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## SUPPORTING QUALITY IN APPRENTICESHIPS: REGULATING END POINT ASSESSMENT

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# **Supporting Quality in Apprenticeships: Regulating End Point Assessment**

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- OfS regulates higher and degree apprenticeships
- Ofqual regulates the majority of apprenticeship standards
- A range of External Quality Assurance providers are responsible for a small number of standards

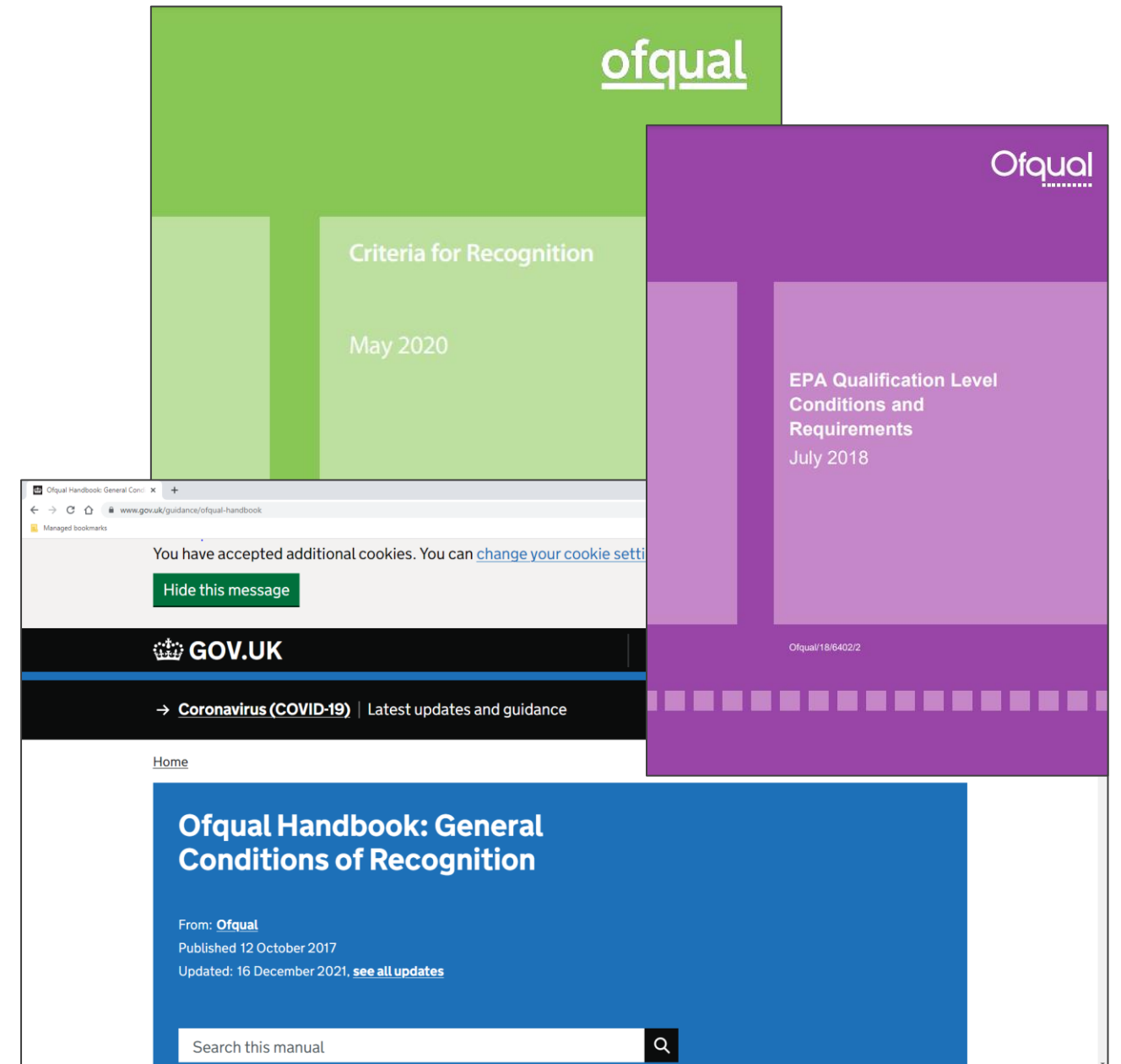


# Ofqual's responsibilities

- *regulated qualifications reliably indicate the knowledge, skills and understanding students have demonstrated*
- *assessments and exams show what a student has achieved*
- *people have confidence in the qualifications that we regulate*
- *students and teachers have information on the full range of qualifications that we regulate*

# Ofqual's Regulation

- Once recognised, the AO is then regulated against Ofqual's conditions
- AO compliance is monitored through a range of regulatory tools and activities



# Supporting Quality

- Regulation provides a framework for quality
- Risk-based
- Robust oversight of an AOs development, and their delivery of a qualification
- Identify and raise challenges regarding reliability and validity
- Ensure AOs are aware of their responsibilities
- Supports regulatory action



# Thank you

