Major change visitors' report

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Section one: Programme details

Name of education provider	University of Salford
Programme title	BSc (Hons) Diagnostic Radiography
Mode of delivery	Full time
Relevant part of the HCPC Register	Radiographer
Relevant modality	Diagnostic radiographer
Date of submission to the HCPC	25 January 2017
Name and role of HCPC visitors	Patricia Fillis (Diagnostic radiographer) Shaaron Pratt (Diagnostic radiographer)
HCPC executive	Niall Gooch

Section two: Submission details

Summary of change

SET 3: Programme management and resources

Curriculum changes and new opportunities for specialisation within programme.

SET 4: Curriculum

Changed learning outcomes for certain modules

SET 5: Practice placements

Possible changes to practice placements related to curriculum changes.

SET 6: Assessment

New methods of assessment and possible effects on progression.

The following documents were provided as part of the submission:

- Major change notification form (completed by the HCPC executive)
- Context pack
- Major change SETs mapping document (completed by education provider)
- Programme specification
- Minutes of programme team meeting
- Module specifications
- Student handbook
- Assessment map
- Guide to admissions
- Placement assessment form
- SOPs mapping

Section three: Additional documentation

- The visitors agreed that no further documentation was required in order to make a recommendation.
- The visitors agreed that additional documentation was required in order to make a recommendation. The standards of education and training (SETs), for which additional documentation was requested, are listed below with reasons for the request.

Section four: Recommendation of the visitors

To recommend a programme for ongoing approval, the visitors must be assured that the programme meets all of the standards of education and training (SETs) and that those who complete the programme have demonstrated an ability to meet our standards of proficiency (SOPs) for their part of the Register.

The visitors agreed to recommend to the Education and Training Committee that:

- There is sufficient evidence to show the programme continues to meet the standards of education and training and that those who complete the programme will continue to demonstrate an ability to meet the standards of proficiency.
- There is insufficient evidence to determine if or how the programme continues to meet the standards of education and training listed. Therefore, a visit is recommended to gather more evidence and if required place conditions on ongoing approval of the programme.