Authors (year)/ Country of study/ Type of study	Phase of training	Number of EPAs considered discussed in article and content or title of EPAs	Codes ^y	QATSDD- score**
Boyce et al. (2011)/ Australia/ New Zealand/ Cross- sectional survey [24]	GME	 4 EPAs identified for end-of-first-year residency training: 1. Completing a discharge summary; 2. Initiating antipsychotic medication in a patient with schizophrenia; 3. Leading the multidisciplinary team discussion regarding the care of a patient; and 4. Carrying out a diagnostic explanation to a family about a young adult's psychiatric illness. 	Development: - Initial EPAs drafted o By working group - EPAs revised and refined o Survey	26
Port et al. (2012)/ Australia/ New Zealand/ Educational case report [28]	GME	1 EPA: Administer electroconvulsive therapy (ECT)	Development: - Initial EPAs drafted O By working group - EPAs tested for completeness in clinical setting - EPAs mapped to milestones/competencies	27
Ten Cate et al. (2012)/ The Netherlands/ Expert consensus [17]	GME	1 EPA: Patient handover	Development: - Initial EPAs drafted o By working group	N/A
Jurd et al. (2015)/ Australia/ New Zealand/ Educational case report [19]	GME	9 Stage 1 and 2 EPAs, 31 subspecialty EPAs***: Stage 1 - GEN - EPA5 - Use of an antipsychotic medication in a patient with schizophrenia/psychosis. Stage 1 - GEN - EPA6 - Providing psychoeducation to a patient and their family and/or carers about a major mental illness. Stage 2 - EXP - EPA1 - Demonstrating proficiency in all the expected tasks associated with prescription, administration and monitoring of ECT Stage 2 - EXP - EPA2 - The application and use of the mental health Act.	Development: - Initial EPAs drafted o From literature review o By working group o From interviews/focus groups Implementation: o Enrolment in competency- based curriculum o EPA performance recorded by trainee in portfolio	21

Stage 2 - EPA3 - Assessment and management of risk of harm to self and others.

Stage 2 - EPA 5 - Assess and manage adults with cultural and linguistic diversity.

Stage 2 - PSY - EPA 2 - Psychodynamically informed patient encounters and managing the therapeutic alliance.

Stage 2 - PSY - EPA 3 - Supportive psychotherapy.

Stage 2 - PSY - EPA 4 - Cognitive—behavioural therapy (CBT) for management of anxiety.

Stage 2 - CAP - EPA1 - Develop a management plan for an adolescent where school attendance is at risk.

Stage 2 - CAP - EPA2 - Clinical assessment of a prepubertal child.

Stage 2 - CL - EPA1 - Care for a patient with delirium.

Stage 2 - CL – EPA2 - Manage clinically significant psychological distress in the context of the patient's medical illness in the general hospital.

Stage 2 - ADD - EPA1 - Management of substance intoxication and substance withdrawal.

Stage 2 - ADD - EPA2 - Comorbid mental health and substance use problems.

Stage 2 - POA – EPA1 - Behavioural and psychological symptoms in dementia (BPSD).

Stage 2 - POA – EPA2 - The appropriate use of antidepressants and antipsychotics in patients aged 75 years and over (or under 75 with excessive frailty).

Stage 2 - AP - EPA1 - Assess treatment-refractory psychiatric disorders.

Stage 2 - AP - EPA2 - Physical comorbidity 2.

Stage 2 - AP - EPA3 - Assess and manage a patient with anorexia nervosa presenting in a severely underweight state.

Stage 2 - AP - EPA3 - Assess and manage an adult with bulimia nervosa.

Stage 2 - AP - EPA5 - Assess and manage a woman experiencing a major postpartum illness within 12 months of childbirth.

Stage 2 - AP – EPA6 - Assess and manage a pregnant woman presenting with a psychiatric disorder.

Stage 2 - AP - EPA7 - Assess and manage a mental illness occurring in an adult with an established diagnosis of epilepsy.

Assessment (Methods)

- EPA observed and assessed in practice by senior faculty
- Non-clinical performance
- Portfolio review
- Chart-based audit

Assessment (Tools/Measures)

- Assessment form (In-Training-Assessment form)
- Multiple assessment forms (Case-based discussion; Mini Clinical Evaluation Exercise; Observed Clinical Activity; Professional Presentation; Direct Observation of Procedural Skills)
- Yes/No-Entrustment

		Stage 2 - AP - EPA8 - Assess and manage psychological and		
		behavioural symptoms in an adult under the age of 50 with an		
		acquired brain injury.		
		Stage 2 - AP - EPA9 - Assessment of people of Pacific Island		
		descent.		
		Stage 2 - AP – EPA10 - Collaborative management of people of		
		Pacific Island descent.		
		Stage 2 - AP - EPA11 - Differential diagnosis in people presenting		
		for the first time with psychosis.		
		Stage 2 - AP - EPA12 - Engagement with people with first episode		
		psychosis and with their families.		
		Stage 2 - FP - EPA1 - Violence risk assessment and management		
		Stage 2 - FP - EPA2 - Expert evidence 2.		
		Stage 2 - FP - EPA3 - Understanding and managing psychological		
		issues in forensic patients and carers		
		Stage 2 - INDAU - EPA1 - Interviewing an Aboriginal or Torres		
		Strait Islander patient.		
		Stage 2 - INDAU - EPA2 - Develop a mental healthcare		
		management plan for an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander		
		patient.		
		Stage 2 - INDNZ - EPA1 - Interviewing a Māori patient.		
		Stage 2 - INDNZ - EPA2 - Develop a mental healthcare		
		management and recovery plan for a Māori patient.		
		Stage 2 - RES - EPA1 - Planning and initiating a research project 2.		
		Stage 2 - RES - EPA2 - Planning, conducting and reporting a		
		review of scientific literature 2.		
		Stage 2 - RES - EPA3 - Skills in research methodology and data		
		collection 2.		
		Stage 2 - RES - EPA3 - Skills in data analysis and synthesis 2.		
Kealy-Bateman et	GME	Same as for Jurd et al. (2015)	Assessment (Methods)	N/A
al. (2016)/			 Portfolio review/Timing of summative 	
Australia/			assessment	
New Zealand/				
Expert consensus				
[18]				

Weiss et al. (2016)/ USA/ Educational	GME	18 exemplary EPAs according to year of postgraduate training:	Development - Literature review	27
USA/ Educational case report [29]		PGY1: Resident conducts a safety assessment in the emergency room setting. Resident can safely and effectively prescribe and monitor both conventional and atypical antipsychotics in the inpatient setting. Resident determines need for hospitalization vs discharge. Resident appropriately conducts a hand-off. Resident safely and effectively prescribes and monitors mood stabilizers PGY2: Resident performs a psychiatric evaluation in the geriatric outpatient setting. Resident manages the polypharmacy of treatment resistant patients. Resident evaluates and manages opiate withdrawal syndromes. Resident conducts a thorough evaluation of decisional capacity and makes appropriate management recommendations. Resident recognizes signs/symptoms of delirium and makes appropriate management recommendations Resident develops an appropriate psychiatric formulation and treatment plan for a child and/or adolescent patient PGY3: Resident appropriately responds to acute situations including doing a risk assessment and safety plan in the outpatient setting. Resident conducts cognitive behavioral therapy with an uncomplicated patient in the outpatient setting. Resident pharmacologically manages patients in the outpatient setting. Resident provides clinical instruction to junior learners, including residents and medical students, through	- Literature review - Initial EPAs drafted - From literature review - By working group - EPAs mapped to milestones/competencies - EPAs benchmarked with other sets of EPAs - EPAs revised and refined - Stakeholder deliberation	
		supervisory activities and teaching in core didactics.		

		- Resident participates in quality improvement activities and		
		the analysis of adverse and sentinel events.		
		- Resident conducts insight oriented psychotherapy in the		
		outpatient setting.		
		- Chief resident leads a multidisciplinary team on their		
		clinical service.		
Holt et al. (2017)/	GME	7 EPAs (Addiction Medicine Entrustable Professional Activities for	Development	30
USA/ Program		Internal Medicine Residents):	 Literature review 	
evaluation [26]			 Initial EPAs drafted 	
		Orients patients to Controlled Substance Agreement and	 By working group 	
		effectively interprets urine drug screening to ensure patient	 EPAs mapped to 	
		adherence	milestones/competencies	
		2. Provides effective relapse prevention counseling		
		3. Demonstrates understanding of common complications of	Implementation	
		addictive disorders	- Teaching Sessions	
		4. Accurately elicits an addiction history, including use of ancillary	- Observation of faculty on the ward	
		sources	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	
		5. Identifies the role of pharmacotherapy and effectively initiates	Assessment (Tools/Measures)	
		treatment	- Standardized rubric (Critical	
		6. Identifies the role of behavioral therapy and refers patients	deficiency, Early learner, Advancing	
		appropriately	learner, Ready for independent	
		7. Conducts effective, patient-centered brief interventions	practice, Aspirational)	
		7. Conducts checure, patient contered sher interventions	practice, replicational)	
Klapheke et al.	UME	13 EPAs (Core EPAs):	Assessment (Tools/Measures)	36
(2017)/ USA/		,	- Assessment form	
Cohort-study [33]		1. Gather a history and perform a physical or mental examination	 Standardized rubric (narrative 	
		2. Prioritize a differential diagnosis following a clinical encounter	descriptions anchored ratings of 1	
		3. Recommend and interpret common diagnostic and screening	through 5 which described	
		tests	performances typically expected of	
		4. Enter and discuss orders and prescriptions	first- through fourth-year medical	
		5. Document a clinical encounter in the patient record	students, Ratings 1 through 3	
		6. Provide an oral presentation of a clinical encounter	described progressive steps—rough	
		7. Form clinical questions and retrieve evidence to advance	milestones—in development toward	
		patient care	competence and entrustment. Rating 4	
		1'		
		8. Give or receive a patient handover to transition care	described an entrustable student, and	
		responsibility	rating 5 described a student or	
		9. Collaborate as a member of an inter-professional team	resident with development of	
		10. Recognize a patient requiring urgent or emergent care and	competence beyond the entrustment	
		initiate evaluation and management	level)	

		11. Obtain informed consent for tests and/or procedures12. Perform general procedures of a physician13. Identify system failures and contribute to a culture of safety and improvement		
Klapheke et al. (2017)/ USA/ Cohort-study [32]	UME	8 EPAs (selected from core EPAs): 1. (EPA #1) Gather a history and perform a physical or mental examination 2. (EPA #2) Prioritize a differential diagnosis following a clinical encounter 3. (EPA #3) Recommend and interpret common diagnostic and screening tests 4. (EPA #5) Document a clinical encounter in the patient record 5. (EPA #6) Provide an oral presentation of a clinical encounter 6. (EPA #7) Form clinical questions and retrieve evidence to advance patient care 7. (EPA #9) Collaborate as a member of an inter-professional team 8. (EPA #10) Recognize a patient requiring urgent or emergent care and initiate evaluation and management	Implementation:	36
Shelton et al. (2017)/ USA/ Expert consensus [21]	UME	13 EPAs (Core EPAs): 1. Gather a history and perform a physical or mental examination 2. Prioritize a differential diagnosis following a clinical encounter 3. Recommend and interpret common diagnostic and screening tests 4. Enter and discuss orders and prescriptions 5. Document a clinical encounter in the patient record 6. Provide an oral presentation of a clinical encounter 7. Form clinical questions and retrieve evidence to advance patient care 8. Give or receive a patient handover to transition care responsibility 9. Collaborate as a member of an inter-professional team 10. Recognize a patient requiring urgent or emergent care and initiate evaluation and management 11. Obtain informed consent for tests and/or procedures 12. Perform general procedures of a physician	Implementation (recommendations) - Teaching Sessions - Observation of faculty on the ward - Enrolment in competency-based curriculum	N/A

		13. Identify system failures and contribute to a culture of safety		
		and improvement		
Fage et al. (2018)/ Canada/ Expert consensus [20]	GME	 5 EPAs (emergency psychiatry rotation, foundation of discipline" level of training): 1. Performing psychiatric assessments in the emergency setting 2. Evaluating the medical stability of psychiatric patients in the emergency setting 3. Conducting risk assessments in the emergency setting 4. Assessing and managing agitated patients in the emergency setting 5. Using the Mental Health Act (legislation pertaining to psychiatric care in the Canadian province of Ontario) in the emergency setting 	Development - Literature review - Initial EPAs drafted	N/A
Grabovac et al. (2018)/ Canada/ Expert consensus [22]	GME	2 EPAs for Mindfulness-Based Interventions: 1. Assess for suitability and prescribe an appropriate Mindfulness-Based Intervention (MBI) 2. Deliver a manualized MBI to individuals or groups for whom it is indicated, with fidelity to core aspects of mindfulness-based teaching (assumes core milestones are met)	Development: - Initial EPAs drafted	N/A
Menezes et al. (2018)/ Canada/ Expert consensus [23]	UME	12 EPAs (The Association of Faculties of Medicine of Canada): 1. Obtain a history and perform a physical examination, adapted to the patient's clinical situation 2. Formulate and justify a prioritized differential diagnosis 3. Formulate an initial plan of investigation based on the diagnostic hypotheses 4. Interpret and communicate results of common diagnostic and screening tests 5. Formulate, communicate and implement management plans 6. Present oral and written reports that document a clinical encounter 7. Provide and receive the handover in transitions of care 8. Recognize a patient requiring urgent or emergent care, provide initial management and seek help 9. Communicate in difficult situations	Development: - Literature review - EPAs mapped to milestones/competencies - Framework Implementation (recommendations): - Enrolment in competency-based curriculum - EPA performance recorded by trainee in portfolio Assessment (methods recommendation) - EPA observed and assessed in practice by senior faculty - Non-clinical performance	N/A

		10. Participate in health quality improvement initiatives11. Perform general procedures of a physician12. Educate patients on disease management, health promotion and preventative medicine	Portfolio reviewWritten Exam	
Sadhu et al. (2018)/ USA/ Educational case report [30]	GME	1 EPA (exemplary) : Conduct an Outpatient or Inpatient Visit Focused on Individual Psychotherapy Treatment	Implementation (recommendations for faculty training, development of Evaluations, clinical competency committees (CCC), validity, Programmatic Changes): - Teaching Sessions - Observation of faculty on the ward - Enrolment in competency-based curriculum - Peer feedback - EPA performance recorded by trainee in portfolio	30
Young, Hasser et al. (2018)/ USA/ Mixed-methods study [25]	GME	1. Manage psychiatric patients longitudinally 2. Manage psychiatric emergencies 3. Conduct psychiatric diagnostic evaluations 4. Manage patient's psychiatric conditions with medications 5. Manage involuntary commitment and treatment 6. Assess and manage decision-making capacity 7. Manage transitions in care 8. Provide psychiatric consultation to other clinicians or services 9. Provide supportive psychotherapy 10. Lead an interprofessional health care team Excluded because of unmet validity threshold: 11. Provide cognitive behavioral therapy 12. Provide psychodynamic psychotherapy 13. Apply quality improvement methodologies to one's patient panel or clinical service	Development: - Literature review - Initial EPAs drafted o From literature review o By working group o From interviews/focus groups - EPAs revised and refined o Delphi Method o Survey o Stakeholder deliberation - EPAs mapped to milestones/competencies	47
Young, Irby et al. (2018)/ USA/ Content-validity survey [34]	GME	1 EPA: Manage patient's psychiatric conditions with medications	Assessment (Tools/Measures) - Assessment form (26 items) - Suggested entrustment scale: co- treatment, direct supervision, indirect	41

			supervision, ready for independent practice, and nearing mastery	
Young, Rasul et al. (2018)/ USA/ Internal structure validity study [35]	GME	1 EPA: Manage patient's psychiatric conditions with medications	Assessment (Tools/Measures): internal validity - Affective tasks (alpha = 0.90), cognitive tasks (alpha = 0.84), and hard tasks (alpha = 0.74)	37
Koelkebeck et al. (2019)/ Germany/ Program evaluation [16]	UME	Exemplary EPAs (based on US core EPAs): 1. (EPA#1) Gather a history and perform a physical or mental examination 2. (EPA#2) Prioritize a differential diagnosis following a clinical encounter 3. (EPA#4) Enter and discuss orders and prescriptions 4. (EPA#5) Document a clinical encounter in the patient record 5. (EPA#10) Recognize a patient requiring urgent or emergent care and initiate evaluation and management 6. (EPA#12) Perform general procedures of a physician	Implementation - Teaching Sessions - Observation of faculty on the ward - Enrolment in competency-based curriculum Assessment (Methods) - Non-clinical performance - Written Exam	31
Schatte et al. (2019)/ USA/ Educational case report [31]	UME	1. Gather a history and perform a physical or mental examination 2. Prioritize a differential diagnosis following a clinical encounter 3. Recommend and interpret common diagnostic and screening tests 4. Enter and discuss orders and prescriptions 5. Document a clinical encounter in the patient record 6. Provide an oral presentation of a clinical encounter 7. Form clinical questions and retrieve evidence to advance patient care 8. Give or receive a patient handover to transition care responsibility 9. Collaborate as a member of an inter-professional team 10. Recognize a patient requiring urgent or emergent care and initiate evaluation and management 11. Obtain informed consent for tests and/or procedures 12. Perform general procedures of a physician 13. Identify system failures and contribute to a culture of safety and improvement	Implementation - Teaching Sessions: small group discussion, peer teaching, role-play exercises, self-study solving management decisions of written cases, and standardized patient encounters Assessment (Tools/Measures) - Self-assessment of confidence (0=not at all comfortable, 1=somewhat comfortable, 2=neutral, 3=somewhat comfortable, 4=very comfortable)	34

		14. Miscellaneous (Describe the professionalism standards for psychiatrist)		
Vietz et al. (2019)/ Germany/ Qualitative study [27]	GME	1 EPA: Conducting a ward round (working title)	 Initial EPA drafted (identification of relevant competences) From interviews/focus groups 	42

N/A: not applicable

^{*}Undergraduate Medical Education (UME), Graduate Medical Education (GME) ψCodes adapted from [3]

^{**}Quality assessment tool for studies with diverse designs (QATSDD-score), 16-items, range: 0 – 42 points (for quantitative studies) range: 0 - 42 points (for quantitative studies) range: 0-48 points (for mixed-methods studies)

^{***} Retrieved from www.ranzcp.org, on June 16th 2019