

Education and Training Committee – 13 September 2012

Paper title: Health and Character Declarations

Executive summary and recommendations

Introduction

This paper is intended to provide the Education and Training Committee with an update on Health and Character Declarations that have been received by the HPC. Panels are currently meeting 10 - 14 times a month.

Decision

This paper is for information only. No decision is required.

Background information

There was a reduction in Registration Panels recently due to the Olympic period and the number of Panels has since increased. The number of Panels at the current level is temporary and is in anticipation of the increased volume of cases from Social Workers both on transfer to the HCPC and as new applications. This is subject to change and review as the actual number of cases to be heard becomes apparent, though longer term the number of panels will be higher than before the regulation of Social Workers by the HCPC when 7 panels a month were sitting.

Resource implications

None. Factored in to the FTP budget.

Financial implications

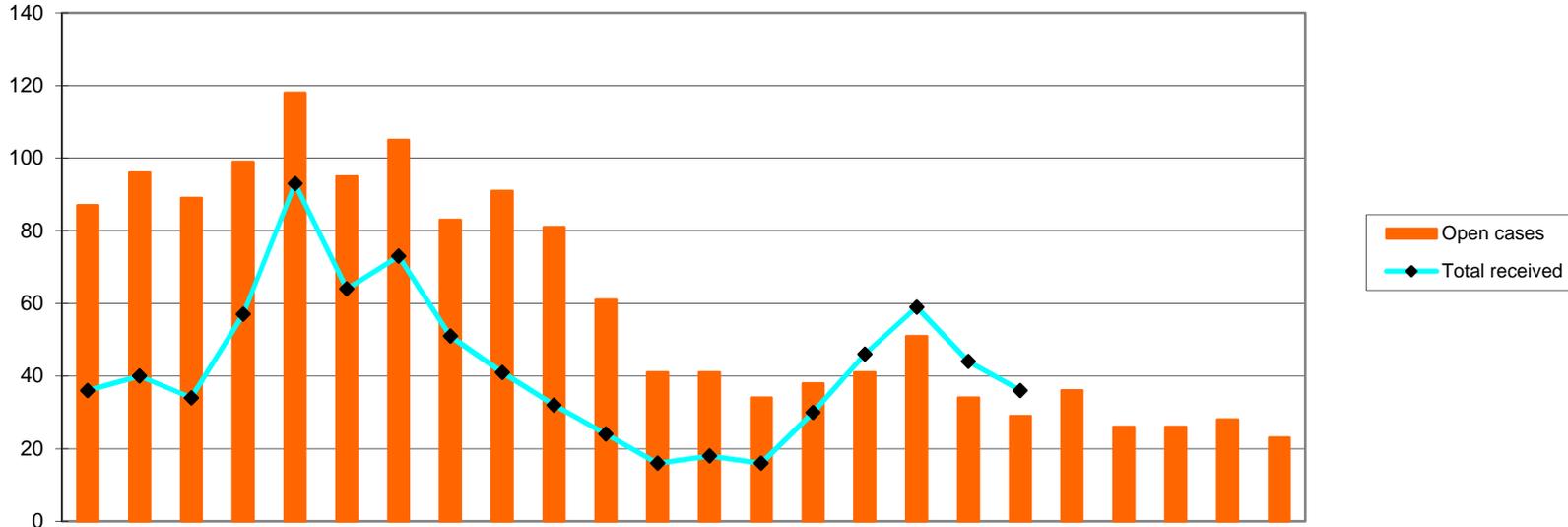
None. Accounted for in the FTP budget.

Appendices

Health and Character Statistics

Date of paper

2 September 2012



		2011			2012									2013			2005/6	2006/7	2007/8	2008/9	09/10	10/11	11/12										
		Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	FYE							
Received	Renewal	1	1	0	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1									36	27	81	43	154	4	8	
	Readmission	4	1	5	3	4	3	5	6	5	3	9	3	5	8	5	4									33	40	34	94	53	74	51	
	Admission	13	14	25	40	54	39	31	50	30	20	26	14	31	20	25	65									165	150	158	248	282	334	356	
	Self-referral	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	0	0	0									54	86	158	192	209	149	0	
	Total received	18	16	30	46	59	44	36	56	35	23	35	17	36	28	30	70									288	303	431	577	698	561	415	
Considered	Considered by panel	16	17	16	30	30	49	30	40	34	14	28	18	11	22	23	20									n/a	n/a	256	399	387	461	322	
	Referred to FTP	6	4	0	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0									n/a	n/a	37	41	61	60	15	
	Admission rejected	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	2	0	1	1	1									n/a	n/a	2	6	2	7	6	
	Readmission rejected	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	2	0	2	0	0	0									n/a	n/a	3	8	7	14	6	
	Renewal rejected	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0									n/a	n/a	0	2	1	0	0	
	Not referred to FTP	5	0	1	2	0	0	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	3	0	0									n/a	n/a	34	82	66	87	13	
	Admission accepted	4	12	15	21	27	42	28	35	26	12	22	12	7	18	19	19									n/a	n/a	150	204	204	247	256	
	Readmission accepted	1	0	0	5	0	3	0	4	2	1	3	4	2	0	0	0									n/a	n/a	19	51	32	45	23	
	Renewal accepted	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0									n/a	n/a	1	5	12	1	2	
	Closed before panel	1	5	8	13	16	12	10	9	10	7	6	4	17	10	7	0														143	153	101
		Open cases	41	34	38	41	51	34	29	36	26	26	28	23	29	24	22	59								n/a	n/a	75	75	87	35	23	

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