



# On-Programme Delivery

Typically 27- 33 months from start

Employer employs the apprentice  
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Employer identifies lead provider (This could be an employer) – Provider must be on RoATP  
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Lead Provider contracts with ICME for EPA services on behalf of Employer or  
Employer Contracts with ICME for EPA services

Provider/Employer delivers training 27 to 33 months  
The apprentice will build up a portfolio of evidence

## Gateway to End-Point Assessment –

Employer, Provider and apprentice confirm readiness for EPA including Maths, English and Portfolio requirements

Book EPA via ICME booking process

Gateway – 6 months from the end of on-programme delivery



# End-Point Assessment

To be completed within 6 months  
from meeting gateway requirements

## Technical Interview supported by portfolio of evidence

10 scenario and competency based questions which  
are based on the contents of the portfolio

Awarded Fail/Pass/distinction



## Practical Observation

A range of substantial and complex tasks assessed by the IEPA  
Including 10 open questions

Awarded Fail/Pass/distinction



## ICME Moderation of grades given by IEPA



## ICME Final Grade Decision supported by Grade Report from IEPA



## Certification

ICME will apply for the Apprentice certificate through  
the ESFA. The ESFA aims to issue publically funded  
certificates within 10 working days of the request.