

HAP11 Environmental emergencies

The trainee will be able to evaluate the patient who presents with medical problems that are caused by an environmental emergency, produce a valid differential diagnosis, appropriate investigation and implement a management plan		
Knowledge	Assessment Methods	GMP Domains
<p>Know how to recognise, investigate and provide emergency treatment for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Heat stroke and heat exhaustion ▪ Drug-related hyperthermias ▪ Hypothermia and frost bite ▪ Electrical burns, electrocution ▪ Decompression sickness ▪ Near-drowning ▪ Radiation exposure and safety ▪ Industrial chemical incidents ▪ Bites and envenomations typical for the UK ▪ High altitude emergencies - cerebral and pulmonary oedema 	E, Mi, C, ACAT	1
Skills		
Anticipates related complications	Mi, C	1
Behaviours		
Able to work with a number of teams to achieve best patient care	Mi, C	1,2