



Industry sponsorship of JAG approved training courses

JAG support the development, and provide ongoing quality assurance, of endoscopy training courses. These courses are delivered at various JAG approved training centres around the UK.

We acknowledge that industry support of endoscopy skills based courses allows such events to be provided to learners at a reduced cost, supporting their accessibility and delivery. We also recognise the market advantage that being a key provider of such courses could provide, notably when courses are a requirement for certification in a procedure.

Courses that are funded by industry, or supported in other ways such as with donations of equipment, will only be considered for JAG approval if they meet, and agree to, the following requirements:

- Support is in the form of an unrestricted educational grant to the course provider as defined by The Association of the British Pharmaceutical Industry (APBI) and Association of British HealthTech Industries (ABHI).
- Any contract entered into between the industry supplier and the provider meets the spirit and requirements for provision of JAG approved training courses.
- Provision is made in the learning objectives of the course to deliver teaching on alternative manufacturer equipment and key differences in clinical use.
- Where possible, other industry suppliers are offered the opportunity to either co-support the course, present their own devices on the course, either as a display stand or a formal session on the available devices or technologies, or by provision of equipment for teaching purposes.
- Industry partners must abide by the principles in [Clause 19 of the APBI Code of Practice for the Pharmaceutical Industry 2019](#) and/or the [ABHI Code of ethical business practice 2018](#) as appropriate.