



## BASHH-STI FOUNDATION COMPETENCY and STI FOUNDATION-NHIVNA Competency Trainer requirements and registration

### Who can register as principal Named STI FOUNDATION Competency Trainers?

- Consultant Physicians/ Senior Nurses/Senior Health Advisors (GUM/SRH/HIV),
- Advanced Clinical Practitioners,
- Associate Specialists, senior clinical practitioners, GPs with a special interest in sexual health
- Holders of a valid STI FOUNDATION ADVANCED Competency certificate.

**All STI FOUNDATION Competency pathway trainers are required to be members of BASHH.** Please read the additional criteria below, indicate that you meet the criteria, sign and return to STI FOUNDATION Secretariat. [stif@bashh.org](mailto:stif@bashh.org)

### Your Details – Please type

Name:

Job Title/ grade / band:

Workplace Address:

Email Address:

Contact telephone number:

**I wish to register as a STI FOUNDATION Competency Trainer: please indicate as appropriate** (*you may wish to register as a principal trainer for more than one programme*)

- STI FOUNDATION Fundamental Competency Assessment Lead
- STI FOUNDATION *Intermediate* Competency Trainer
- STI FOUNDATION *Advanced* Competency Trainer
- STI FOUNDATION *Integrated* Competency Trainer
- STI FOUNDATION *Health Advising* Competency Trainer
- STI FOUNDATION-NHIVNA Core Competency Trainer
- STI FOUNDATION-NHIVNA Advanced Competency Trainer

### Professional Membership required: (please tick as appropriate)

<b>STI FOUNDATION</b> • <i>Fundamental</i> • <i>Intermediate</i> • <i>Integrated</i> • <i>Advanced</i>	<b>STI FOUNDATION-NHIVNA</b> • <i>Core</i> • <i>Advanced</i>	<b>STI FOUNDATION Health Advising</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> BASHH	<input type="checkbox"/> BASHH <input type="checkbox"/> BHIVA / <input type="checkbox"/> NHIVNA	<input type="checkbox"/> BASHH <input type="checkbox"/> SHA

### Sexual Health Qualifications and Experience (please tick as confirmation)

#### Registration

- I have current registration as a Healthcare Professional (GMC, NMC, HCPC)
- For STI FOUNDATION Health Advising Competencies only:* I am a senior health advisor with 4 years full time experience

#### Current Role

- I am a Consultant Nurse/Physician
- I am a Senior Clinical Practitioner (B7 or above)
- I am a Medical Consultant in another specialty
- I am an SAS Grade
- I am a Senior Health Adviser

**State specialty:**

**State Specialty and Grade:**

For the **STI FOUNDATION Advanced and STI FOUNDATION-NHIVNA Competencies**, trainers whom are nurses or other healthcare professionals must be employed in a senior clinical practitioner role at least band 7 or above, e.g. consultant practitioner, advanced clinical practitioner, etc.

**Experience:** *(please tick to confirm you meet the criteria)*

- I have a minimum of 4-years, full time equivalent working experience within a level 3 GUM/Integrated Sexual Health Service
- I am continuing to work a minimum of 2 sessions per week (seeing men and women) in a Level 3 GUM/Integrated Sexual Health Service managing unselected, symptomatic, male and female patients as an autonomous practitioner
- for STI FOUNDATION *Integrated* only: prescribing/supplying or administering contraception for at least 2 sessions a week, with a minimum of 2 years of previous experience

**Sexual Health Qualifications**

I hold national qualification(s) in sexual health: *(please tick all that apply)*

Qualifications required	Required for Competency Trainer role
<input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Completion of Training (CCT)	STI FOUNDATION <i>Fundamental</i> Competency Assessment Lead STI FOUNDATION <i>Intermediate</i> Competency Trainer STI FOUNDATION <i>Advanced</i> Competency Trainer STI FOUNDATION-NHIVNA <i>Core</i> Competency Trainer STI FOUNDATION-NHIVNA <i>Advanced</i> Competency Trainer*
<input type="checkbox"/> DipGUM <i>(required to fulfil trainer role for the alongside competencies)</i>	STI FOUNDATION <i>Fundamental</i> Competency Assessment Lead STI FOUNDATION <i>Intermediate</i> Competency Trainer STI FOUNDATION <i>Advanced</i> Competency Trainer*
<input type="checkbox"/> valid STI FOUNDATION <i>Advanced</i> Competency certificate	STI FOUNDATION <i>Fundamental</i> Competency Assessment Lead STI FOUNDATION <i>Intermediate</i> Competency Trainer STI FOUNDATION <i>Advanced</i> Competency Trainer*
<input type="checkbox"/> valid STI FOUNDATION <i>Intermediate</i> Competency certificate	STI FOUNDATION <i>Fundamental</i> Competency Assessment Lead
<input type="checkbox"/> DFSRH	STI FOUNDATION <i>Integrated</i> Competency Trainer
<input type="checkbox"/> valid STI FOUNDATION <i>Health Advising</i> Competency certificate	STI FOUNDATION <i>Health Advising</i> Competency Trainer
<input type="checkbox"/> valid STI FOUNDATION-NHIVNA <i>Advanced</i> Competency certificate	STI FOUNDATION-NHIVNA <i>Core</i> Competency Trainer STI FOUNDATION-NHIVNA <i>Advanced</i> Competency Trainer*

**\*Masters level award in advanced clinical practice - nurses and allied health professionals (AHPs) only**

I have a Master's level award (PGDip or MSc) in advanced clinical practice<sup>1</sup> and am an independent and supplementary non-medical prescriber.

**Clinical Education - Teaching qualification<sup>2</sup> (please tick as confirmation)**

I have a formal teaching, assessment and mentoring skills and for STI FOUNDATION *Fundamental* have experience of Observed Structured Clinical Examinations (OSCEs)

**Train the Trainer workshop**

I have attended/ will attend the STI FOUNDATION Competency Train the Trainer Webinar: (please indicate)

Attended:

22<sup>nd</sup> March 2023

I will register for the next TTT date TBA

To register email [stif@bashh.org](mailto:stif@bashh.org)

**Please note that you need to register as a Registered STI FOUNDATION Competency Trainer within 4 months of attending the workshop and to maintain your STI FOUNDATION Competency Trainer registration you will need to start training STI FOUNDATION Competency trainees or hold a Fundamental assessment event within a year of your registration.**

It is advisable that all members of the training and assessment team attend the STI FOUNDATION Competency Train the Trainers Workshop. **This event is run annually and should be attended at least once every 5 years** (for more information about the next workshop visit <https://www.stif.org.uk/>).

**Other staff involved in training**

Other members of the multidisciplinary team, such as senior nurses, health advisors and Specialty Trainees depending on their experience, may be involved in much of the day-to-day clinical training and assessment of the trainees undertaking *STI FOUNDATION Intermediate* and *STI FOUNDATION Integrated*, and can contribute to *STI FOUNDATION Advanced* Competency training.

It is incumbent on the Registered STI FOUNDATION Competency Trainer to be confident that anyone involved in training and assessing within their units who is not a Registered STI FOUNDATION Competency Trainer is competent in the use of the assessment tools and that they themselves have the required level of clinical competence in order to train.

The *STI FOUNDATION Competency* programmes are updated regularly and it is the Registered Named STI FOUNDATION Competency Trainer's responsibility to ensure that they keep up to date with any changes via regular review of the relevant pages of the STI FOUNDATION website and reading information sent to them directly by the *STI FOUNDATION Competency* team.

I agree to my name, clinic address and email address being provided on the list of registered Named STI FOUNDATION Competency Assessment Clinicians and Trainers on the STI FOUNDATION Competency section of the STI FOUNDATION website.

I understand this list is openly available on the STI FOUNDATION web site without password protection so potential STI FOUNDATION Competency trainees can identify trainers.

**SIGNATURE:**

Please sign and scan and email to [stif@bashh.org](mailto:stif@bashh.org)

<sup>1</sup> Or related master's degree

<sup>2</sup> Doctors – training available in all medical deaneries and Royal Colleges.

Nurses - must have a recognised teaching and/or mentoring qualification