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Infection Preventionist (IP) Competency Model

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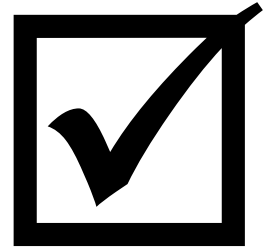
- Read the **APIC 2019 Competency Model paper** AJIC 2019:47(6);602-614
- Check out the **interactive APIC Competency Model**
- View a **presentation** on the Competency Model
- Find the **Sample job description** and compare with your job description(s)
- Update your job description(s)** using the Sample job description and the Professional and Practice Standards
- For Novice/Becoming Proficient IPs – Take the **Self-Assessment** using the on-line Tool. Use it to guide your PD and competency improvement plan
- Consider developing an **IP Career Ladder** for your program. Use the grid in the *AJIC* Competency Model paper as a guide to develop competency statements for different career levels.

Developmental Path of the Infection Preventionist

<https://apic.org/professional-practice/roadmap/>

- Read the **APIC Professional and Practice Standards** paper AJIC 2016: 44(7);745-9
- Locate and review the **Novice Roadmap**
- Design or update your new novice IP Orientation checklist/program referencing the Novice Roadmap
- Locate the **Proficient Practitioner Bridge**
- For the Proficient IP, use the **Proficient Practitioner Bridge** to develop your annual self-evaluation, professional development plan and goals
- For Expert IPs, explore the **APIC Fellows** program.

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