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Minutes of the Education and Training Panel held on **Tuesday 2 December 2008** at Park House, 184 Kennington Park Road, London, SE11 4BU.

Present: Ms P Sabine (Chairman) Professor K Bryan Professor J Harper Ms E Thornton Mr N Willis

In attendance:

Mr C Bendall, Secretary to the Panel Ms T Samuel-Smith, Education Manager

Item 1.08/62 Apologies for absence

1.1 There were no apologies for absence.

Item 2.08/63 Declarations of conflicts of interest

2.1 Mr Willis declared an interest as an external examiner at the University of Essex (validating body for Colchester Institute).

Item 3.08/64 Programme approval

3.1 The Panel reached decisions in respect of programme approval, which are indicated in the appendix to these minutes:

Education Provider	Title of Programme	Delivery Mode	Issue discussed
Great Western	IHCD Paramedic	Full time	Visitors' report
Ambulance Service	award		with conditions
NHS Trust			to be met
The College Of	SAR Paramedic	Part time	Visitors' report
Search And Rescue	Training		with conditions
Medicine			to be met
Manchester	MSc Applied	Full time	Visitors' report
Metropolitan	Biomedical Science		with conditions
University			to be met

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Scottish Ambulance College	IHCD Paramedic Award	Full time	Visitors' report with representations
Manchester Metropolitan University	MSc Applied Biomedical Science	Full time	Programme approved
Swansea University	Supplementary Prescribing for Allied Health Professionals	Part time	Programme approved

Item 4.08/65 Annual monitoring

There were no matters to be discussed relating to annual 4.1 monitoring.

Item 5.08/66 Major changes

The Panel reached decisions in respect of programmes which had 5.1 undergone major changes, as indicated in the appendix to these minutes.

Education	Programme	Mode of Study	Issue
Provider	Name		discussed
Colchester	BSc (Hons)	Full Time	Major change,
Institute	Occupational	Accelerated	continuing
	Therapy		approval given
Colchester	BSc (Hons)	Part Time	Major change,
Institute	Occupational		continuing
	Therapy		approval given
Glasgow	Pharmacology for	Part Time	Major change,
Caledonian	Podiatrists		continuing
University			approval given
Manchester	BSc (Hons)	Full Time	Major change,
Metropolitan	Applied		continuing
University	Biomedical		approval given
	Science		
Manchester	BSc (Hons)	Part Time	Major change,
Metropolitan	Applied		continuing
University	Biomedical		approval given
	Science		
Queen Margaret	BSc (Hons)	Full Time	Major change,
University	Speech &		continuing
	Language		approval given
	Therapy		
Queen Margaret	Graduate Diploma	Full Time	Major change,
University	Speech &		continuing
	Language		approval given

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	Therapy		
University of Hertfordshire	Foundation Degree in Paramedic Science	Full Time	Major change, continuing approval given
University of Manchester	BSc (Hons) Speech & Language Therapy	Full Time	Major change, continuing approval given
University of Strathclyde	BSc (Hons) Speech & Language Pathology	Full Time	Major change, continuing approval given
The Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama	MA Music Therapy	Full Time	Major change, approval visit to take place
The Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama	MA Music Therapy	Part Time	Major change, approval visit to take place

Chairman

Date