Health Professions Council Conduct and Competence Committee 12 September 2007

Committee Self-Evaluation

Executive Summary and Recommendations

Introduction

The Council approved the proposal at their meeting on 29 March 2007 that committees should undertake a self evaluation annually. The Council approved the Committee self evaluation form and recommended that the form was piloted at all forthcoming committee meetings.

At the request of the Committee Chairman the form was circulated to Committee members. Members were asked to bring the completed form to the Committee meeting on 12 September. A brief discussion of the results and also of the format of the self-evaluation form will take place at the meeting following which the results will be analysed by the Secretariat. The results of the analysis will be considered by the Committee at its November meeting.

Decision

The Committee is asked to have a preliminary discussion regarding the results of the self -evaluation and also of the format of the evaluation form. All feedback regarding the form will be noted by the Secretary to the Committee and will be considered at the Council Away Day in October 2007 when the self-evaluation exercise is evaluated.

The Committee is also asked to agree that the results of the self-evaluation should be analysed by the Secretariat and presented to the Committee as a paper at its November meeting.

Background information

None.

Resource implications

None.

Financial implications

None.

PPR

Appendices

Committee self evaluation form.

Date of paper

30 July 2007

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		Very Good (5)	Good (4)	Average	Fair (2)	Poor (1)	Comments
	Committee Administration and	(5)	(4)	(3)	(2)	(1)	
	Support						
1.	I receive the agenda and any related						
''	papers in good time before the meeting						
2.	The process of conducting meetings is						
	very clear to me						
3.	I understand the written information that I						
	am given by HPC employees						
	Committee Membership						
4.	I know and understand the						
	responsibilities of being a committee						
	member						
5.	I know and understand my role on the						
	Committee						
6.	I am clear about the objectives of the						
	Committee						
7.	I feel able to contribute in meetings						
	Committee						
8.	The Committee receives the appropriate						
	information to undertake its role						
9.	The Committee has clearly written						
	policies and procedures for how it runs						
10.	The Committee generally works well						
	together						
11.	The Committee is planning for its future						
12.	The Committee's size and structure is						
	appropriate						

13.	The Committee currently contains a sufficient range of expertise to carry out its duties effectively			
14.	The Committee has a diverse range of members.			
15.	The Committee regularly reviews its work as a committee			
	Strategy and Workplan			
16.	The Committee receives and approves the workplan on an annual basis.			
17.	The Committee is working with the Executive to develop its strategy			
18.	The Committee makes policy related decisions that then guide the way that the employees carry out operational duties			

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The purpose behind this evaluation is to try and determine:

- 1. How the work of HPC's Committees can become more effective
- 2. How we as individual members contribute to the work of the Committees

The checklist therefore incorporates a range of items, some are about the work of the Committee and some are about your individual contribution to it.

How the annual self-evaluation form should be used:

- Tick the boxes that you feel best represent what you think
- Look through the grids as a committee focusing in particular on the areas that you think are fair or poor
- Any other related points of feedback

Agreed at 29 March 2007 Council Meeting

Please suggest 5 areas that you think that you should tackle to improve the way that you work as a committee over the next year

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