

Development Principles

- This working group will develop medical education/development-relevant profiles with the goal of publishing them on broadly accepted sites such as the [Tincan Registry](#) and [ADL registry](#).
- For now, we will use [Google Docs for authoring and revisions](#), since neither registry is likely to have collaborative tools for authoring profiles. Contact us if you would like shared edit access to these working notes.
- Each profile will be specific to a type of activity, such as virtual patient, mannequins, clinical training.
- We anticipate that there will be a layered hierarchy of Profiles, with the later more complex profiles building upon the earlier profiles.
- Our first profile is the Virtual Patient profile because it is relatively easy to define the verbs.
- We will keep the scope of the first profile fairly limited, and later evaluate if we want to add notes on how to use the context-activities or results sections of statements to reference competencies.
- Profiles will contain contextual notes regarding verbs used (ie what initialized means in the context of a virtual patient activity)
- Profiles will have IRIs. The statement context will point to the IRI of the profile to clarify verb meaning.
- We will define verbs, when new verbs are necessary, in a manner to be used across multiple profiles.
- There is now a [GitHub repository](#) for version control of Profiles. This is a better mechanism for official publishing of Profiles.
- There are some [good tips here on how](#) and whether to create a new Profile or Verb.