

GUIDED LEARNING HOURS - GN 8 Appendix 3

Introduction

This Appendix has been produced to support the ACS Entry Routes and Changeover Requirements - Guidance Note 8. The durations indicated in Tables 1 – 3 are for guidance when existing GSR operatives extend either Scope or Range of work.

Some examples of activities which can contribute to Guided Learning include:

- Classroom-based learning supervised by a Teacher
- Work-based learning supervised by a Teacher
- Live webinar or telephone tutorial with a Teacher in real time
- E-learning supervised by a Teacher in real time
- All forms of assessment which take place under the Immediate Guidance or Supervision of a lecturer, supervisor, tutor or other appropriate provider of education or training, including where the assessment is competence-based and may be turned into a learning opportunity.

Table 1 Existing GSR operatives extending Range of certification

	Hours	Days
1. Installation and Servicing of Domestic Central Heating and Hot Water Appliances (CENWAT)	10	1.5
2. Heating Design, Heat Loss and Comfort Conditions	20	3
3. Hot Water Safety		
4. Water Regulations		
5. Installation and Servicing of Domestic Ducted Air Heaters (DAH1)	6.5	1
6. Installation and Servicing of Domestic Cooking Appliances (CKR1)	6.5	1
7. Installation and Servicing of Domestic Space Heating Appliances (HTR1)	10	1.5
8. Installation of Domestic Meters (MET1)	6.5	1
1. LPG External Pipework, (VESLP1, 2 and TPCP1)	20	3
2. Non Domestic and Catering Appliances (per appliance)	6.5	1

Table 2 Existing GSR operatives extending Scope of certification from Domestic NG to LPG or Non-Domestic

	Hours	Days
1. Natural Gas to LPG Installations (CoNGLP1 PD, LAV, RPH, B)	13	2
2. LPG Appliances (Per Appliance, e.g. HTRLP2 etc.)	4	0.5
3. Installation and Servicing of Non Domestic Heating Appliances (CoDNCO1, CIGA1, CDGA1 & CORT1)	40	6
4. Installation and Servicing of Non-Domestic Catering Appliances (CoDC1 & COMCAT 1 & 3)	32	5
5. Installation and Servicing of Non-Domestic Laundry Appliances (CoCCLNG1 & CLE1)	33	5
6. Installation of Non Domestic Pipework (CoDNCO1, ICPN1, TPCP1/1A)	33	5
7. Additional appliances as detailed in Table 2	N/A	N/A

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Table 3 Existing GSR operatives extending Scope of certification from LPG or Non-Domestic to Domestic NG

	Hours	Days
1. Commercial to Domestic Natural Gas (CoCDN1)	45	7
2. LPG to Domestic Natural Gas (CoLPNG1)	13	2
3. Additional appliances as detailed in Table 2	N/A	N/A

Note 1: The learning input durations are indicative and should not be considered as a minimum, maximum or fixed.

Note 2: The learning inputs are predominantly based on guided learning within a classroom environment with a teacher present, other complimentary learning input methods including E-learning, project work etc. may be acceptable subject to External Verifier approval.