

Education and Training Committee Panel

Programmes in respect of which approval is recommended subject to conditions

Programme name	BSc (Hons) in Social Work
Education provider	University of West London
Mode of delivery	FT (Full time)
Date of decision	23 March 2016

Panel: Stephen Wordsworth (Chair) Eileen Mullan
Maureen Drake Joanna Mussen
Sonya Lam Joy Tweed

Decision:

That the visitors' report (including the conditions and recommendations in the report) should be accepted, including the visitors' recommendation that the programme should be revisited to enable appropriate scrutiny of the response to the conditions.

As the scope of the revisit is to consider the response to the conditions, which are set across all standards of education and training (SETs) areas (with the exception of SET 1), the revisit must include meetings with all groups met at the previous visit, and should include a tour of facilities. The revisit must also be conducted before the end of June 2016, with a full and revised set of documentation, in addition to any specific conditions response, submitted at least six weeks before the visit date.

As part of their documentary submission, the education provider must confirm:

- The number of students that entered the programme in September 2015; and
- The maximum number of students that the programme intends to recruit in the 2016–17 academic year.

The Panel directs the executive to amend the report to ensure it sufficiently reflects the reasons for assessing if the programme continues to meet the SETs. The amendments to the report should be subject to legal scrutiny.

Reasons

The Panel is satisfied that the conditions in the visitors' report must be met before the ongoing approval of the programme can be confirmed, and that the programme should be revisited to enable appropriate scrutiny of the response to the conditions.

Signed: Stephen Wordsworth, Panel Chair

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Programmes in respect of which approval is recommended subject to conditions

Programme name	Postgraduate Diploma in Social Work Practice (Think Ahead)
Education provider	University of York and Think Ahead (Validated by University of York)
Mode of delivery	FT (Full time)
Date of decision	23 March 2016

Panel: Stephen Wordsworth (Chair) Eileen Mullan
Maureen Drake Joanna Mussen
Sonya Lam Joy Tweed

Decision:
That, in respect of this programme: The outcome recommended by the visitors (including the conditions set out in their report) be accepted, but subject to the variations set out below.
Reasons
In relation to the education provider's first observation, relating to the condition for SET 3.2, the Panel was satisfied that this condition should stand but with the following variations to the reasoning: Replace paragraph 1 sentence 2 with "The education provider will directly employ three Practice Specialists, who will be responsible for quality assuring placement experience for students. Each Practice Specialist will have oversight of the work of eight CSWs, who will remain within the structure of their employing organisation." Amend paragraph 2 sentence 1 to "In addition to the above structure the education provider is in the process of supporting partner organisations in the recruitment of a number of Reserve CSWs to cover instances where CSWs are unable to deliver their role long term due to illness or other such instances of absence."

In relation to the education provider's second observation, relating to the third condition for SET 3.5, the Panel were satisfied that this condition should stand but with the following variation to the reasoning:

Amend paragraph 1 sentence 1 to "From documentation and in meetings with the senior and programme teams, the visitors learnt that the programme intends to recruit a total of three Practice Specialists and to support partner organisations in the recruitment of 25 Consultant Social Workers."

In relation to the education provider's second and third observation, relating to the third condition for SET 3.5, the Panel was satisfied that this condition should stand but with the following variation to the reasoning:

Amend paragraph 1 sentence 2 to "The senior team stated that they currently have one Practice Specialist in post, with two Practice Specialists starting in April 2016. They have also supported partner organisations in the recruitment 18 CSWs, and were confident that they could support partner organisations in the recruitment of a total of 23 CSWs by the end of March 2016."

On this point, the Panel were satisfied that the visitors' report accurately reflected the conversations at the approval visit, and that therefore the number of CSWs noted should remain as it is. The Panel noted that if the information given at the visit was incorrect, that this should be clarified in the education provider's conditions response.

Signed: Stephen Wordsworth, Panel Chair

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Programmes in respect of which approval is recommended subject to conditions

Programme name	BSc (Hons) Occupational Therapy
Education provider	University of Essex
Mode of delivery	PT (Part time)
Date of decision	23 March 2016

Panel: Stephen Wordsworth (Chair) Eileen Mullan
Maureen Drake Joanna Mussen
Sonya Lam Joy Tweed

Decision
That the Visitors' report (including the conditions and recommendations in the report) should be accepted.
Reasons
The Panel is satisfied that the conditions in the Visitors' report must be met before the programme can be approved or before the ongoing approval of the programme can be confirmed.

Signed: Stephen Wordsworth, Panel Chair

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Programmes in respect of which approval is recommended subject to conditions

Programme name	MSc Occupational Therapy (Pre-registration)
Education provider	University of Essex
Mode of delivery	FTA (Full time accelerated)
Date of decision	23 March 2016

Panel: Stephen Wordsworth (Chair) Eileen Mullan
Maureen Drake Joanna Mussen
Sonya Lam Joy Tweed

Decision
That the Visitors' report (including the conditions and recommendations in the report) should be accepted.
Reasons
The Panel is satisfied that the conditions in the Visitors' report must be met before the programme can be approved or before the ongoing approval of the programme can be confirmed.

Signed: Stephen Wordsworth, Panel Chair

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Programmes in respect of which approval is recommended subject to conditions

Programme name	Post Graduate Diploma in Occupational Therapy (Pre-registration)
Education provider	University of Essex
Mode of delivery	FTA (Full time accelerated)
Date of decision	23 March 2016

Panel: Stephen Wordsworth (Chair) Eileen Mullan
Maureen Drake Joanna Mussen
Sonya Lam Joy Tweed

Decision
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Reasons
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Signed: Stephen Wordsworth, Panel Chair

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Programmes in respect of which approval is recommended subject to conditions

Programme name	Post Graduate Certificate in Mental Health Practice for Approved Mental Health Professionals
Education provider	University of Wolverhampton
Mode of delivery	PT (Part time)
Date of decision	23 March 2016

Panel: Stephen Wordsworth (Chair) Eileen Mullan
Maureen Drake Joanna Mussen
Sonya Lam Joy Tweed

Decision
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Reasons
The Panel is satisfied that the conditions in the Visitors' report must be met before the programme can be approved or before the ongoing approval of the programme can be confirmed.

Signed: Stephen Wordsworth, Panel Chair

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Programmes in respect of which approval is recommended subject to conditions

Programme name	Advanced University Diploma in Mental Health Practice for Approved Mental Health Professionals
Education provider	University of Wolverhampton
Mode of delivery	PT (Part time)
Date of decision	23 March 2016

Panel: Stephen Wordsworth (Chair) Eileen Mullan
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Decision
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Reasons
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