTE = $10/40 = 0.25$

Example 2: One part-time lecturer teaching 4 hours bedside/week and 1 hour Lecture/week

4 hours BST + 1 hour lecture: $(4+4) + (1+2) = 11\text{hrs/week}$

FTE = $11/40 = 0.275$

[Approved by Council on 25th May 2021]

Table 2: Components of the programme and its credit value

Minimum Graduating Credit: 200

	Course Classification		Minimum Credit Value	Existing Credit Value	Propose Credit Value
1.	<i>Compulsory courses/modules*</i>		10		
2.	Core Courses	• Basic Sciences	60		
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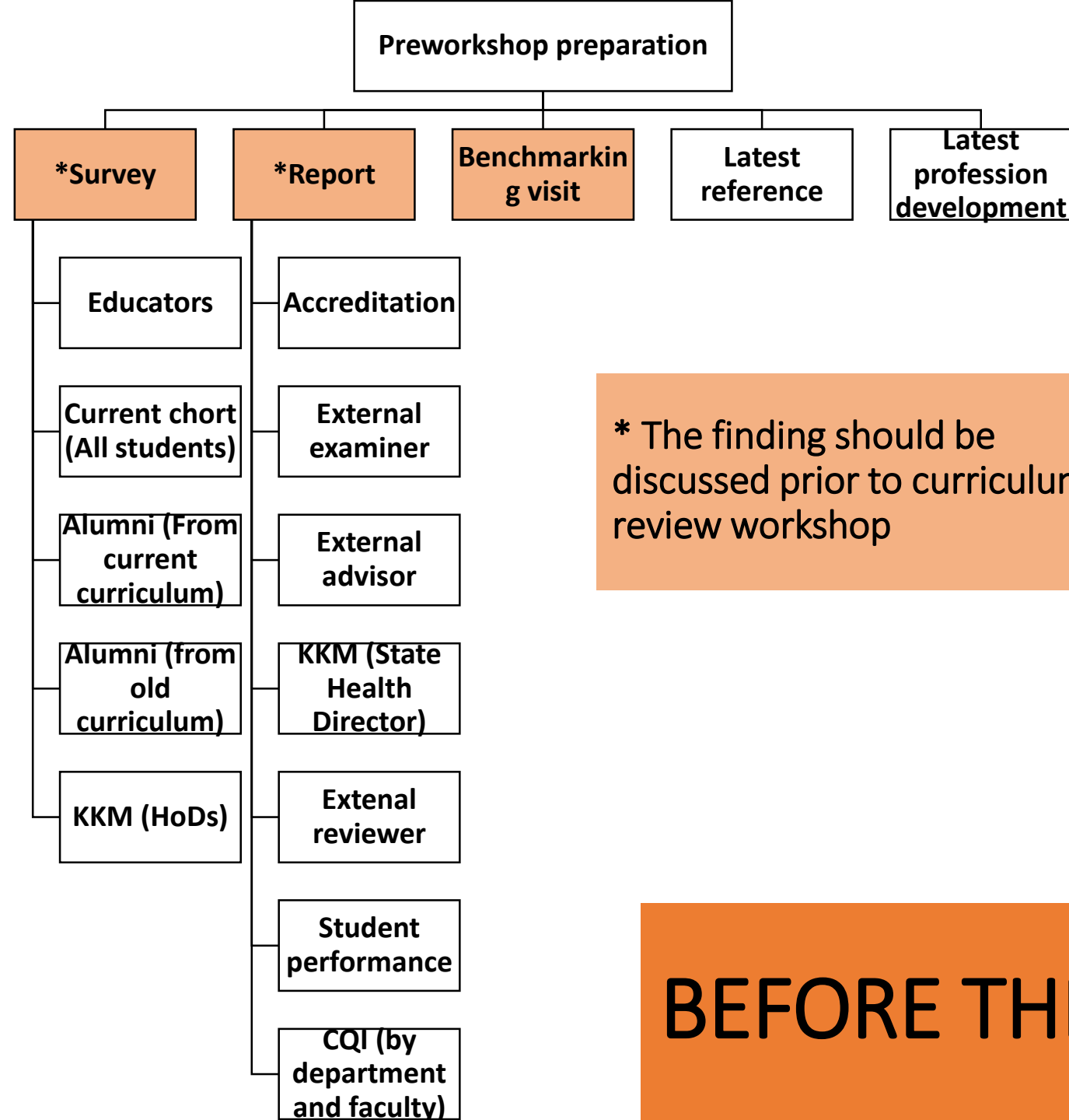
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Curriculum content and structure is kept abreast with current development in the field of study.

- Interprofessional education/learning
- Patient safety
- Digital health
- Patient centered approach



* The finding should be discussed prior to curriculum review workshop

BEFORE THE WORKSHOP

DURING THE WORKSHOP

- Presentation, group work, group presentation, conclusion
- Possibility of follow up workshop
- Stakeholder invitation (*may involve presentation)
 - *Students
 - *Parents
 - Alumni
 - Community- *selected NGOs
 - *MOH
 - *MMC
 - MQA

43.	Stakeholders	A person, group or organization that has interest or concern in an organization. This includes all parties that are directly affected by the success or failure of an educational system, as well as those indirectly affected
44.	Stakeholders: Principal Stakeholders	Include the dean, the faculty board / council, the curriculum committee, representatives of staff and students, alumni, the university leadership and administration, relevant governmental authorities and regulatory bodies.
45.	Stakeholders: Other Stakeholders	Include representatives of other health professions, patients, the community and public (e.g. users of the health care delivery systems, including patient organisations). Other stakeholders would also include other representatives of academic and administrative staff, education and health care authorities, professional organisations, medical scientific societies and postgraduate medical educators.



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**POST
WORKSHOP**

**SECTION 6
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Part B MQA

PART B: PROGRAMME DESCRIPTION

1. Name of the programme (as in the scroll to be awarded):

Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (M. B., B. S.)
Ijazah Sarjana Muda Perubatan dan Pembedahan

2. MQF level:

6

3. Graduating credit: (as stated in the licence and new graduating credit)

The current curriculum has 216 graduating credits. In the approval letter from MOHE, the number of graduating credits is stated as "Memenuhi keperluan jam kredit yang ditetapkan oleh Majlis Perubatan Malaysia"

The new curriculum has 213 graduating credits

4. Has this programme been accredited by MQA for other premises?

If yes, please provide the following details:

No.

No.	Name and Location of the Premises (main campus / branch campuses / regional centre)	Mode of Delivery	Accreditation Status
			Full
1.	NIL		
2.			
3.			

5. Type of award (e.g., single major, double major, etc.):

Bachelor's Degree

6. Field of study and National Education Code (NEC):

NEC 0912

7. Language of instruction:

8.

i) Type of programme (e.g., own, collaboration, external, joint award / joint degree, etc.)

Own.

ii) Mode of study:

Full time.

iii) Frequency of curriculum review:

Every FIVE (5) years and as and when required.

iv) Date of last review:

This is the first major curriculum review for the MBBS program. This major curriculum review took place from 2021/2022 and was completed in April 2022.

Reviews before this were minor reviews carried out throughout the years especially during 2020 and 2021 to accommodate to the Movement Control Order during the COVID-19 pandemic. The last minor review was carried out in 2021.

v) Briefly summarise the major changes in the previous curriculum review

There were no major changes in the previous curriculum review as this is the first major curriculum review for the MBBS program. Previous reviews in 2020 and 2021 mainly involved changes in the curriculum to accommodate the Movement Control Order during the COVID-19 pandemic. Some of these changes include adaptations in the mode of delivery and adaptations in methods of assessment during MCO.

vi) Duration of study

The table below summarised the number of weeks, semesters and years for the new curriculum.

	Full time	
	Long semester	Short semester

Part C MQA

Please submit the completed documents to MQA. The documents should include but not limited to:

1. Table of Content;
2. List of appendices (if relevant);
3. Summary of major changes and its rational
4. Answers to all questions in Area 1 and Area 2. For each question, highlight changes made to the proposed new curriculum and its justifications.;
5. Table 3.1 should include differences in learning outcomes, curricular contents and assessment of students learning- where relevant.;
6. Existing and proposed Table 4;
7. Feedback from stakeholders - Summarise the findings and relate the input from stakeholders that were taken in the development of the proposed new curriculum.;
8. Verification by the HEP Quality Unit; and
9. Approval by the University Senate

their academic performance to ensure that they have sufficient time to undertake remedial measures.

- c) How are results made available to the students for purposes of feedback on performance, review and corrective measures?
- d) Specify whether students have the right to appeal. Provide information on the appeal policy and processes. How are appeals dealt with?
- e) Explain the mechanism to review and implement new methods of assessment. Explain the processes in making changes to the assessment method.

2.2.4. How are the changes in assessment made known to the students?

2.3. Management of Student Assessment

- 2.3.1. Explain the roles, rights and power of the medical school and the academic staff in the management of student assessment.
- 2.3.2. Describe how the confidentiality and security of student assessment documents as well as academic records are ensured.
- 2.3.3. Explain how and when continuous and final assessments results are made available to students.
- 2.3.4. What guidelines and mechanisms on students' appeal against course results are in place?
- 2.3.5. Explain how the medical school periodically reviews the management of student assessment and measures it take to address the issues highlighted by the review.

ANY OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION RELATES TO THE REVISED CURRICULUM (Example- staff development programme, bench marking visit to other institution etc)

Part C MQA

- **Most** of the questions in **AREA 1** and **AREA 2** are identical with MQA 02

4. Answers to all questions in Area 1 and Area 2. For each question, highlight changes made to the proposed new curriculum and its justifications.;

1.2.2. Describe the processes involved in reviewing the curriculum and the procedure to approve the revised curriculum.

1.2.3. a) Who and how are the stakeholders consulted in the curriculum review?

b) Explain the involvement of educational experts (medical educationist) in this curriculum review.

Table 2: Components of the programme and its credit value

Minimum Graduating Credit: 200

	Course Classification		Minimum Credit Value	Existing Credit Value	Propose Credit Value
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2.	Core Courses	• Basic Sciences	60		
		• Clinical training • Projects • Dissertation	110		
3.	Optional/Elective courses**		2		
4.	Others (specify)				

Note:* Compulsory courses/modules refers to *Mata Pelajaran Umum* (MPU) and other courses required by the HEP.

** Optional/elective courses refer to courses where students can exercise choice.

- c) Provide a brief description for each course offered in the programme.
Please arrange the courses by year and semester as in Table 3.

Table 3: Brief description of courses offered in the programme

No.	Semester/ Year Offered	Name and Code of Course	Classification (Compulsory Major/Minor/ Elective)	Credit Value	Programme Learning Outcomes (PLO)					Prerequis ite/ co- requisite	Name(s) of Academi c Staff
					PLO1	PLO2	PLO3	PLO4	PLO5		
1.											
2.											
3.											
4.											
5.											
6.											
7.											

8.											
9.											
10											

- d) Indicate new courses introduced in the revised curriculum as well as courses in the existing curriculum that has been removed.

Table 3.1: Comparison between the existing curriculum and the proposed revised curriculum

	Existing Curriculum	Proposed (New) Curriculum	Justification for the changes
1.			
2.			
4.			
5.			

- e) Provide the information for each course as existing Table 4 and proposed Table 4.

Table 4: Course information (a template in Excel format is provided separately for HEP to fill in. Please download the latest version from MQA website)

1.	Name and Code of Course:
2.	Synopsis:
3.	Name(s) of academic staff:
4.	Semester and year offered:
5.	Credit value:
6.	Prerequisite/co-requisite (if any):

Table 3.1

Criteria for Major and Minor Curriculum Review:

Item	Existing	Proposed
Change in Visions, Missions and Objectives		
Change in Higher Education Provider's Visions, Missions and Objectives		
Change in PEOs, PLOs and CLOs		
Editorial change in Programme Educational Objectives (PEO)		
Change in number or learning domains of Programme Educational Objectives (PEO)		
Editorial change in Programme Learning Outcomes (PLO)		
Change in number or learning domains of Programme Learning Outcomes (PLO)		
Editorial change in Course Learning Outcomes (CLO) (core subjects)		
Change in number or learning domains of Course Learning Outcomes (CLO) for core subjects more than 30% from total CLO		
Change in Curriculum Structure		
Change in curriculum structure (e.g from traditional curriculum to integrated curriculum, PBL based etc)		

Justification
for the
changes

Change in number of years of study (e.g from 6 to 5 years)		
Change in total number of graduating credit		
Change in sequence of core subjects offered without any change in credit hour e.g. changing the course offered in Year 1 to Year 2		
Change of programme content (core subject) >30%		
Change in Teaching and Learning Activity		
Changing from face-to-face to online delivery (theory component) limited to not more than 50%.		
Changing from face-to-face to online delivery (clinical component)		
Change in Assessment Strategy		
Change in preclinical assessment method without any change of credit hours (core subjects)		
Change in clinical assessment without any change of credit hours (core subjects) (e.g. from long case and short case to OSCE) **Must adhere strictly to the current guidelines issued by Malaysian Medical Council		
Adding or Removing the number of major examinations <i>Major examination is examination that determine student's progression to the next year of study.</i>		



Area of change	Existing Curriculum	Proposed (New) Curriculum	Justifications/ Remarks
Change in PEOs, PLOs, AND CLOs			
Programme Educational Objectives (PEO)	7 PEOs	4 PEOs	
Program learning outcomes (PLO)	11 PLOs	11 PLOs	
Course Learning Outcomes			
Total Course Learning Outcomes	Total CLOs are	Total CLOs are	
Change in curriculum structure			
Total graduating credits			
Change in sequence of core subjects without any change in credit hour			
Change of the program content			
Number of total weeks (including revision & exams/ excluding break and remedial)			Realignment of number of weeks for each academic year to meet program standards and to ensure each academic year does not exceed 46 weeks. Appendix 1.2.4iv Academic calendar for current and new curriculum
Changes in teaching and learning method			
Teaching and learning method			
Changes in assessment method			
Assessment methods	No changes		

Example Table 3.1

APPENDIX 10

Table 4

EVALUATION FORM

Appendix 10

Table 4 Evaluation Form (For POA only) to be submitted with full report

Name of Program & Program Code:	
Faculty/School:	
Name of Panel Assessor:	

Guideline for POA:

1. Arrangement of courses must tally with Table 3
2. Synopsis: Brief summary of the course, teaching-learning approaches and assessment.
3. Course Learning Outcomes (CLO) are statements on what a student should know, understand and can do upon the completion of the course. The action verbs should match the learning domain (C 1-6, P1-7 or A1-5) and at the appropriate level.
4. Mapping of Course Learning Outcomes (CLO) to relevant Programme Learning Outcomes (PLO) and students should have the opportunity to learned and being assessed.
5. Student Learning Time (SLT) is the amount of time that a student is expected to spend on the teaching-learning activities, including assessment to achieve the CLO. The estimation of SLT should consider the difficulty level, time required by students to perform self-study and practice. Use SLT estimation guideline in Appendix 3

No	Item 1: Name of the Course and code ¹	Item 2: Synopsis ²	Item 4: Year and Semester match with Table 3	Item 7: CLO ³	Item 8: Mapping ⁴ (i) CLO to PLO, TL & Assessment (ii) CLO to MQF Cluster of LO	Item 10: Course Content Outline & Subtopics	Item 10: Teaching-learning activities, assessment and SLT ⁵	Item 11 & 12: Special requirements & References	Others: e.g. - pre-requisite (Please specify)	Remarks
1										
2										
3										
4										
5										

Thank you



Malaysian Qualifications Framework (MQF)

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MALAYSIAN QUALIFICATIONS FRAMEWORK (MQF) 2nd EDITION



Outline

- ☐ What
- ☐ How
- ☐ Who
- ☐ When
- ☐ Why
- ☐ What if
- ☐ What is inside MQF

What is MQF?

16. The framework is defined as *'...an instrument that develops and classifies qualifications based on a set of criteria that is agreed nationally and benchmarked with international practices, and which clarifies the academic levels learning outcomes and credit system based on student academic load'*. (MQF, 2007). It is an intended as a comprehensive, overarching and integrated national qualifications framework. The Framework provides a set of levels and descriptors covering all sectors, which uses the set of levels and outcomes with the intention to bring progression and pathways together, and accommodate all forms of learning. They are related to study and/or work context to make it applicable for academic and TVET type qualifications and purposes.

How they develop MQF?

2. In Malaysia, the importance of the role of higher education and training institutions is to contribute to the nation's social, economic and political development through the production of quality citizens, a highly skilled and talented workforce and new knowledge has been unambiguously acknowledged. These developments have been guided broadly by the National Education Philosophy. Empowering the actualization of the policy is the Malaysia Education Blueprint 2015-2025 (Higher Education)¹ which outlines the strategies, plans, key performance indicators, responsible departments, institutions and agencies within a number of strong enabling

MQA and MQF

Roles and responsibilities of Malaysian Qualifications Agency

14. MQA derives its powers from an Act of Parliament (Act 679) which gives it powers to implement the Malaysian Qualifications Framework, to accredit higher educational programmes and qualifications, to supervise and regulate the quality and standards of higher education providers, to establish and maintain the Malaysian Qualifications Register and to provide for related matters. Thus it proposes, advises, guides, administers and regulates the higher education and training sectors with specific reference to quality assurance.

Role of MQA

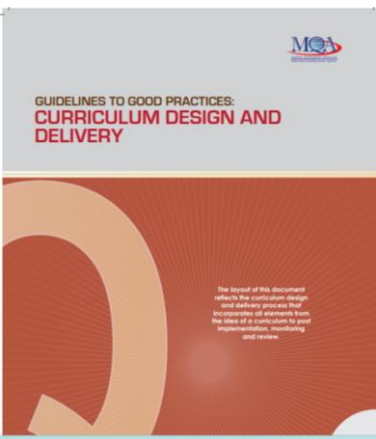
15. The main protocol mandated is the implementation of the MQF through subsection 35(1) *“The Agency shall be responsible for the implementation of the national framework to be known as the ‘Malaysian Qualifications Framework’, consisting of qualifications, programmes and higher education providers based on a set of criteria and standards, including learning outcomes achieved and credits based on students’ academic load.”* (MQA Act 679, 2007).

When is the MQF be implemented?

Frameworks are only as good as the vigour with which they are applied. This requires the full support and cooperation of all those actively involved in the promotion and sustenance of the systems. This will include government, policy makers and higher education providers. MQA has full confidence that this will be done, just as it was done when the first edition of the MQF was introduced in 2007 and implemented in 2011.

The curriculum must also conform to, among others:

- (a) the regulations and laws, that deal with educational programmes at the tertiary level (e.g. inclusion of the compulsory subjects stipulated by Act 555);
- (b) level of qualifications (MQF, Appendix 2), learning outcome domains (MQF, Paragraph 14) and Appendix 1 of this document: Eight MQF Learning Outcome Domains, student competencies (MQF, Appendix 1), and credit and academic load (MQF, Paragraphs 19-22);
- (c) professional body/industry requirements; and
- (d) internal / university policies and procedures.



GUIDELINES TO GOOD PRACTICES: CURRICULUM DESIGN AND DELIVERY MQA 2011

Why I must use MQF as a guideline?

2. MALAYSIAN QUALIFICATIONS FRAMEWORK AND QUALITY ASSURANCE SYSTEM

10. MQF is an integral part of the QA practice of MQA. The programme design, objectives and learning outcomes, teaching, learning and assessment methodologies, support resources and systems for delivery and improvement are embedded in the quality assurance standards. Learning outcomes are verified and evaluated when higher education providers (HEPs) submit their programmes for provisional accreditation, full accreditation and continuous maintenance through the periodic audit cycles. (COPPA)

Should I follow MQF ?

4. All programmes and qualifications within the higher education and training sectors are expected to be in compliance with the MQF as required by relevant national policies since 2011. This Framework is the instrument which sets national classifications of qualifications, levels of learning achievements based on learning outcomes, prescribed academic load at each level and is associated with the title of a named qualification. *“No programme will be accredited unless it is in compliance with the Framework”* as set in the legislation. The legislation underpins the quality assurance (QA) system practised by MQA, and acting as the guardian and custodian of MQF.

What happen if my program is not accreditate?

Malaysian Qualifications Register

12. All accredited qualifications are registered on the Malaysian Qualifications Register (MQR). Basic information of the qualifications, programmes and awarding institutions are stated in the Register to assist students and other parties, local and abroad, to obtain key information of a programme.

What is inside MQF?

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Malaysian Qualifications Framework (MQF) 2nd Edition

MQF Level	Minimum Graduating Credit	Academic Sector	TVET Sector
8	No credit rating	PhD by Research	
	80	Doctoral Degree by Mixed Mode & Coursework	
7	No credit rating	Master's by Research	
	40	Master's by Mixed Mode & Coursework	
	30	Postgraduate Diploma	
	20	Postgraduate Certificate	
6	120	Bachelor's degree	
	66*	Graduate Diploma	
	36*	Graduate Certificate	
5	40	Advanced Diploma	5
4	90	Diploma	4
3	60	Certificate	3
2	30	Certificate	2
1	15	Certificate	1

* Inclusive of 6 credits from general studies subjects.

Five domains/clusters of learning outcomes

Knowledge and
understanding

C
1

Ethics and
professionalism

C
5

Cognitive skills

C
2

Personal and
entrepreneurial skills

C
4

Functional
work skills

C
3


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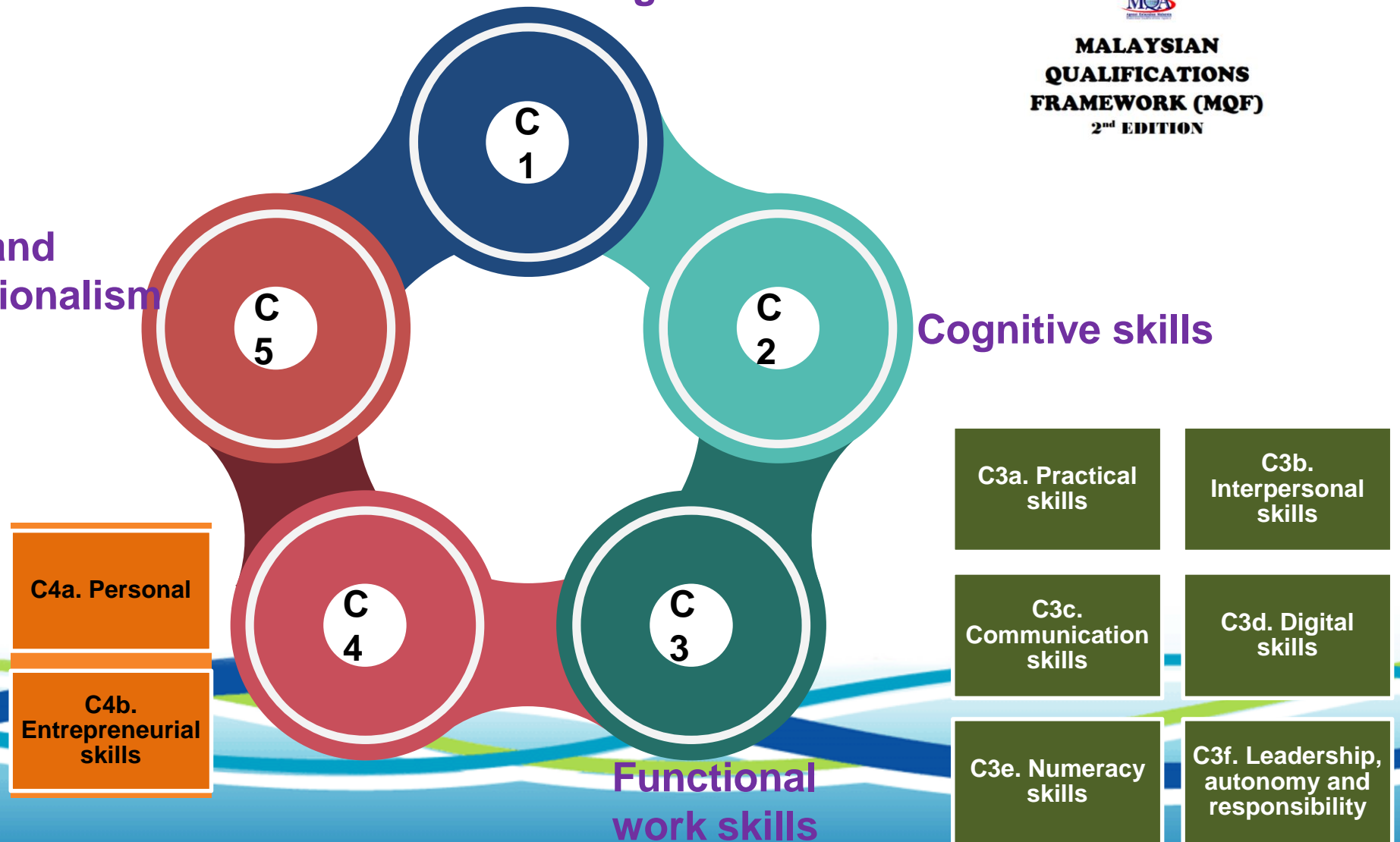
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**MALAYSIAN
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Level of descriptor

QF LEVEL	Summary of Learners' Profile	CLUSTER 1: Knowledge and Understanding	CLUSTER 2: Cognitive skills	CLUSTER 3: FUNCTIONAL WORK SKILLS				CLUSTER 4: Personal and entrepreneurial skills	CLUSTER 5: Ethics and Professionalism
				Practical skills	Interpersonal and Communication Skills	Digital and Numeracy Skills	Leadership, Autonomy and Responsibility		
6 ELOR UATE IFICATE/ DMA	Learners will demonstrate a thorough comprehension of broad based and coherent body of knowledge and skills for para and full professional work embedding research, innovation and creativity in specialized areas. Demonstrate professionalism, resilience commitment to an ethical work culture, sustainability issues and an awareness of global citizenship in alignment with national aspirations.	Describe advanced and comprehensive, theoretical and technical knowledge and demonstrate relevant skills in a specialized field, or of a multidisciplinary nature related to the field of study, work and/or practice	Demonstrate intellectual independence in the application of knowledge within specific field(s) by applying critical, analytical and evaluation skills in the field of study/work/practice.	Apply a range of essential methods and procedures to solving a broad range of complex problems. Review, make adjustments and supervise related practices and processes	Convey ideas both in written or oral forms using appropriate and different forms of presentation, confidently, accurately and coherently in appropriate context in a well-structured manner to a diversity of audiences.	Use a broad range of information, media and technology applications to support study and/or work. Use and combine numerical and graphical/visual data for study/work.	Work autonomously, and show leadership and professionalism in managing responsibilities within broad organizational parameters. Undertake significant levels of work related responsibilities or others as well as self. Demonstrate decision making capacities and professionalism by working towards pre-determined goals and outcomes Demonstrate accountabilities, especially in professional fields.	Engage effectively in self-directed lifelong learning and professional pathways. Demonstrate entrepreneurial competency with selected project(s). Demonstrate an appreciation of broader socio-political economic and cultural issues at local/national and regional level.	Demonstrate adherence, and ability to identify ethical issues, make decision ethically, and act professionally within the varied social and professional environment and practice. Demonstrate a deep familiarity and knowledge of local and global issues relating to science, technology, business, social and environmental issues.

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Outcome Based Education

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Outline

- ❑ Definition of OBE
- ❑ The Principles of OBE
- ❑ Curriculum mapping (MQF 2.0, PEO, PLO, CLO)
- ❑ Linkages between LO, TLA and assessment
(Constructive alignment)



Evidence

based

Medicine

Outcome

based

Education

What is OBE?



It's Not What We Teach,
It's What **The Students Learn**

What is OBE?

OBE is education based on producing particular educational outcomes that:

- focuses on what students can actually do after they are taught;
- expect all learners/students to successfully achieve particular (sometimes minimum) level of knowledge and abilities.



Outcome based education

“An outcome is a culminating demonstration of learning; it is what the student should be able to do at the end of the course”

Spady 1993



AMEE Guide No. 14: Outcome-based education: Part 1-An introduction to outcome-based education

R. M. HARDEN

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Abstract

Outcome-based education, a performance-based approach at the cutting edge of curriculum development, offers a powerful and appealing way of reforming and managing medical education. The emphasis is on the product-what sort of doctor will be produced-rather than on the educational process. In outcome-based

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OBJECTIVES vs OUTCOMES

Objectives

Objectives describe WHAT A TEACHER NEEDS TO DO TO TEACH, AND WHAT NEEDS TO BE PLANNED TO TEACH.

Objectives require the use of BASIC THINKING SKILLS SUCH AS KNOWLEDGE, COMPREHENSION, AND APPLICATION.

Objectives DO NOT NECESSARILY RESULT IN A PRODUCT. OFTEN, THEY ARE SYNTHESIZED OR COMBINED TO PRODUCE SOMETHING THAT MEASURES AN OUTCOME.

Outcomes

Outcomes describes WHAT STUDENTS SHOULD KNOW, UNDERSTAND AND CAN DO UPON THE COMPLETION OF A STUDY PERIOD.

Outcomes require the use of HIGHER THINKING SKILLS SUCH AS ANALYSIS, SYNTHESIS, AND EVALUATION (as described in Bloom's Taxonomy)

Outcomes result in a PRODUCT THAT CAN BE MEASURED AND ASSESSED.

Paradigm Shift in the Education

TE

- From teacher-centered (TCL)
- Traditional teaching teacher owns” the knowledge and convey it to the students.
- Teacher brings the content and the answers into the classroom/ training room with him / her

OBE

- to a student-centered (SCL)
- SCL Based teaching : students (trainee) to learn as much as possible.
- teacher as a coach who asks questions and provides guidelines for the acquisition of knowledge

STUDENT CENTRED

Teacher-centred (Teaching activities)

- Lecture
- Tutorial
- Demonstration
- Simulation
- Material: Class notes

STUDENT-CENTRED (LEARNING ACTIVITIES)

- PBL
- TBL
- Role play
- Presentation
- Interaction: offline (meeting), online (forum)
- Interactive learning material (digital based)

Development Of Outcomes-based Education

Acquisition of a group of skills that bring about competence in specific field, which is assessed against pre-set benchmarks mostly defined by industry

Competency-based Education

Outcomes-based Education

Demonstration of acquired generic skills in different contexts, that are assessed against pre-set criteria agreed upon by all stakeholders

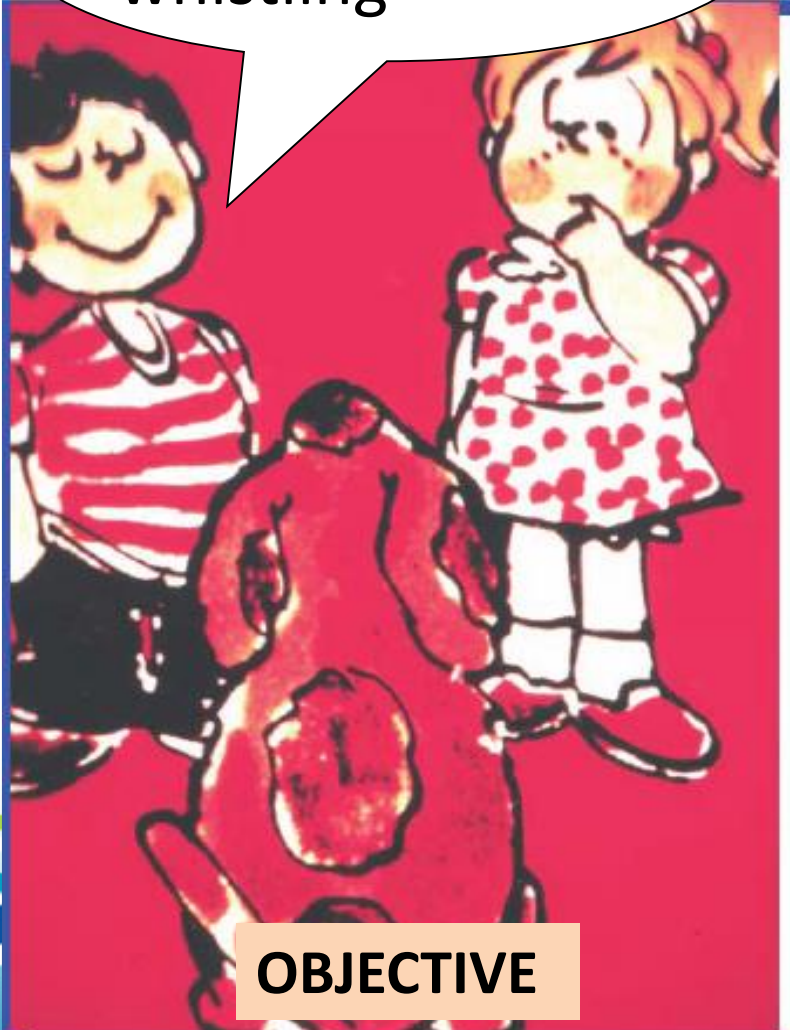
(Robert E. Gerber, 1997)

Mastery Learning

Acquisition of cognitive, affective and psychomotor skills under appropriate conditions

Principles of OBE

I taught him
whistling

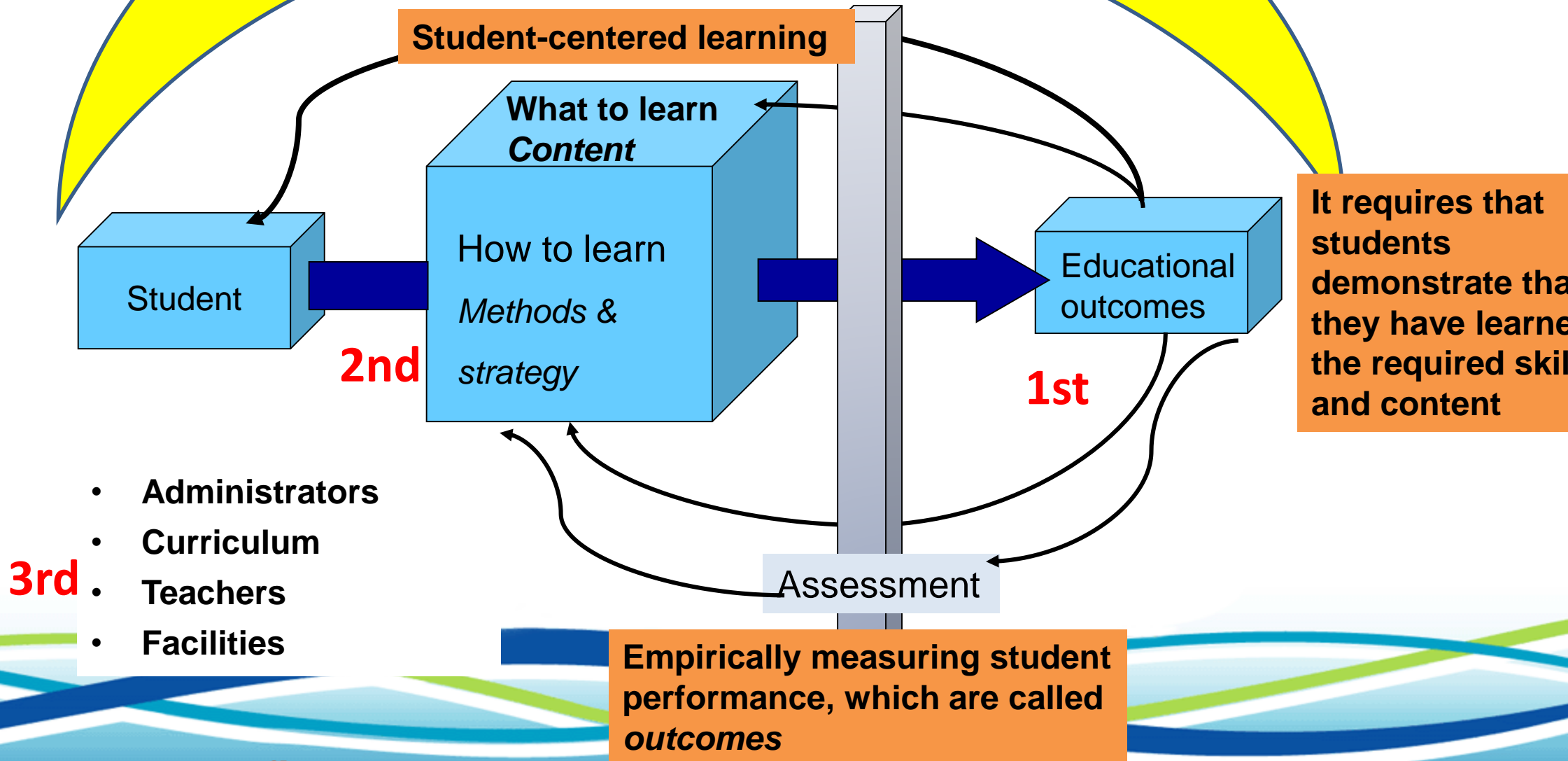


I CAN'T
HEAR HIM
WHISTLING





Source: Ronald Harden



Assessment

The curriculum instructs teachers what to teach;
The exam instruct students what to learn

Donald Meinick, 1991

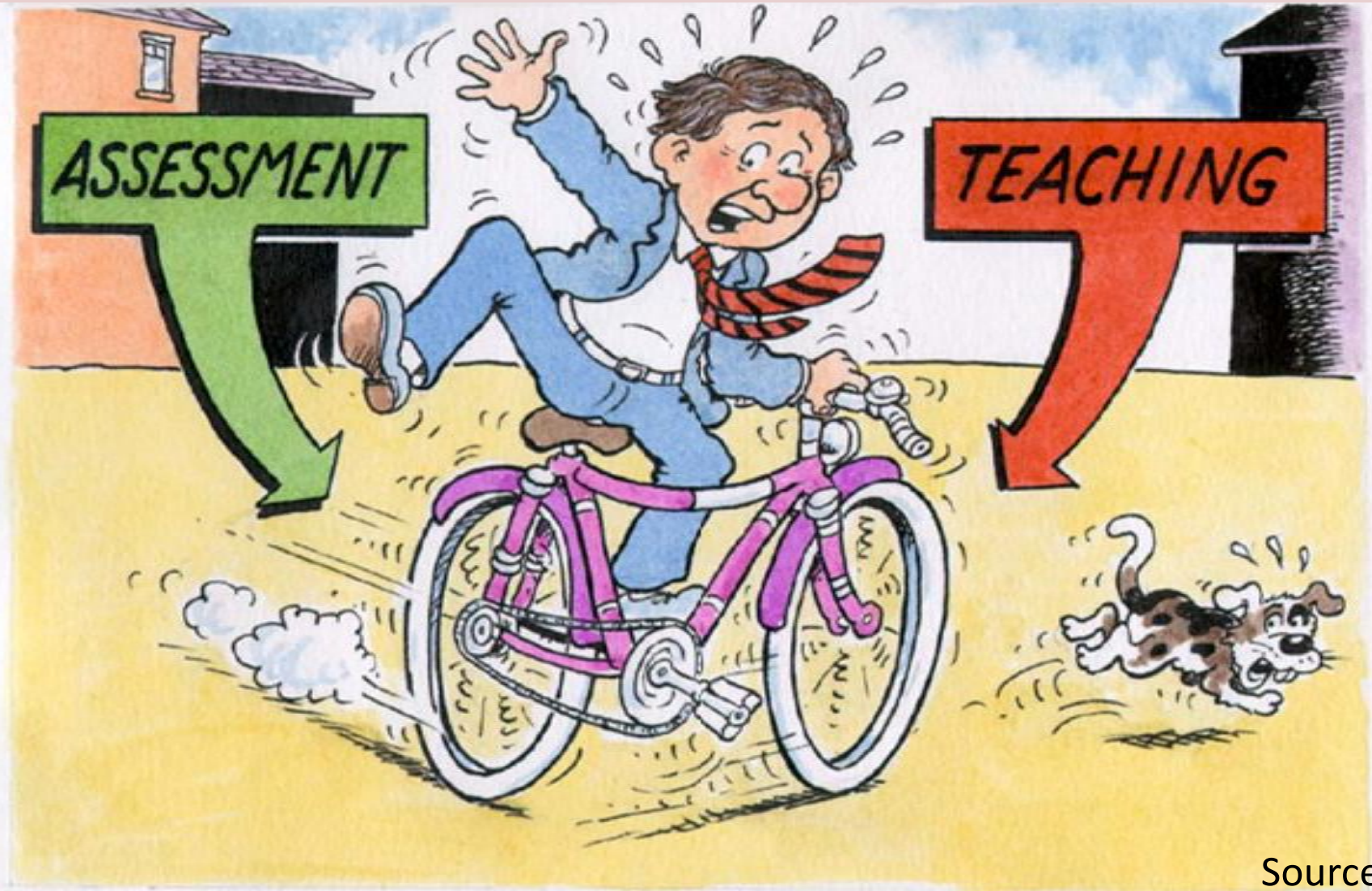
Assessment

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Learning

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Teaching

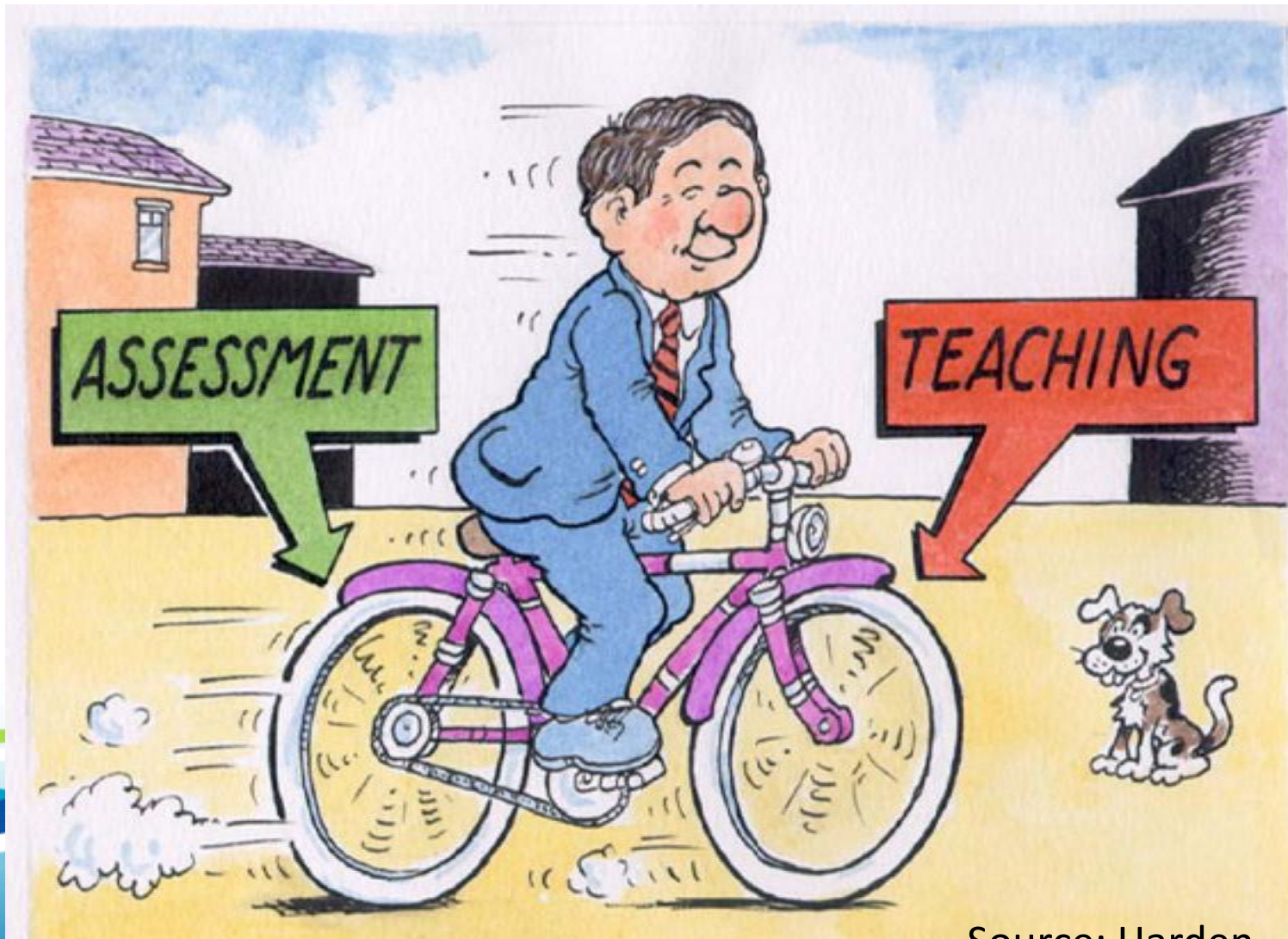


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Assessment

Learning

Teaching



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Lecturer-Centred to Student-Centred

(incorporating SLT)

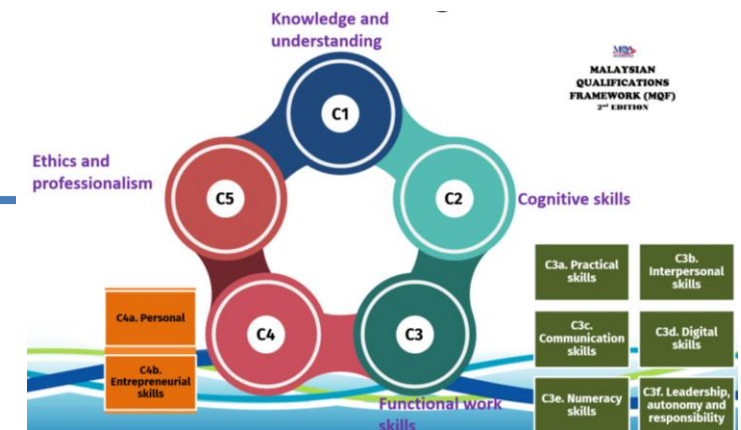
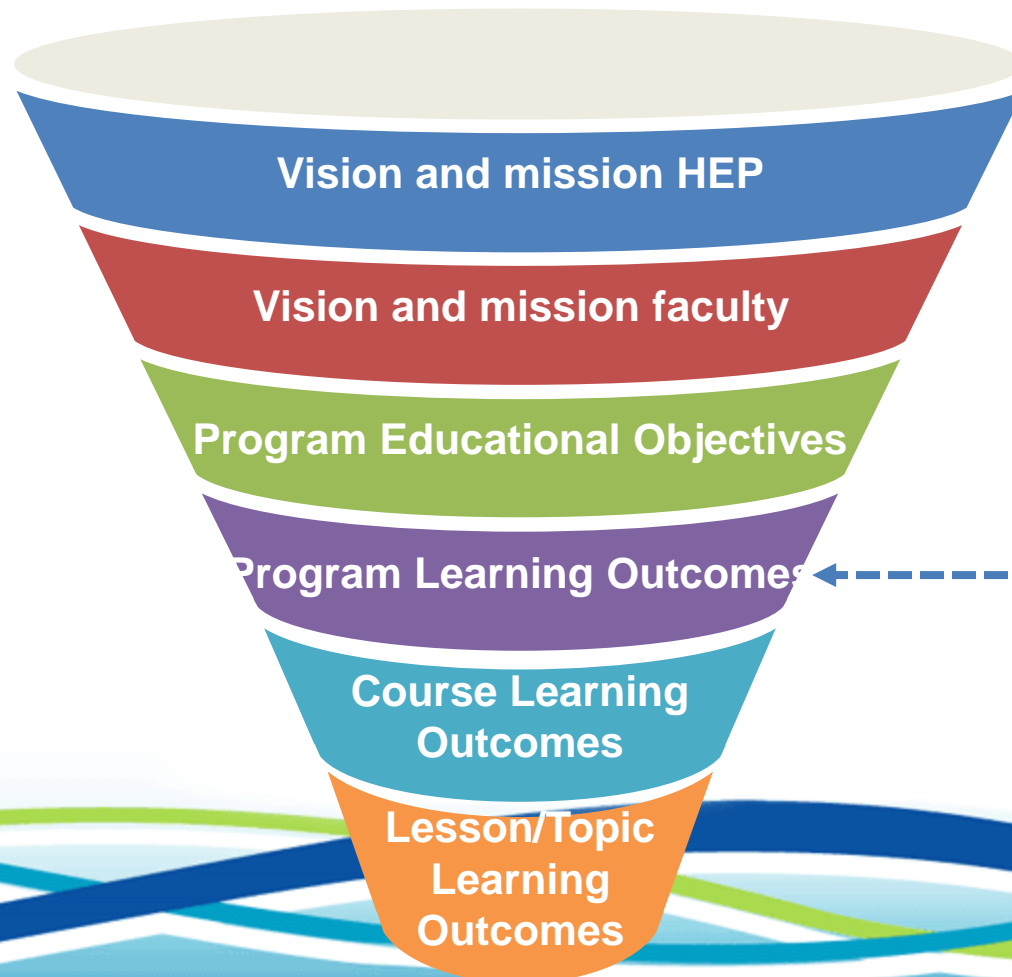
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	Academic Activity (some examples)	Face 2 Face	Student Self- Learning*	Total
1	Lecture	1	2	3
2	Tutorial	1	2	3
3	Laboratory/Practical	3	2	5
4	Assignment - 2000 words	0	20	20
5	Presentation	1	4	5
	Total	6	30	36

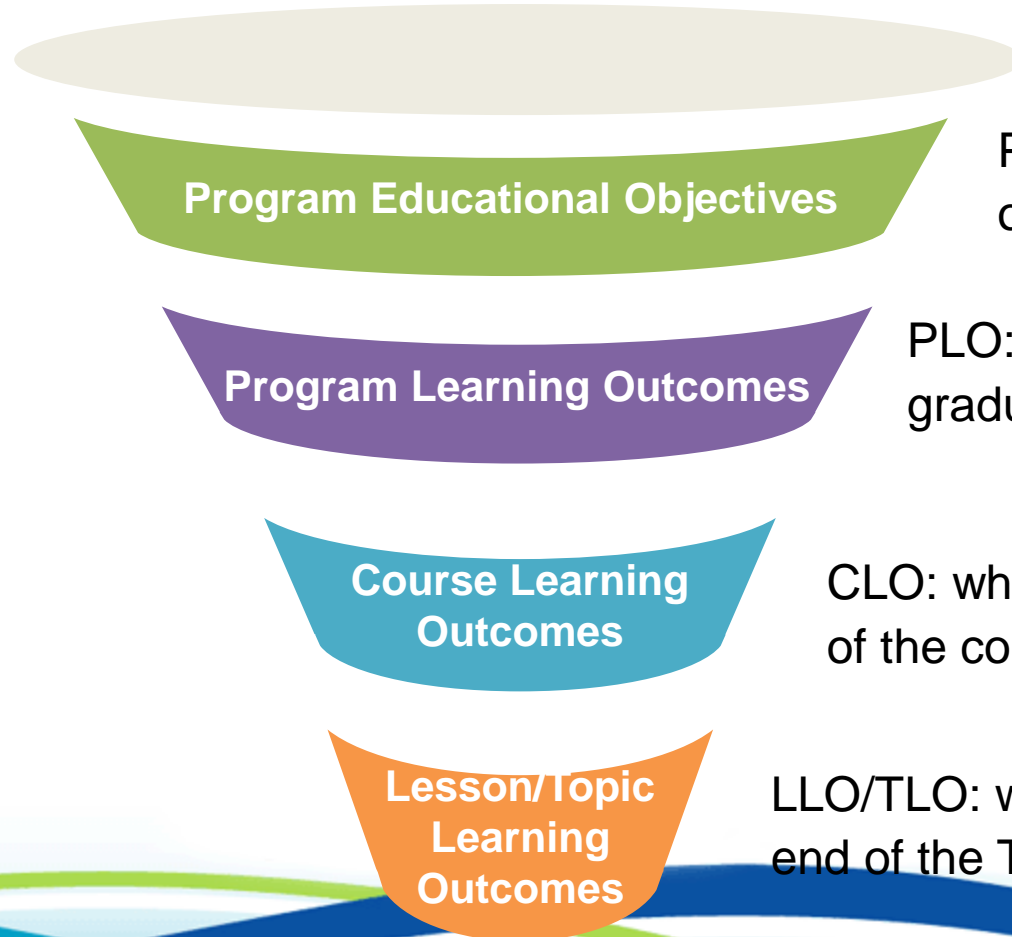
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* Using the Proposed student independent learning in relation (Slide 17)

Principles of OBE



Important terms



PEO: expected achievements of graduates in the early years of their careers after graduation.

PLO: what students are expected to know and do at time of graduation

CLO: what students are expected to know and do at the end of the course/module

LLO/TLO: what students are expected to know and do at the end of the TLM

Curriculum Learning Outcomes

Utilize knowledge and clinical skills of emergency medicine based on scientific principles

Apply knowledge and clinical skills to immediately assess, triage, and manage patient with various emergencies conditions.

Demonstrate knowledge and skills to initiate immediate management of emergency cases in the pre hospital care setting

Perform the techniques of patient assessment in PHC setting

PEO

- Educational Objectives

PLO

- Program

CLO

- Course

LO

- Topic

Table 1: mapping PEO and PLO

- 1.1.3 a) State the programme educational objectives, programme learning outcomes, teaching and learning strategies, and assessment of the programme.
- b) Map the programme learning outcomes against the programme educational objectives. (Provide information in Table 1).

Table 1: Matrix of Programme Learning Outcomes (PLO) against the Programme Educational Objective (PEO).

Programme Learning Outcomes (PLO)	Programme Educational Objectives (PEO)			
	PEO1	PEO2	PEO3	PEO4
PLO 1				
PLO 2				
PLO 3				
PLO 4				
PLO 5				

AREA 1

Mapping PLO with MQF learning outcomes

Table 1.1: Matrix of Programme Learning Outcomes (PLO) against Malaysian Qualification learning domain (MQF).

Programme Learning Outcomes (PLO)	Malaysian Qualification Framework (MQF) learning outcomes									
	1. Knowledge & understanding	2. Cognitive Skills	3. Functional Work Skills:						4. Personal & Entrepreneurial Skills	5. Ethics & Professionalism
			a) Practical Skills	b) Interpersonal Skills	c) Communication Skills	d) Digital Skills	e) Numeracy Skills	f) Leadership, Autonomy & Responsibility		
PLO 1										
PLO 2										
PLO 3										
PLO 4										
PLO 5										

AREA 1

Mapping PLO with MQF learning outcomes

AREA 1: Table
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8 Mapping of the Course Learning Outcomes to the Programme Learning Outcomes, Teaching Methods and Assessment Methods

Course Learning Outcomes	Programme Learning Outcomes (PLO)											Teaching Methods	Assessment Methods
	PLO 1	PLO 2	PLO 3	PLO 4	PLO 5	PLO 6	PLO 7	PLO 8	PLO 9	PLO 10	PLO 11		
CLO1													
CLO2													
CLO3													
Mapping with MQF Cluster of Learning Outcomes	C1 C3 A	C2	C3 B C3 F	C3 B C3 F	C3 B C5	C3 A C3 F	C3 B C3 C	C5	C3 D C3 F	C2 C3 C	C1 C4 A		

Indicate the primary causal link between the CLO and PLO by ticking 'X' in the appropriate box.

C1 = Knowledge & Understanding, **C2** = Cognitive Skills, **C3A** = Practical Skills, **C3B** = Interpersonal Skills, **C3C** = Communication Skills, **C3D** = Digital Skills, **C3E** = Numeracy Skills, **C3F** = Leadership, Autonomy & Responsibility, **C4A** = Personal Skills, **C4B** = Entrepreneurial Skills, **C5** = Ethics & Professionalism

Mapping CLO with PLO

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Mapping of the Course Learning Outcomes to the Programme Learning Outcomes, Teaching Methods and Assessment Methods

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CLO1														
CLO2														
CLO3														

AREA 1: table
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Mapping Topic with CLO

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Distribution of Student Learning Time (SLT)

Note: This SLT calculation is designed for home grown programme only.

Course Content Outline and Subtopics		CLO*	Learning and Teaching Activities**												Total SLT
			Face-to-Face (F2F)								NF2F Independent Learning (Asynchronous)				
			Physical				Online/ Technology-mediated (Synchronous)								
			L	T	P	O	L	T	P	O					
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SUB-TOTAL SLT:															
			Face-to-Face (F2F)								NF2F Independent Learning				

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Mapping CLO with level of learning taxonomies

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H16 Demonstrate ability of taking clinical history and conducting physical examination. (C3, P3, A3, PLO3,5)																											
A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z AA AB AC AD AE AJ AK AL AM AN																											
5		Credit Value:		1																							
6		Pre-requisite/ co-requisite (if any):		NIL																							
7		Course Learning Outcomes (CLO)		CLO1		Demonstrate ability of taking clinical history and conducting physical examination. (C3, P3, A3, PLO3,5)																					
CLO2				Demonstrate their preaseantions skill (C3, P3, A3, PLO3)																							
CLO3				Present resarch survey out come after analyzing the data and working as a team (C3, P3, A3, PLO6,7)																							
CLO4				Display their ability and skill in debate competition, variable Show, game competition, and entrepreneurial project.(P5, A5, PLO9,10)																							
8		Mapping of the Course Learning Outcomes to the Programme Learning Outcomes, Teaching Methods and Assessment Methods																									
		Course Learning Outcomes		Programme Learning Outcomes (PLO)											Teaching Methods		Assessment Methods										
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				CLO1			✓		✓										All teaching methodology utilized in pre clinical phase	Not accountable, prizes winning							
				CLO2			✓																				
				CLO3						✓	✓																
		CLO4									✓	✓															

AREA 1: table
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LEARNING TAXONOMIES: THREE LEARNING DOMAINS

Cognitive
The Head

Six major categories

Psychomotor
The Hand

Five major categories

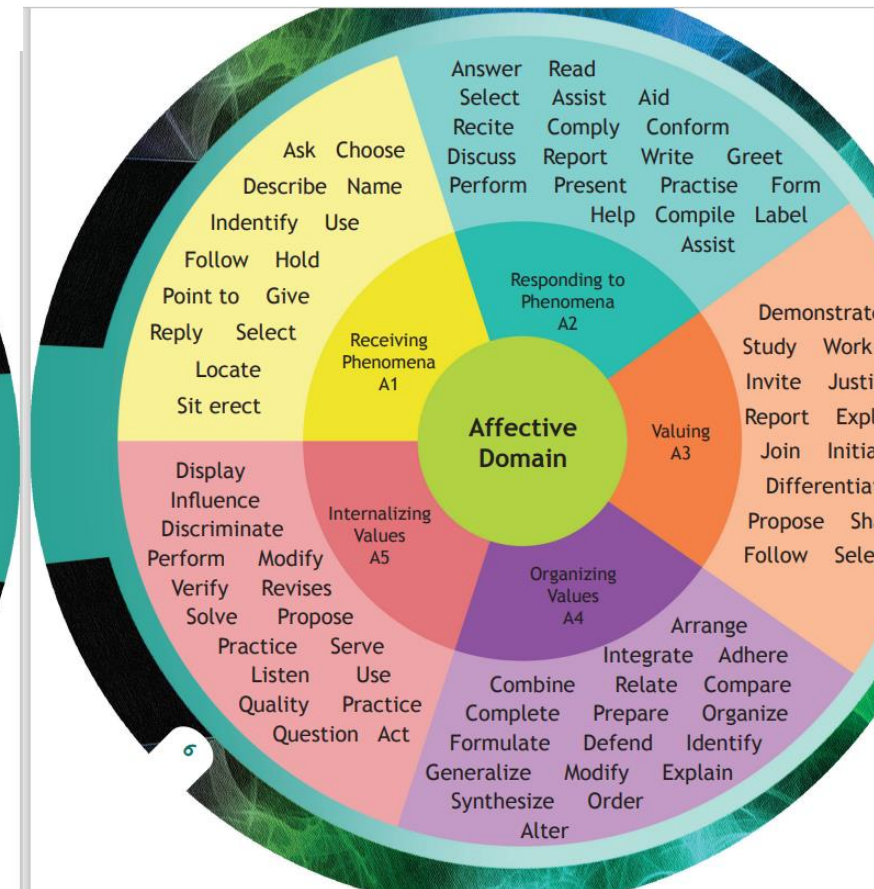
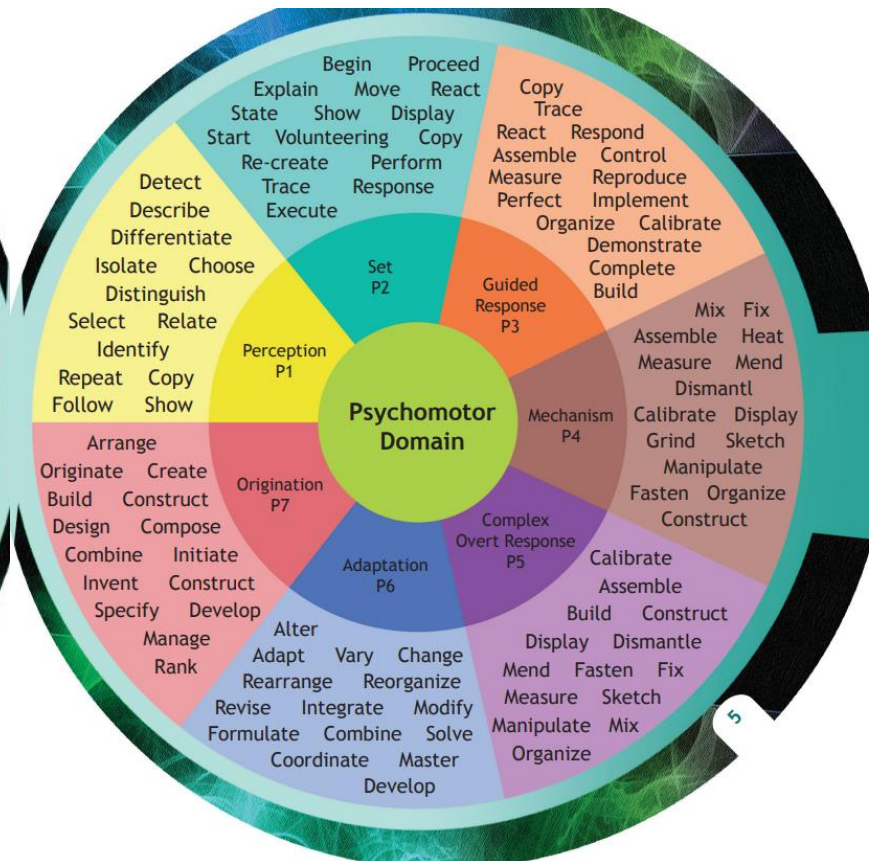
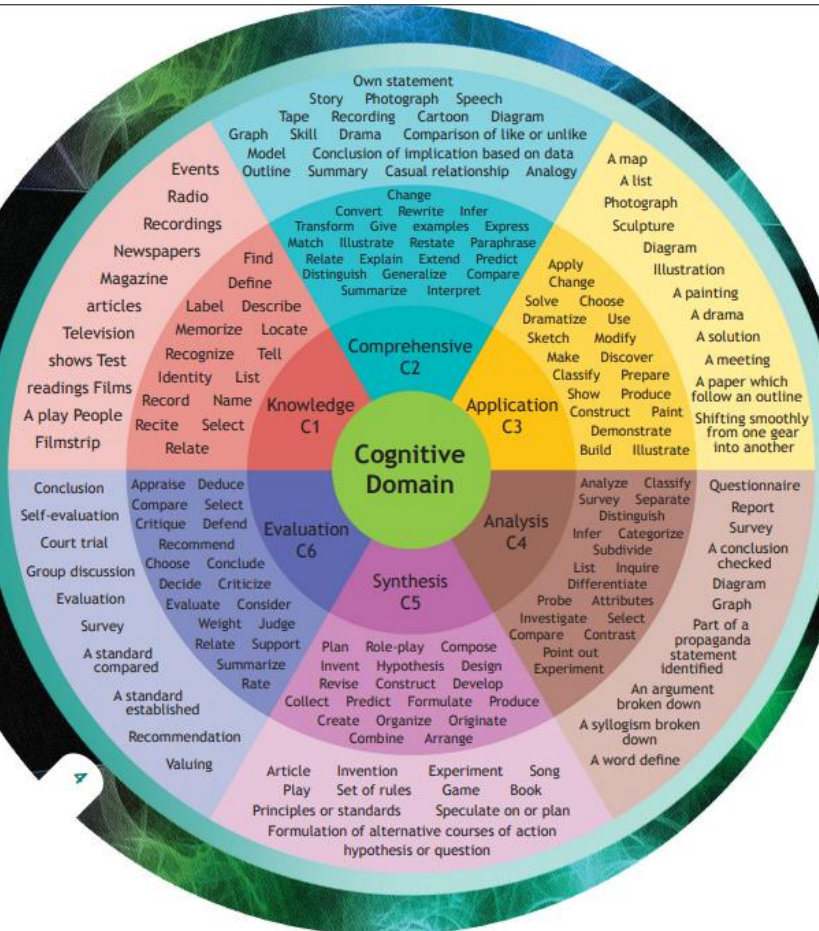
Affective
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Five major categories



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How to select the best learning domain...



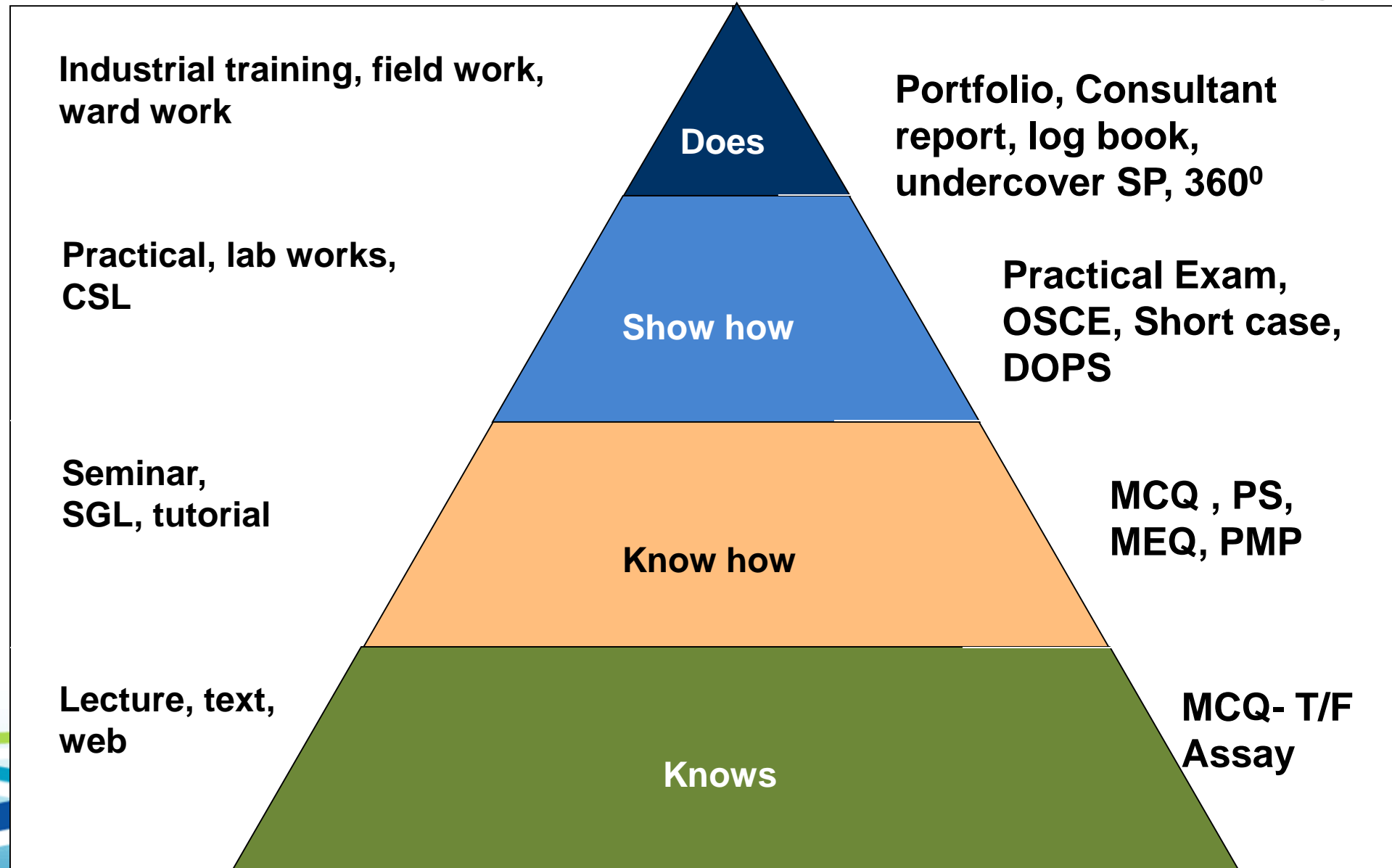
Constructive alignment

Principles of OBE

CLO

T&L

ASSESSMENT



COPPA: Code of Practice for Programme Accreditation



CODE OF PRACTICE FOR PROGRAMME ACCREDITATION

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CODE OF PRACTICE FOR PROGRAMME ACCREDITATION

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AREA 1

OBE: Vision, mission, PEO, PLO, CLO, LO
Table 4: Mapping, TLA, Content,
Constructive alignment

Programme Development and Delivery

AREA 2

Assessment of Student Learning

AREA 3

Student Selection and Support Services

AREA 4

Academic staff

AREA 5

Educational resources

AREA 6

Programme management

AREA 7

Programme Monitoring, Review and
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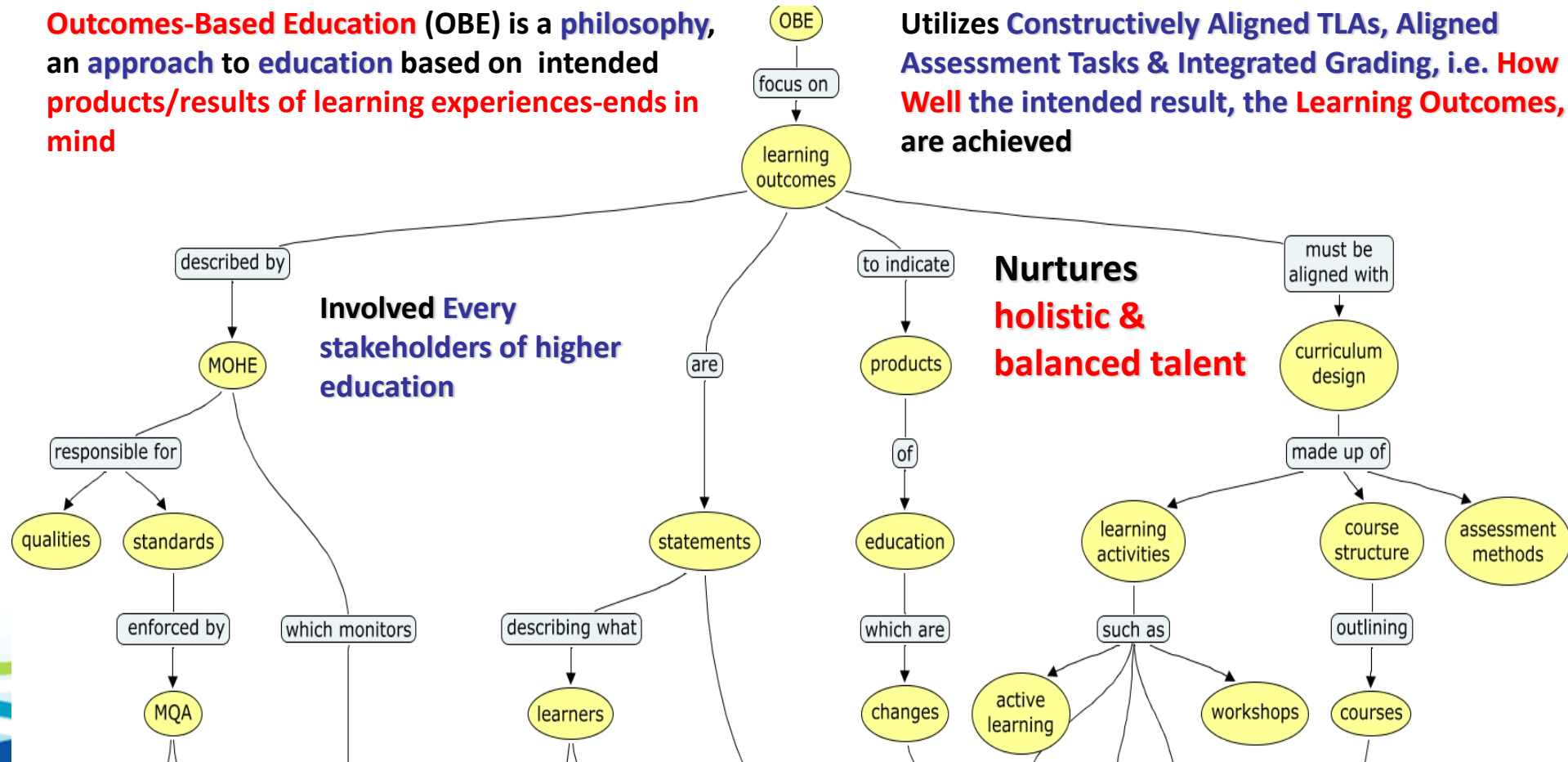


Outcomes-Based Curriculum Design & its Aligned Assessment

What is OBE??

Outcomes-Based Education (OBE) is a **philosophy**, an **approach to education** based on intended **products/results of learning experiences-ends in mind**

Utilizes **Constructively Aligned TLAs**, **Aligned Assessment Tasks & Integrated Grading**, i.e. **How Well** the intended result, the **Learning Outcomes**, are achieved



Outcome Based Education

Construction of Course Learning Outcome

WORKSHOP ON OUTCOME- BASED EDUCATION

KULIYAH OF MEDICINE

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Outline

- ☐ Learning taxonomy
 - ☐ Bloom
 - ☐ Krathwohl
 - ☐ Simpson
- ☐ Facts to consider while writing LO
- ☐ Common mistake in constructing CLOs



Why do you write learning outcomes ?

1. Inform participants/students:

- ✓ What they will learn during the course or during the session
- ✓ The level of performance expected of them at the end of the learning experience

Why do you write learning outcomes?

2. Inform lectures/facilitators/resource persons what the participants are expected to learn so that they can:

- Plan the learning experience accordingly
- Assess whether participants have acquired the expected level of competencies

Constructive alignment

CLO

T&L

ASSESSMENT

Why do you write learning outcomes?



Rajah 1.1: Perkaitan di antara Misi, Wawasan dan Matlamat Pendidikan dengan objektif pendidikan program dan hasil pembelajaran program

Utilize knowledge and clinical skills of emergency medicine based on scientific principles

Apply knowledge and clinical skills to immediately assess, triage, and manage patient with various emergencies conditions.

Demonstrate knowledge and skills to initiate immediate management of emergency cases in the pre hospital care setting

Perform the techniques of patient assessment in PHC setting

PEO

- Educational Objectives

PLO

- Program

CLO

- Course

LO

- Topic

THREE LEARNING DOMAINS

Cognitive
The Head

Six major categories

Psychomotor
The Hand

Five major categories

Affective
The Heart

Five major categories



3H

HOW TO CONSTRUCT CLO

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- Common wrong CLOs
 - To show
 - To understand



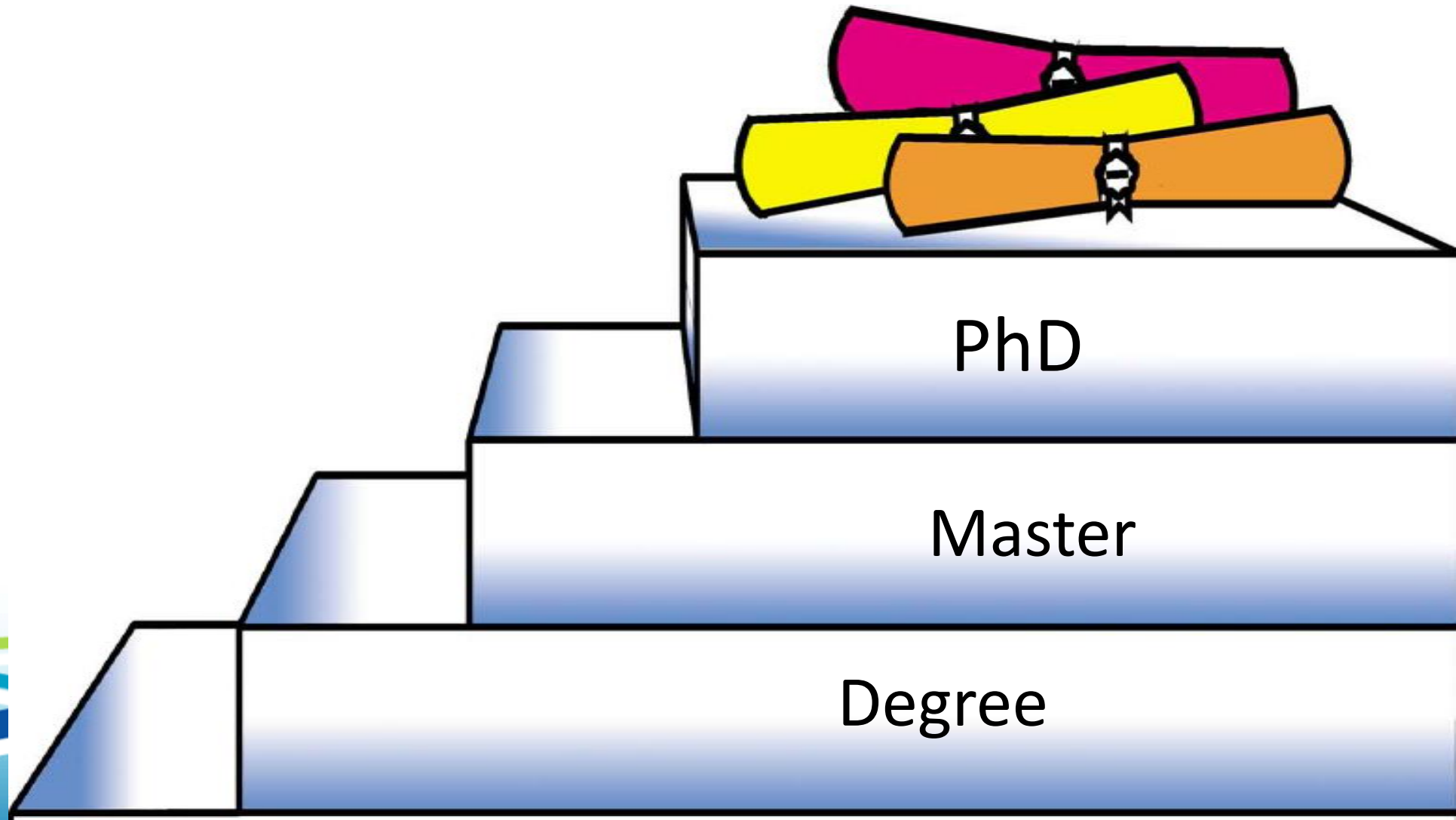
Anatomy of Learning Outcomes

Demonstrate knowledge and skills to initiate immediate management of emergency cases in the pre hospital care setting

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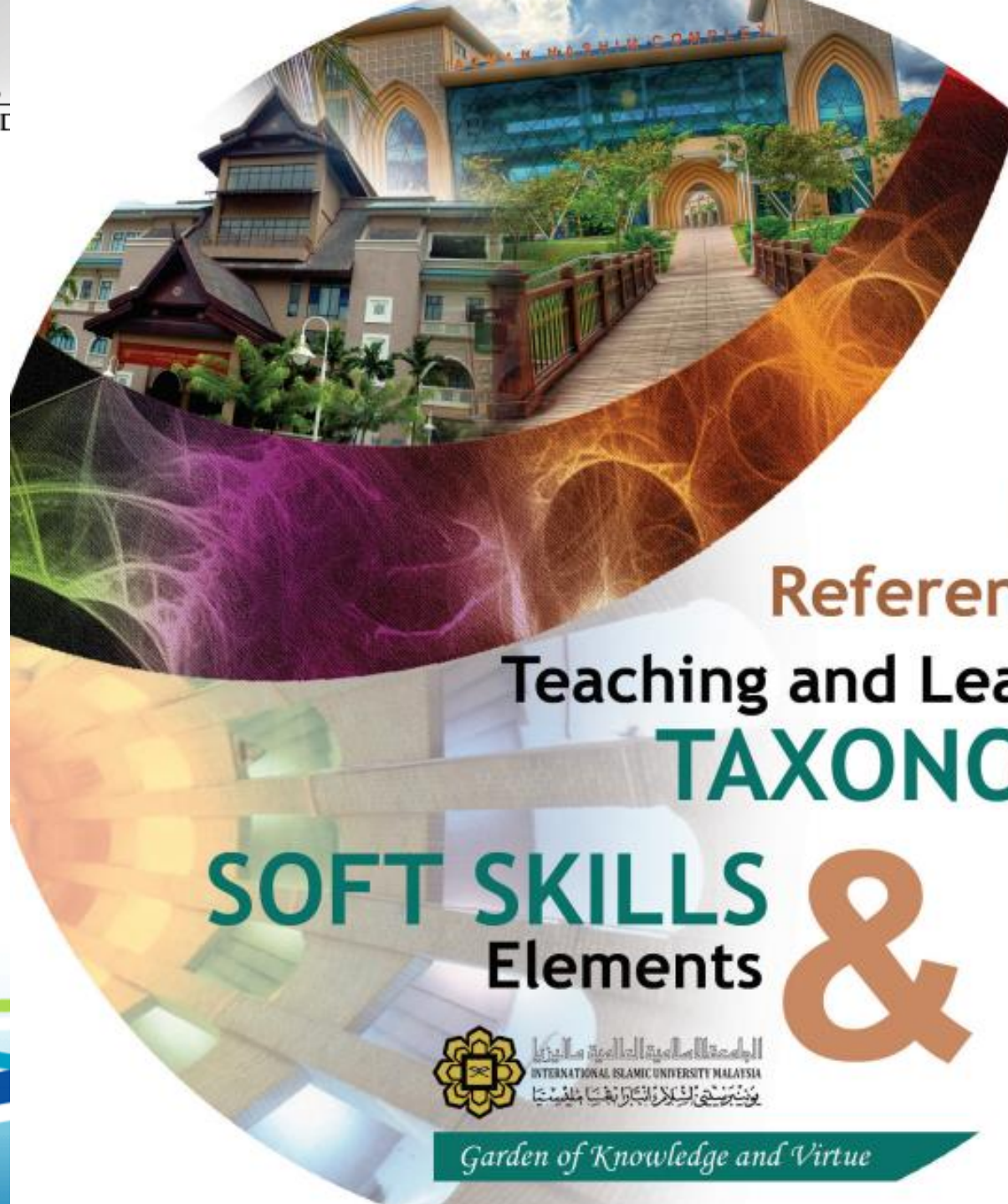


Facts to consider while writing LO



Jadual 1.9 : Panduan Penentuan Aras Domain Mengikut Tahap Kelayakan

Program Pengajian	Tahap Kelayakan MQF	Purata Aras Domain Taksonomi⁵
Asasi	-	C2-C3
Sarjana muda	6	C4
Sarjana/Diploma Pascasiswazah	7	C4-C5
Kedokteran	8	C5-C6



Easy
Reference to
Teaching and Learning
TAXONOMY

SOFT SKILLS
Elements &



Garden of Knowledge and Virtue

TAXONOMY VERBS

You can use these verbs which cover the span of the taxonomy from LOTS (lower-order thinking skills) to HOTS (higher-order thinking skills). It begins with *Remembering* and ends with *Creating*. Listed beneath are the power verbs that apply to each stage.



REMEMBERING

Remembering is when memory is used to produce definitions, facts, or lists or to retrieve information.



UNDERSTANDING

Understanding is all about constructing meaning from many different types of functions, be they written or graphic.



APPLYING

Applying refers to situations where the learned material is used in products such as diagrams, models, interviews, simulations, and presentations.



ANALYZING

Analyzing is about breaking materials into parts, and then determining how the parts interrelate to each other or to an overall structure or purpose.



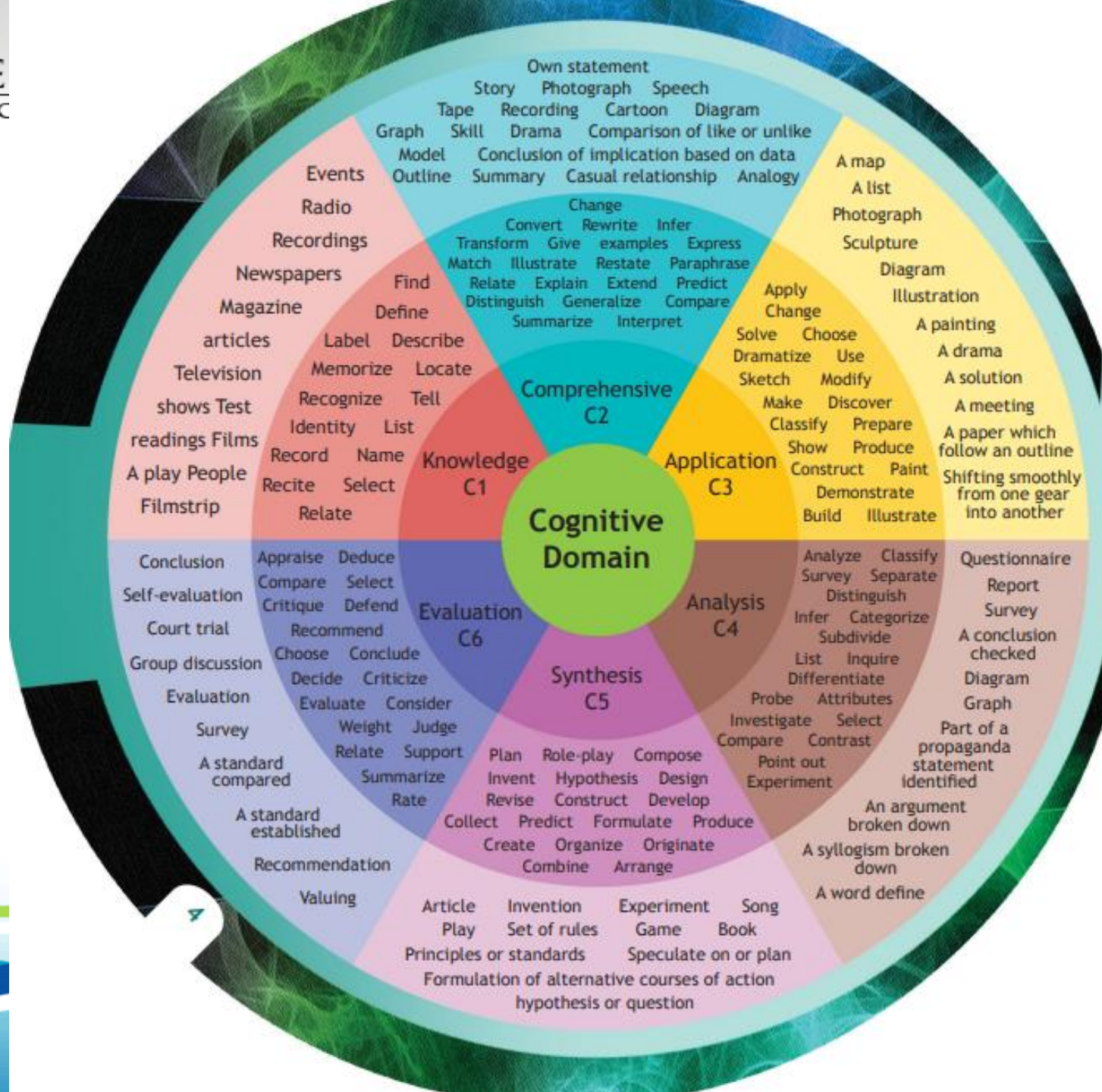
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Evaluating is about making judgements based on criteria and standards through checking and critiquing.



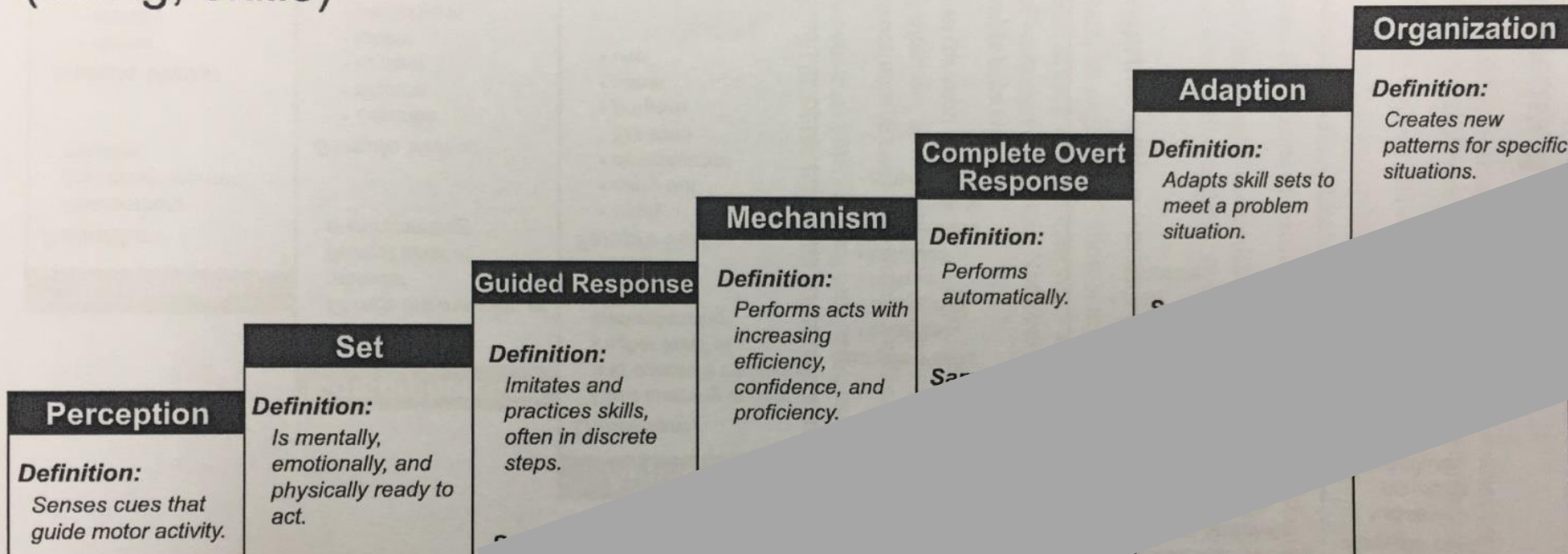
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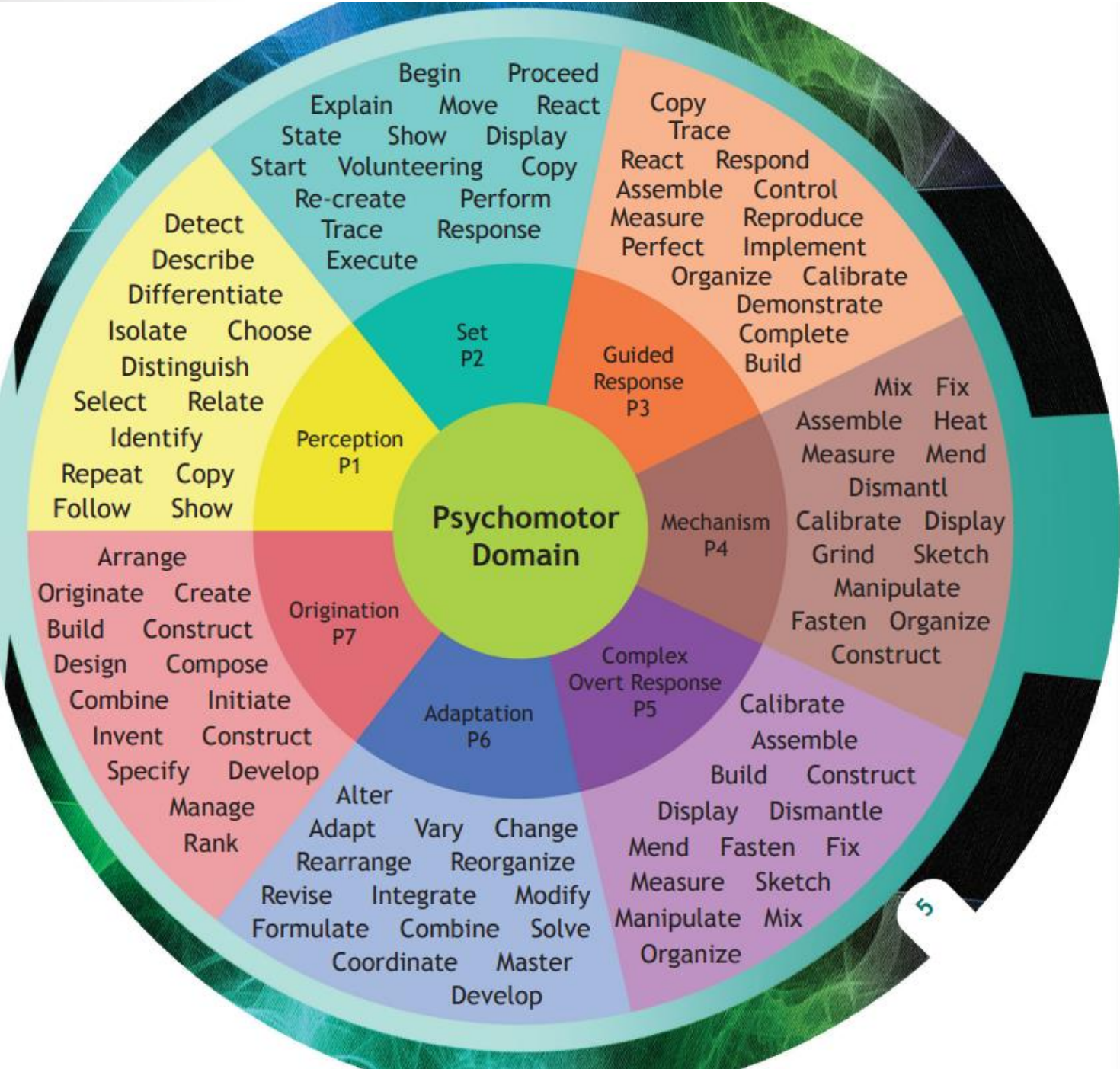
Creating is about combining elements to form a whole, and also reorganizing elements into new structures or patterns by planning and producing.

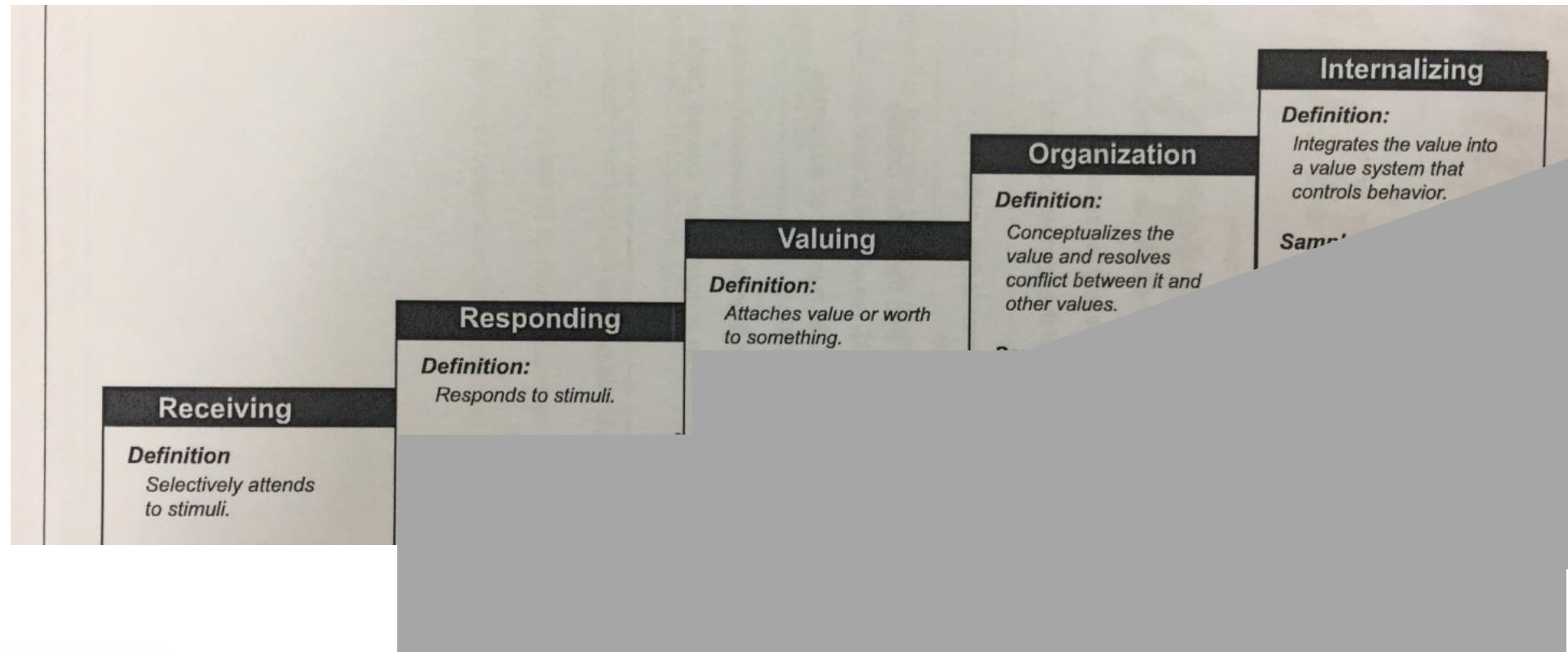


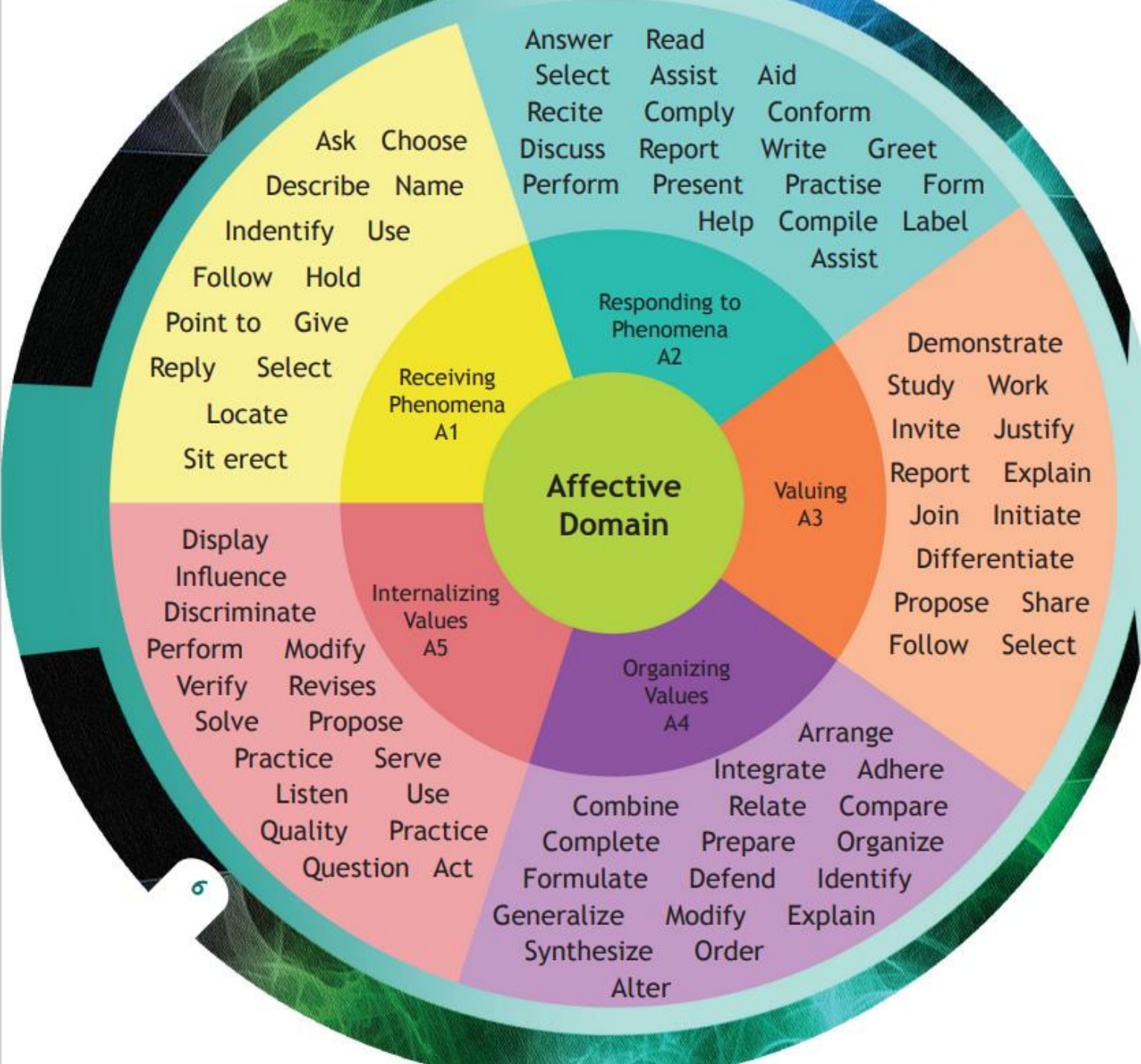
Psychomotor Domain

(doing, skills)









Common mistake in constructing CLOs



Item 7

CLO1	Describe epidemiology, aetio-pathogenesis and clinical manifestations of common medical disorders and emergencies (C2,PLO1)
CLO2	Outline national programmes relating to general adult health including screening and health promotion (C1,PLO1) 1. Wrong level of Cognitive
CLO3	Recognize a critically ill patient and describe the principles of management (C1,PLO3,7) 2. More than ONE action word
CLO4	Elicit relevant history, perform comprehensive physical examination of patients with medical problems and request basic relevant investigations (C5,PLO2) 2. More than ONE action word
CLO5	Synthesize the data derived from the history, physical examination and investigations to formulate a provisional / final diagnosis by adopting a problem orientated approach (C5,PLO2,3) 4. Not a learning domain
CLO6	Manage common medical illnesses and social problems (C4,PLO3) 3. Difficult to achieve
CLO7	Advise about the prevention of common medical illnesses (e.g cardiovascular disease, airway disease) (C6,PLO4) 4. Not a learning domain
CLO8	Guide patients and their family on good nutrition and a healthy lifestyle (C6,PLO4) 4. Not a learning domain
CLO9	Explain and advocate patient's rights (introduction into safeguarding vulnerable adults) (C2,PLO3) 2. More than ONE action word
CLO10	Provide care to patients and their family with empathy (C3,PLO4) 4. Not a learning domain
CLO11	Perform core clinical procedures safely and effectively on medical patients (C2,PLO2) 5. Inaccurate taxonomy domain

Overall

1. Too many C5 and C6
2. Excessive CLOs

Credit Value :	1
Prerequisite/co-requisite: (if any)	None
Course Learning Outcomes (CLO) : At the end of the course the students will be able to: (example) - explain the basic principles of immunisation (C2,PLO1)	
CLO1	Describe the formation and development of embryo (embryogenesis); (C2, PLO 1)
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CLO3	<u>Correlate embryological information to the structural organization of human body and interpret the developmental reason for common birth defects;</u> (C4, PLO 1)
CLO4	Explain the mechanism of action of causative factors for congenital abnormalities.(C2, PLO 1)
CLO5	<u>Demonstrate the ability to identify the organ primordia in laboratory embryology models to appreciate the basis of organization of structures in the adult.</u> (C3, PLO 1)
CLO6	Identify the factors responsible for common birth defects and the methods of prevention of such occurrences.(C1, PLO 1)
CLO7	<u>Demonstrate the ability for interpersonal communication and understanding of other people, which is essential for close teamwork.</u> (C3, PLO 4)

◀ ▶ ... CVS | RESPIRATORY | ENDOCRINE | REPRODUCTIVE | Multimodule revision 3 | GIT | URINARY | NS | MSK | Multimodule revision 4 | **MEF** ... (+) : ◀

CLO1: Discuss the aetiology and pathophysiology of common medical and surgical emergencies. (C2, A2, PLO 1)

CLO2: Demonstrate the primary and secondary survey in the management of shock and trauma cases for both adults and children and arrange for triage according to international and local guidelines of practice. (C3, A3, P5, PLO 1,2,3)

CLO3: Demonstrate the resuscitation of critically ill patients under supervision with appreciation of the importance of good communication, teamwork, and leadership skills. (C3, A3, P5, PLO 2,3,5,9)

CLO4: Describe assessment and management of seriously ill patients in emergency situations, and write adequate clinical notes and management records of individual patients. (C5, A1, P1 PLO 2,3)

CLO5: Apply the principles of medical ethics, and respect to patient's rights in clinical practice and risks during the assessment and management of patients. (C3, A2, PLO11)

HOW TO CONSTRUCT CLO



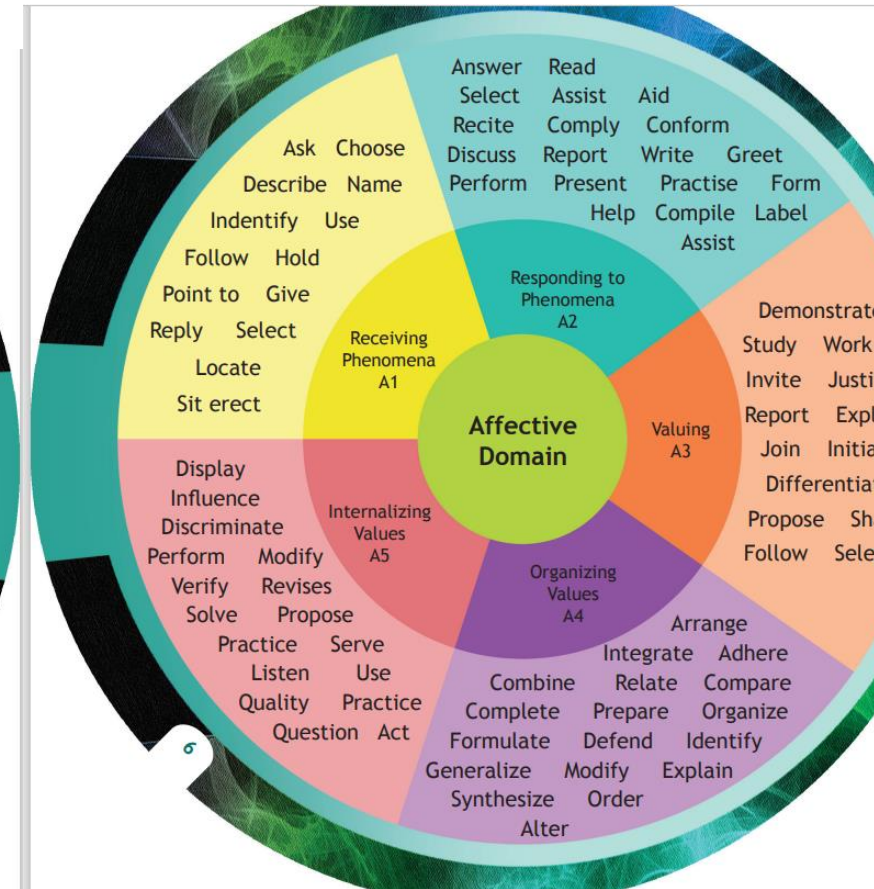
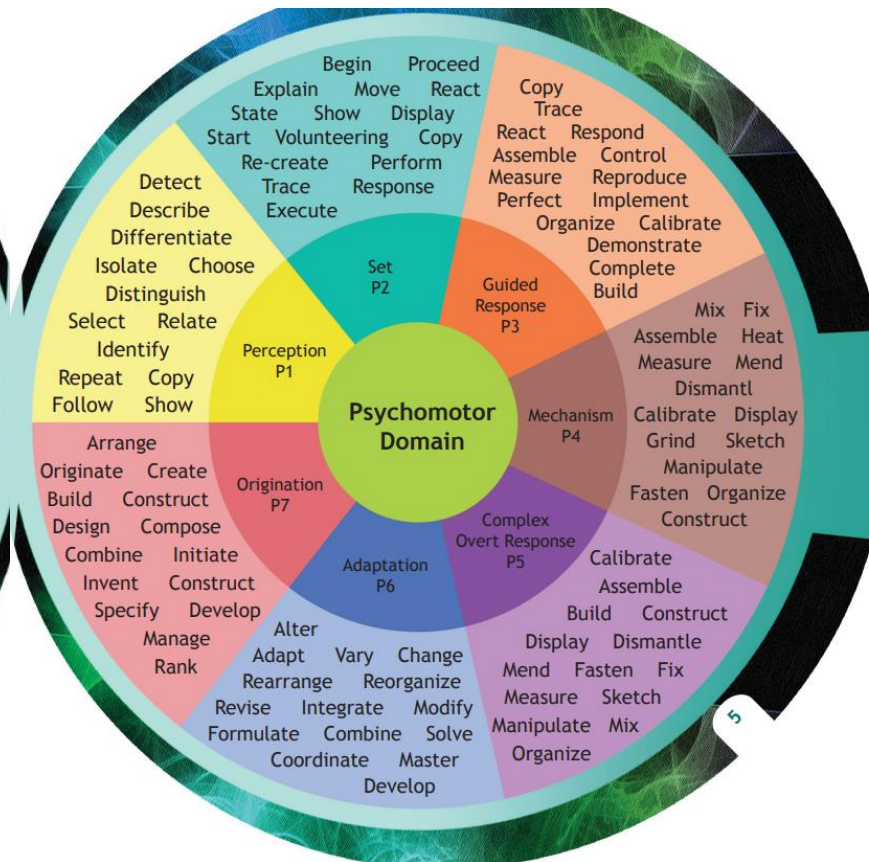
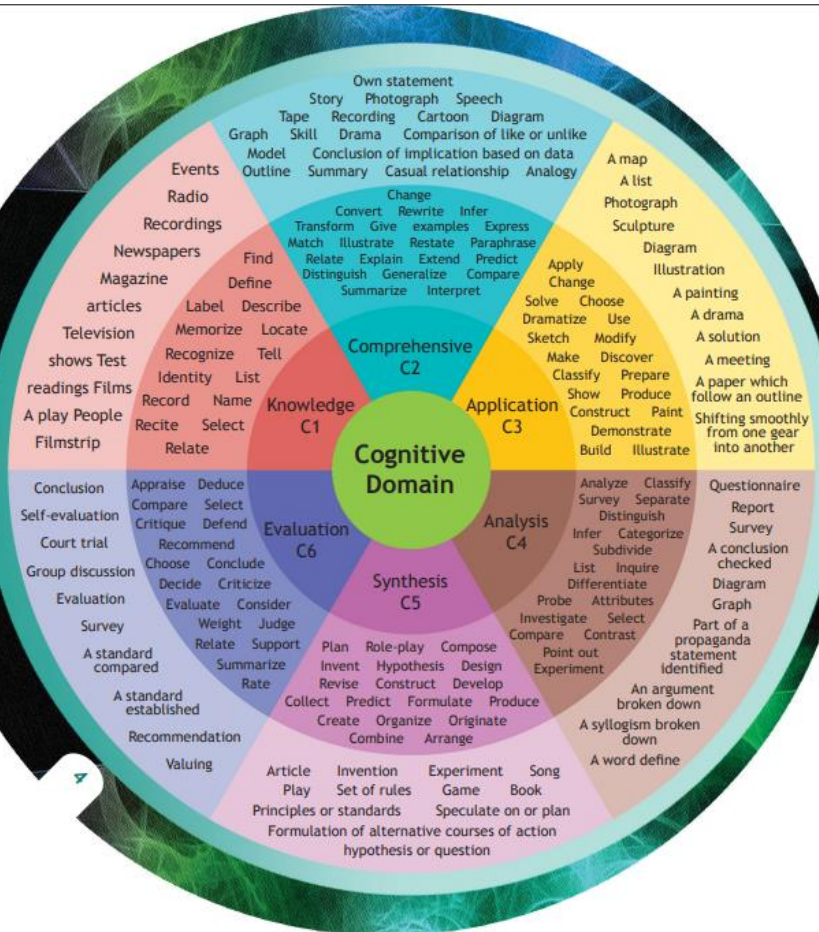
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How to select the best learning domain...



Tips 1; do not make it too difficult...

- Although you have too many choices,
 - ☐ Use the action verb/ learning domain commonly use in your field
 - ☐ Use the action verb / learning domain that easy to understand by your colleague and your student
 - ☐ Do not use a bombastic action verb / learning domain that make others difficult to understand esp to choose TLM and assessment

Tips 2; do not make it too easy...

- Although you only have choose from the list,
 - ❑ Do not use similar action verb / learning domain



Tips 3; do not include everything for each CLO...

- Although you have too many important contents,
 - ❑ Make it concise and comprehensive, not too lengthy



Tips 4; my personal suggestion...

- Make sure it covers all 3 type of learning domains except some specific courses
- Standardize CLOs for several cluster,
 - ☐ Basic medical sciences
 - ☐ Clinical
 - ☐ Medical and surgical based
- Pay attention on specific/unique CLO for some courses to map with your specific PLO and MQF cluster/domain
 - ☐ Medicine and society
 - ☐ Research courses or contain research element
 - ☐ PPA courses or contain PPA specific element
 - ☐ Family medicine courses

Tips 5; my personal suggestion...

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Above C4 must be minimal

Thank you



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CLOs

- Cognitive: Apply the concept of haematopoiesis and haemostatic response in haematological diseases (C3)
 - Explain the principle and applied aspects of medical microbiology.
- History taking: To demonstrate the history taking skill to establish the correct diagnosis (P3,A3,C3).
 - TLM: bed side teaching/case presentation
 - Assessment: Observed long case, manned OSCE
- Physical examination: To demonstrate a correct examination technique to aid the clinical diagnosis in a patient (P3)
- Cognitive clinical- To formulate a clinical diagnosis based on history taking, physical examination and investigations in a patient (C5)

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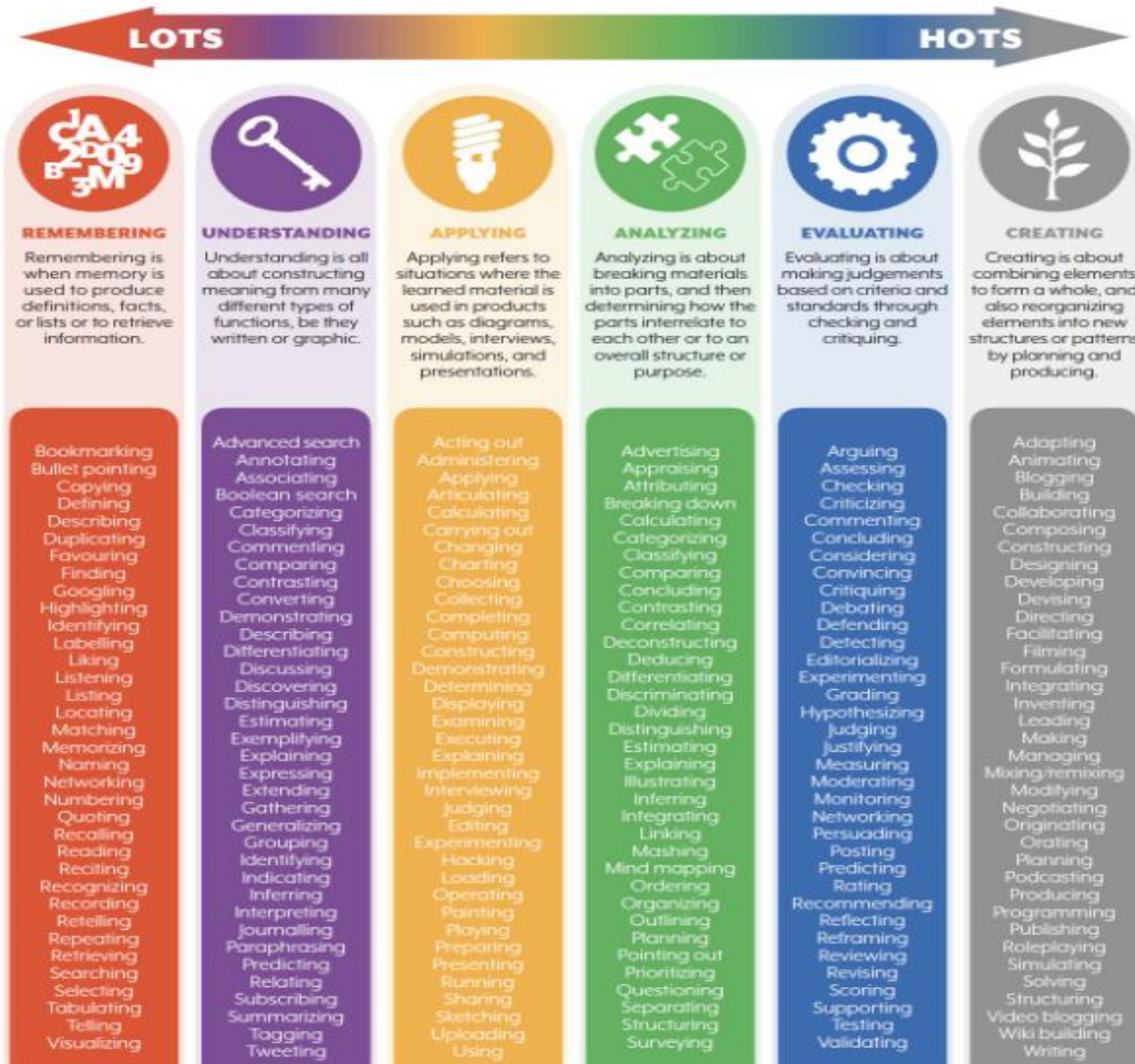
- Procedural: Manage normal labour and delivery including interpretation of cardiotocography (P3, C3, A3)
- Communication skills: To demonstrate the ability to use basic technology in presentation (A3)



BLOOM'S DIGITAL TAXONOMY VERBS

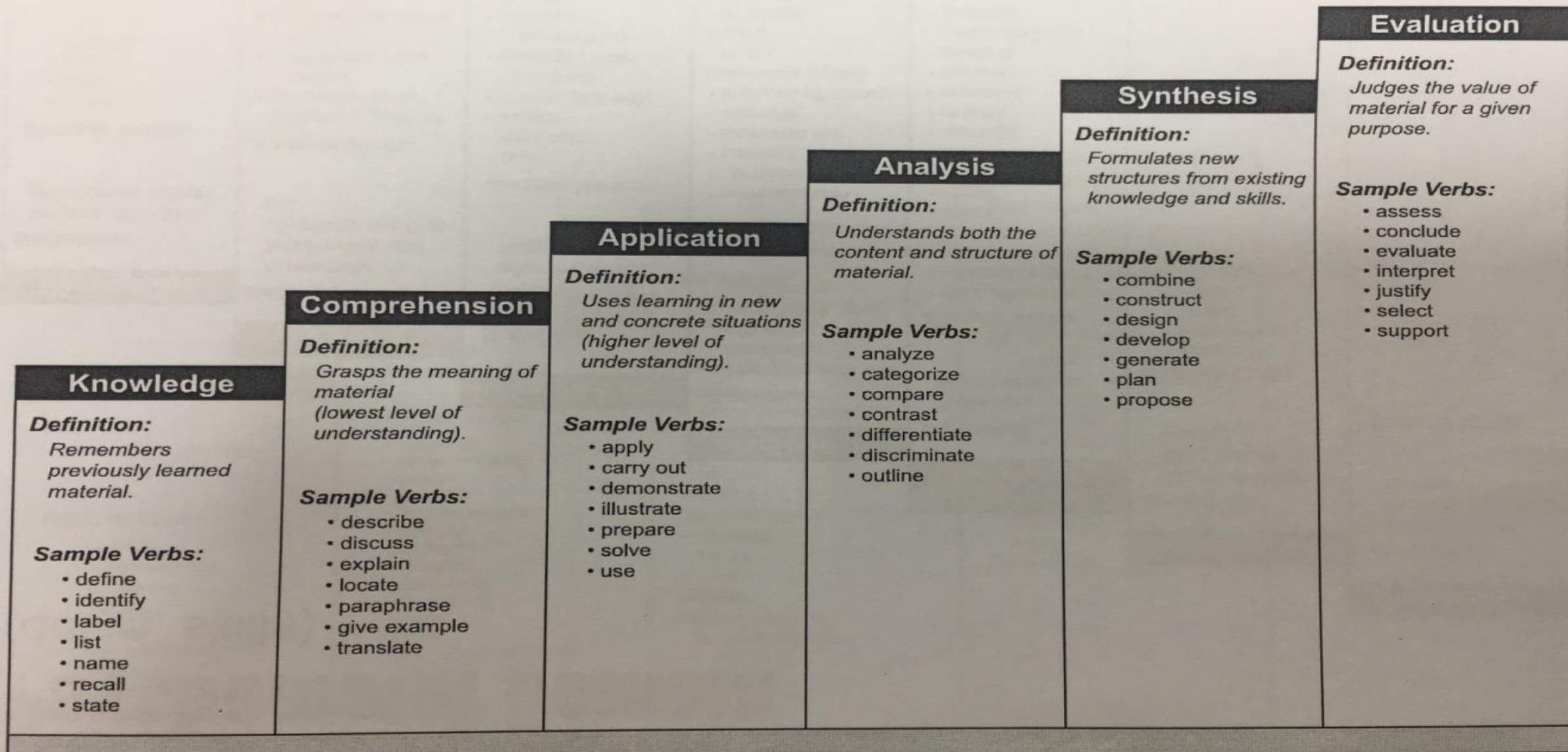
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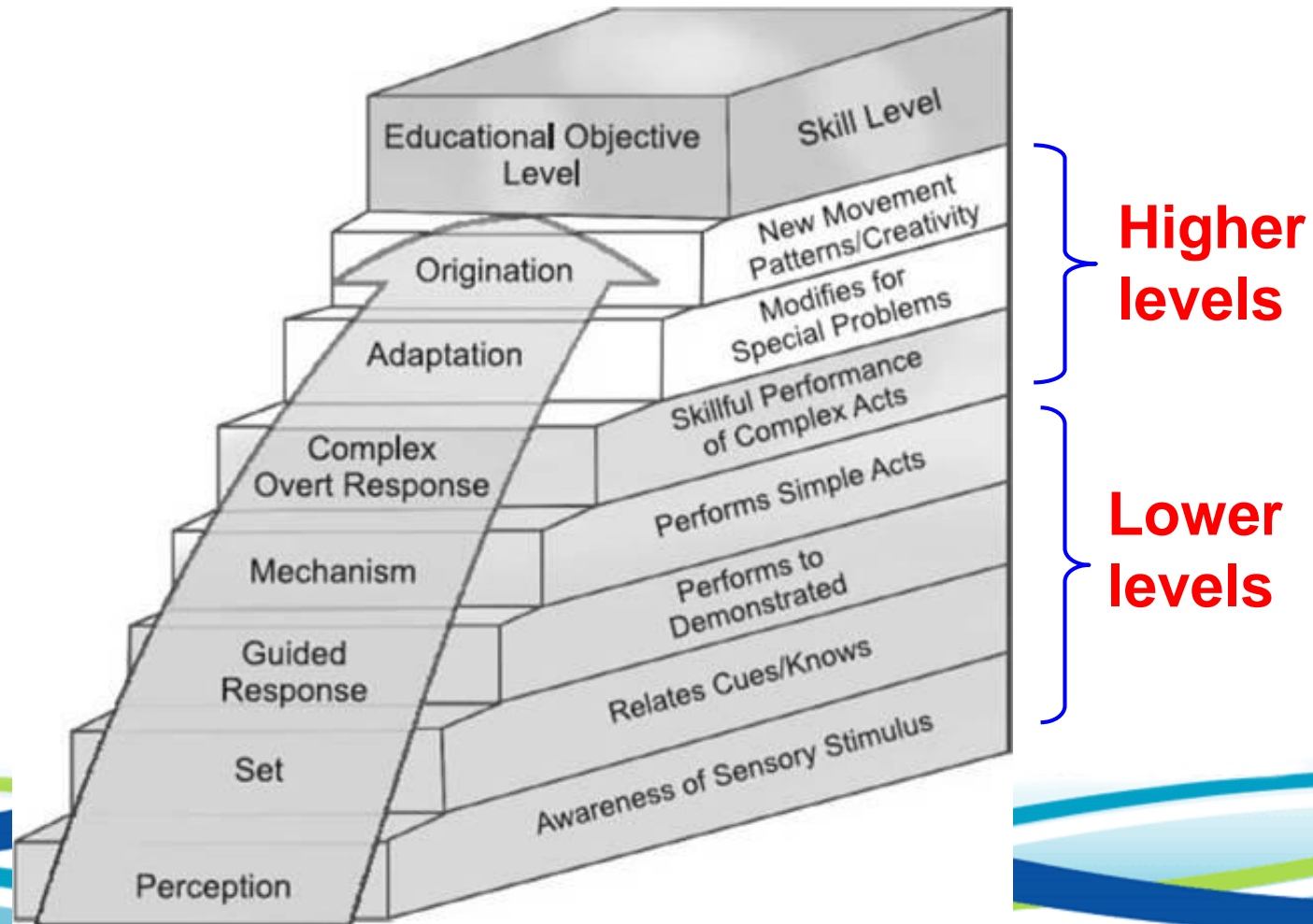


Cognitive Domain

(thinking, knowledge)



Psychomotor Domain (Simpson's Model, 1972)



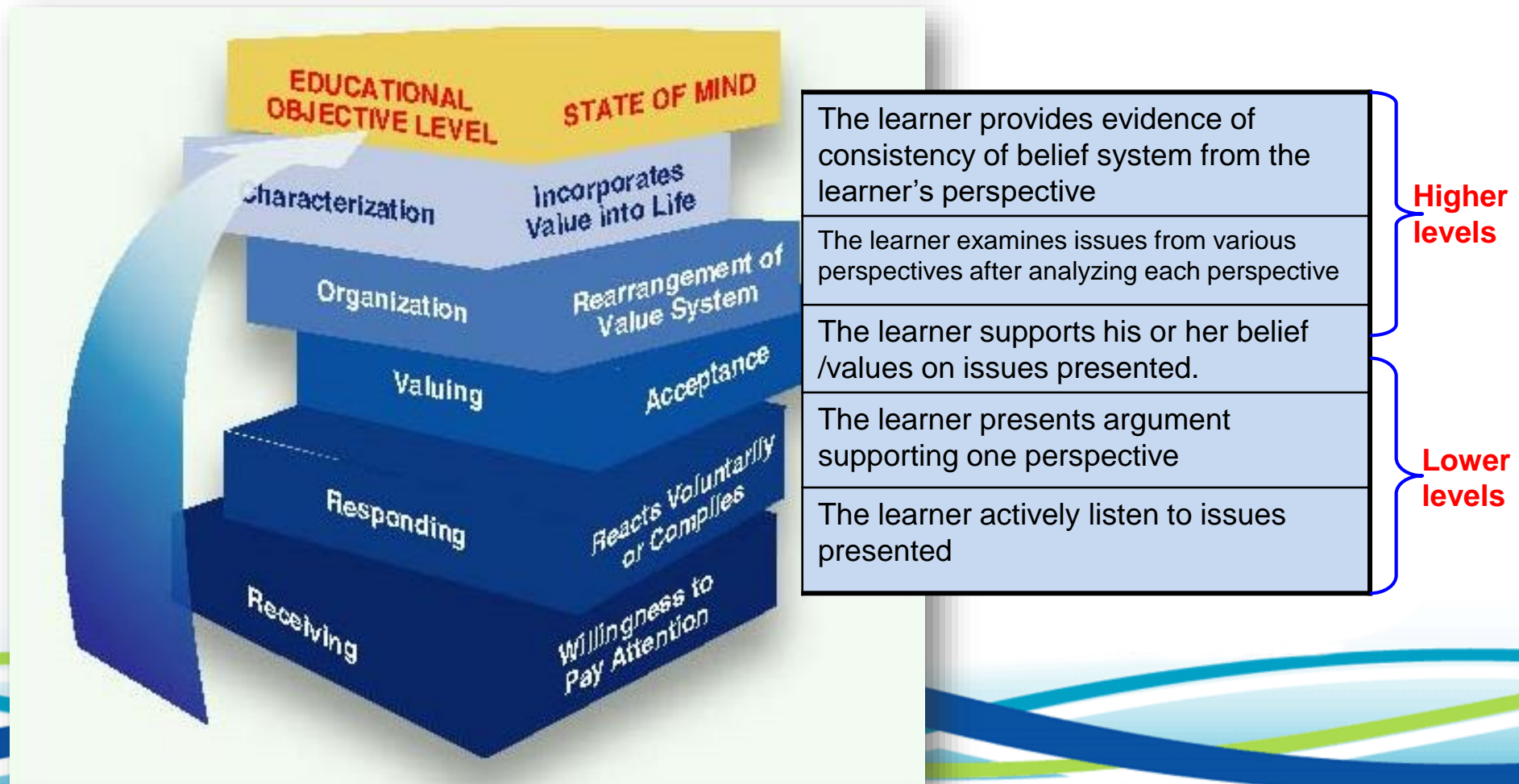
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Perception	Set	Guided Response	Mechanism	Complete Overt Response	Adaption	Organization
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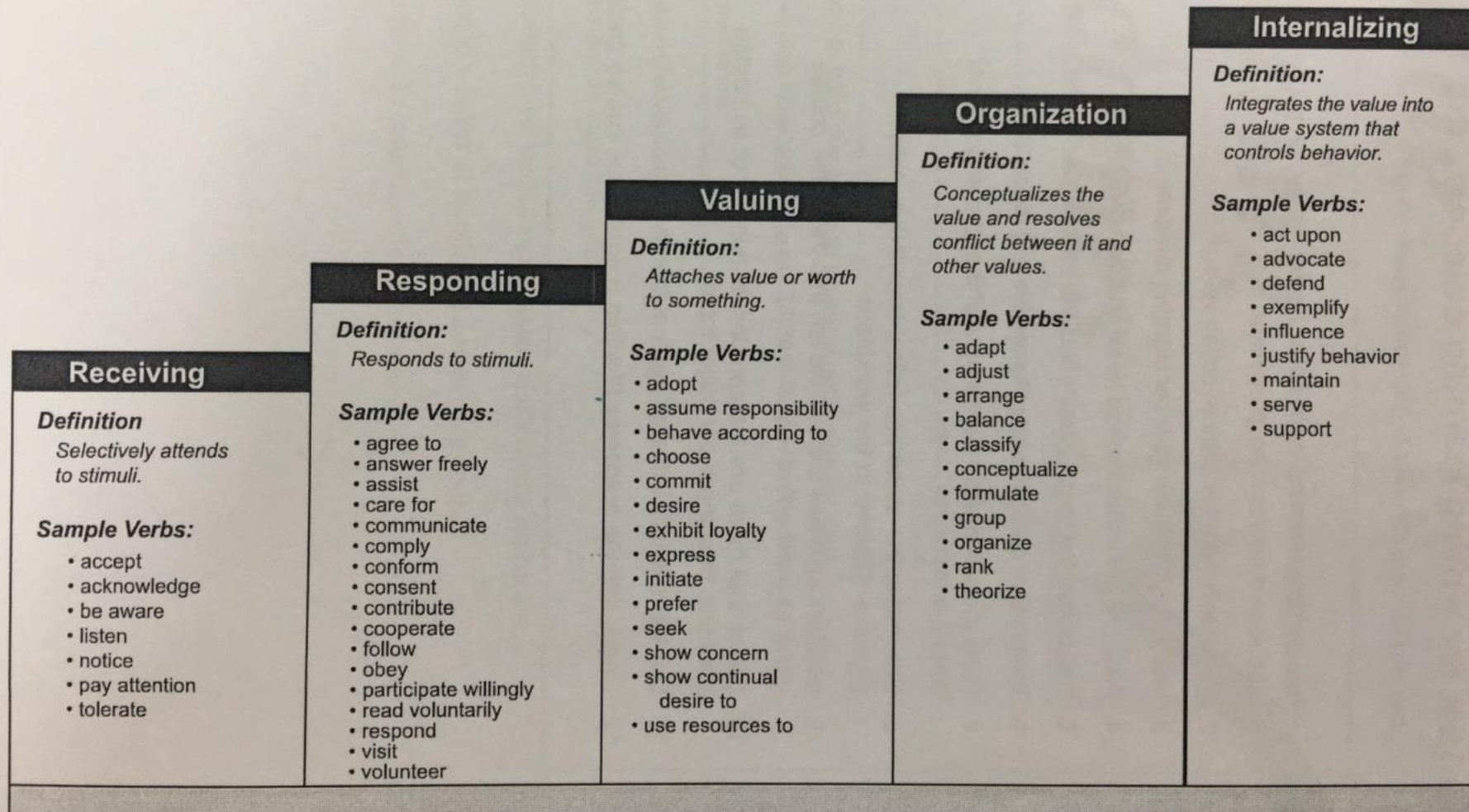
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AFFECTIVE DOMAIN (Krathwohl's Model, 1964)



Affective Domain

(feeling, attitudes)



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