# Reflective practice:

# Criterion 2 template

Please provide evidence of your reflective practice for criterion 2. Further information and a guidance video are available in the [[Application guide](https://www.bacp.co.uk/membership/accredited-membership/apply-for-individual-accreditation/criterion-2/)](https://www.bacp.co.uk/membership/accredited-membership/apply-for-individual-accreditation/criterion-6/)

## Considerations

* **Referencing:** please ensure you indicate where you meet each individual sub criterion. Either use the headings provided in this template, or reference within your work by using brackets, section headings or margin notes.

For previous criteria, you may have written a paragraph for each individual sub-criterion, but the case study material might not fit so neatly.

A single sentence or paragraph may provide evidence for more than one of the sub-criteria. This is quite acceptable but show where you believe you're meeting the individual criteria at the end of the sentence or paragraph.

* **Word limit:** the word limit for criterion 2 is 3,000 words.

You do not need to include any titles or referencing in the word count. Show the word count at the end of your piece of work.

Members who identify as living with a learning difference or disability can use an additional 10% word count for all criteria.

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**Your name**:

 **BACP membership number**:

## Criterion 2: Case material demonstrating your practice with 1 or 2 clients (up to 3,000 words)

* Please write a case study to show how the theory/theories, understandings and approaches described in Criterion 1 and its sub-criteria inform your practice.
* Show how you work using the approach you have described in Criterion One. You can write about your work with a single client or with two clients.
* Your case material should cover the following clearly referenced five points:

**2.i. Examples of the types of interventions and/or responses that you used including why you used them and the impact this had on the client the therapeutic relationship, and the therapeutic process**.

**2.ii. Your awareness of the issues of difference and equality present in the relationship with your client, the impact these issues had on the therapeutic relationship and how you worked with these in the process with your client**.

**2.iii. How you used self-reflection and self-awareness in the therapeutic process and relationship with your client**.

**2.iv. How you worked through an ethical consideration or issue using the Ethical Framework. You will need to describe the situation making reference to the specific elements of the Ethical Framework that informed your ethical decision-making process**.

**2.v. How you used supervision for the benefit of this client work. You will need to include the learning and awareness that you gained from supervision and how you subsequently applied this in the client work being used for your case material**.

Total word count: