

# Competency Framework for ACT Clinical Measurement Sciences



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## CMS Vision:

Clinical Measurement Science professionals deliver compassionate service through collaboration and excellence

### Aim

To develop a framework that outlines knowledge, skills, behaviours and attributes required by CMS scientific staff (cardiac, neurophysiology, respiratory and sleep sciences).

- ACT Health Quality Improvement Project
- Historically there have been no CMS-specific undergraduate courses in Australia
- CMS are currently non-regulated professions; raising issues of accountability and responsibility.
- ACTH is committed to ensuring AH professionals are appropriately qualified and experienced; through credentialing and defining scope of practice processes. Credentialing requirements emphasise the importance for a competency framework for non-regulated professions.

### Benefits

The benefits from implementing the Framework:

- Providing a standardised approach for the assessment, maintenance and monitoring of knowledge, skills, behaviours and attributes
- Clearly communicate what CMS need to do to be effective in their role
- Helping to identifying gaps in competency and training requirements
- Allowing for effective evaluation of performance

