

Council, 7 July 2010

Presentation by Durham University

Executive summary and recommendations

Introduction

In March this year the HPC commissioned a research team from Durham University to undertake two projects that examine different aspects of the link between conduct concerns during pre-registration education and training and subsequent fitness to practice concerns.

This research is part of a series of projects being undertaken in the first phase of revalidation work to explore whether additional systems are needed to ensure the continuing fitness to practise of our registrants.

Jan Illing from Durham University will be presenting to Council on the progress to date, methodology being used and expected outcomes of the projects. A short paper will be circulated prior to the Council meeting.

Decision

This paper is to note. No decision is required.

Background information

- Paper noted by the Council on 20 May 2010: Enclosure 15 at http://www.hpc-uk.org/aboutus/council/councilmeetings_archive/index.asp?id=499
- Paper approved by the Council on 10 December 2009: Enclosure 12 at http://www.hpc-uk.org/aboutus/council/councilmeetings_archive/index.asp?id=457

Resource implications

The resource implications were outlined in the paper approved by Council on 10 December 2010.

Financial implications

This research has been funded via a Department of Health grant.

Appendices

None

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