

ACP 2.0		Rating Scale (RS)	Comment Box (CB)
Domain	Essential Competencies		
Domain 1 Physiotherapy Expertise As experts in mobility and function, physiotherapists use clinical reasoning that integrates unique knowledge, skills and attitudes to provide quality care and enhance the health and wellbeing of their clients.	1.1 Employ a client-centered approach.	RS-1	CB-1
	1.2 Ensure physical and emotional safety of client.		
	1.3 Conduct client assessment.	RS-2	CB-2
	1.4 Establish a diagnosis and prognosis.	RS-3	
	1.5 Develop, implement, monitor and evaluate an intervention plan.	RS-4	CB-3
	1.6 Complete or transition care.		
	1.7 Plan, deliver and evaluate programs.		
Domain 2 Communication As communicators, physiotherapists use effective strategies to exchange information and to enhance therapeutic and professional relationships.	2.1 Use oral and non-verbal communication effectively.*	RS-5	CB-4
	2.2 Use written communication effectively.*	RS-6	
	2.3 Adapt communication approach to context.*		
	2.4 Use communication tools and technologies effectively.*		
Domain 3 Collaboration As collaborators, physiotherapists work effectively with others to provide inter- and intraprofessional care.	3.1 Promote an integrated approach to client services.	RS-7	CB-5
	3.2 Facilitate collaborative relationships.		
	3.3 Contribute to effective teamwork.		
	3.4 Contribute to conflict resolution.		
Domain 4 Management As managers, physiotherapists manage self, time, resources and priorities to ensure safe, effective and sustainable services.	4.1 Support organizational excellence.	RS-8	CB-6
	4.2 Utilize resources efficiently and effectively.		
	4.4 Engage in quality improvement activities.	RS-9	
	4.3 Ensure a safe practice environment.		
	4.5 Supervise others.		
	4.6 Manage practice information safely and effectively.		
Domain 5 Leadership As leaders, physiotherapists envision and advocate for a health system that enhances the wellbeing of society.	5.1 Champion the health needs of clients.	RS-12	CB-7
	5.2 Promote innovation in healthcare.	RS-13	
	5.3 Contribute to leadership in the profession.		
Domain 6 Scholarship As scholars, physiotherapists demonstrate a commitment to excellence in practice through continuous learning, the education of others, the evaluation of evidence, and contributions to scholarship.	6.1 Use an evidence-informed approach in practice.	RS-14	CB-8
	6.2 Engage in scholarly inquiry.		
	6.4 Maintain currency with developments relevant to area of practice.	RS-15	
	6.3 Integrate self-reflection and external feedback to improve personal practice.		
	6.5 Contribute to the learning of others.		
Domain 7 Professionalism As autonomous, self-regulated professionals, physiotherapists are committed to working in the best interest of clients and society, and to maintaining high standards of behaviour.	7.1 Comply with legal and regulatory requirements.	RS-17	CB-9
	7.2 Behave ethically.		
	7.4 Act with professional integrity.	RS-18	
	7.5 Maintain personal wellness consistent with the needs of practice.		
	7.3 Embrace social responsibility as a health professional.		
	with RS-13 (5.2, 5.3)	with CB-7	

*2.3 and 2.4 are considered when completing the rating scales for 2.1 and 2.2