



CSDS Verification of competency

A verification of competency (VOC) is a method of assessment that demonstrates your ability to competently operate and maintain CSDS manikins.

To loan and operate CSDS manikins at your workplace you are required to have successfully completed a VOC.

Verification of competency needs to be **completed annually**.

Most part task trainers or Megacode Kellys with Vitalsim handpiece don't require a VOC.

VOC process

1. Register for and complete:

- [Introduction to Simulation Training \(IST\)](#)
- [Simulation Coordinator Training \(SCT\)](#)

2. During SCT you will complete a VOC for three full body manikins.

3. Additional training from CSDS is needed to complete a VOC for other manikins. Express your interest via our [contact form](#).

VOC assessors

To make it easier to maintain your VOC currency, CSDS allows those who meet the criteria below to assess others.

To deliver a VOC you will need to have completed:

- [Introduction to Simulation Training \(IST\)](#)
- [Simulation Coordinator Training \(SCT\)](#)
- Hold a current VOC in the relevant manikin

The participant will need to have completed:

- [Introduction to Simulation Training](#)
- [Simulation Coordinator Training](#)

