

Operations Directorate Management Information Pack

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1. Executive Summary

1.1 Registration - 1 November 2015 to 31 December 2015

As forecasted, the team received fewer UK applications and telephone calls, as well as UK email queries during this period. The team achieved all of the department's service standards, with the exception of UK and international email responses. The team responded to 96.2% of UK emails and 95.3% of international emails within two working days, compared to the standard of all emails being answered within two working days. Response times were adversely affected by the increase in volume for international emails and sickness absence.

1.1.1 Telephone Calls

The team experienced an increase of 2,041 more calls than forecasted during this period. The forecast has been normalised against the latest monthly figures and we now expect the figures to follow the forecast trend.

1.1.2 UK Applications

Historically, UK application volumes begin to decrease in the months before Christmas. The figures continue to follow the historical trend, with the team receiving 977 fewer UK applications than forecasted.

1.1.3 International Applications

The number of international applications received during this period are similar to the numbers earlier in the year. This shows the continued stability and strength of the UK economy. All international applications received were acknowledged within two working days.

1.1.4 Registration Renewals

In this period we had two professions renewing their registration. The renewal window for biomedical scientists closed on 30 November 2015, and the renewal window for radiographers will close on 29 February 2016. There continues to be an increase in registrants using the online portal to renew their registration.

Health and Care Professions Council **1.2 Project management**

During this period:

- 1 project has improved in outlook
- 3 projects have declined in outlook
- 4 projects have remained the same; and
- 1 project has closed

Significant progress has been made on the Telephone credit card automation and hosting change project and project activity has moved from design to focus on delivery of the service.

The Education systems build project has declined in outlook due to, primarily, project management resource issues during the summer coupled with a lack of focus by the primary supplier following the release of the main system. The project is now back on track and progressing well.

The Stakeholder relationship management project has declined in outlook due to further investigatory work being required on the issues identified which relate to integrating the system with the Education system platform.

The HR and Partners systems build project has declined in outlook due to further investigatory work being required to determine the extent of the additional development work required to deliver the Partners systems side of the project.

The 405 Kennington Road Fit Out project is progressing well. The landlord's renovation work is running to plan and is anticipated to complete on 25th November 2015. From this point onwards the focus of the project will switch to concentrate on the installation of all IT equipment, video conferencing facilities, wifi, furniture and building facilities.

There is however a significant issue to occupation of the building. We currently do not have commitment from BT regarding an installation date for the fibre optic cables required to operate the wide area network (WAN). Without the WAN in place, occupation of the building and the commencement of the tribunals in the new building is not possible. Work is continuing to escalate this issue with our supplier.

The opening of the register for Public Health Specialists project has prematurely closed due to a decision by the Department of Health to no longer continue with statutory regulation for this group at this time.

Health and Care Professions Council 1.3 Business Process Improvement

1.3.1 Audits & Processes

We are preparing for our next ISO 9001 and ISO27001 audits in April.

1.3.2 ISO27001 & Business Continuity

We will continue training employees and Partners on information security on an annual basis. Next training package is due February 2016.

Internal and external supplier audits have been carried out.

Our online DR plan "ShadowPlanner" nears completion following an upgrade to the software.

2 Registration Management Commentary

2.1. Operational performance 1 November 2015 to 31 December 2015

a) Telephone calls

i) UK telephone calls – During this period the team received a total of 17,016 telephone calls. This is 1590 less than the same period two years ago, but 1,830 more than forecast. The team answered 98.5% of calls received compared to 95% during the same period two years ago.

ii) International telephone calls – During this period the team received a total of 1,415 telephone calls. This is 313 more than the same period last year and represents a 28% increase in calls. The team answered 99% of calls received compared to 94% during the same period last year.

b) Application processing i) UK applications

A total of 2,045 UK applications were received during the period which is 32.3% less than forecasted. We received 442 or 17.8% less UK applications compared to the same period last year.

The team registered 2,149 UK applications which is 1,320 or 38% less than forecasted.

The team processed all UK applications within nine working days.

ii) Readmission applications

The team processed all readmission applications within nine working days.

iii) International applications

A total of 987 new international applications were received which is 18.2% more than forecasted. As a result, the operational forecast has been adjusted. This means that we will be forecasting to receive 5,734 new international applications this financial year which is 217 more applications than previously forecast. The forecast will be reviewed every two months.

We received 278 more International applications compared to the same period last year which represents a 39.2% increase.

The team registered 658 applications which is 285 more compared to the same period last year. This is 76.4% more than the same period last year, and 20.1% more than forecast. This is due to resource continuing to be allocated to registering international applications, following the peak period for new UK graduates applying for registration.

The team acknowledged receipt of applications within one working day on average during this period for both European Mutual Recognition (EMR) and Non-EMR applications. The team are currently processing complete Non-EMR applications within 36 working days of receipt and complete EMR applications within 44 working days of receipt.

iv) Visiting European health professional declarations

The team received 111 declarations which is 26 or 30.6% more compared to the same period last year. The number of registered visiting European health professionals for the same period last year has increased by 3.1% to 371, which is 14 more than the forecast of 357.

c) Emails

i) UK Emails – A total of 5,559 emails were received which is 270 or 5.1% more than in 2013. The team responded to 68.5% of UK emails within one working day and 96.2% within two working days.

ii) International emails – A total of 2,380 emails were received which is 1,814 or 320.5% more during the same period last year. Our website had an update in October with the international email address promoted more clearly. This ensured all international related queries were directed to this inbox rather than the UK inbox. The team responded to 64.5% of these emails within one working day and 95.3% within two working days.

Due to the substantial increase in volumes of international emails, resource was moved from answering emails received in the UK inbox to the international inbox. The increase in volumes, and sickness absence attributed to the number of emails that were processed outside of service level.

d) Continuing Professional Development (CPD) audit

A total of 440 CPD profiles were received during this period and all profiles were acknowledged within five working days. All complete CPD profiles are being processed within 60 working days of receipt.

During this period four assessment days were held. A total of 754 CPD profiles were assessed of which 15 CPD profiles were sent to assessors to be assessed electronically.

e) Registration renewals

The renewal window for biomedical scientists closed on 30 November 2015 with 96.4% successfully renewing their registration.

This compares favourably with 2013 when 96.1% of biomedical scientists renewed their registration. Of those who successfully renewed, 93.9% renewed their registration using the online portal. This compares favourably with 2013 where 87.8% of biomedical scientists renewed their registration using the online portal, an increase of 6.1%.

At the beginning of December 2015, 31,064 radiographers were invited to renew their registration. 43.3% of radiographers successfully renewed by 31 December 2015. Their renewal window will close on 29 February 2016.

All complete paper renewal forms were processed within ten working days of receipt.

f) Postal correspondence

On average, the team processed postal correspondence within six working days of receipt.

2.2 Resource Employees

During the period we successfully recruited a Registration Quality Assurance Advisor. Training has also been provided to employees as part of our multi-skilling training programme.

The Registration Appeals Team started processing all new Registration Appeals as from the 11 January 2016.

The department operated within its budgeted headcount during this period.

2.3 Registration department service standards:

a) The Registration Department aims to answer 95% of all telephone calls.

b) i) The Registration Department aims to respond to all UK application requests within ten working days of receipt. We aim to process all **complete** UK applications within ten working days of receipt, or inform the applicant within ten working days if their application is **incomplete**.

ii) The Registration Department aims to process all complete readmission applications within ten working days.

iii) The Registration Department aims to verify completeness of all International applications and acknowledge receiving the application within five working days of receipt.

The Registration Department aims to process **complete** applications within 60 working days of receipt.

c) The Registration Department aims to respond to 80% of all emails within one working day and all emails responded to within two working days.

d) The Registration Department aims to acknowledge receipt of CPD profile applications within five working days.

The Registration Department aims to process all **complete** CPD profile within 60 working days of receipt.

e) The Registration Department aims to renew the registration of a registrant with active direct debit set up, within ten minutes of the registrant completing their renewal online account.

The Registration Department aims to process all complete paper renewal form within ten working days of receipt.

f) The Registration Department aims to process postal correspondence within ten working days.

2.4 Registration Management Statistics

Number of Registrants by Profession April 2014 - March 2016

Operations Directorate

Registration Department



NOTE: Information captured on the last day of each calendar month

Forecast is based on the average percentage difference in number of registrants from 10/11 - 14/15

Operations Directorate

International applications workflow process at end of each month April 2014 - March 2016

Registration Department



13/14 14/15 15/16 FYE FYE YTD 141 337 258 739 881 848 253 321 203 1,427 1,083 1,471

NOTE: Information covers international applications status progress only

Represents the current workload within the international section as at the end of the month

New International Applications Received April 2014 - March 2016

Operations Directorate

Registration Department



	2014									2015												2016			13/14	14/15	15/16
	Apr	Мау	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	Мау	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	FYE	FYE	YTD
Arts Therapists	4	2	2	0	3	0	2	0	2	1	0	4	0	0	2	2	6	4	1	4	1				17	20	20
Bio. Scientists	16	21	24	35	31	33	46	33	22	35	25	32	32	28	29	31	56	35	36	31	39				288	353	317
Chirops/ Pods	2	3	3	4	5	2	7	8	0	6	5	4	5	9	8	8	8	6	2	4	7				32	49	57
CI Scientists	10	7	9	8	7	3	10	10	8	8	9	4	9	3	8	9	9	9	9	8	12				90	93	76
Dietitians	17	16	16	8	20	6	15	18	8	18	22	19	23	22	31	21	21	15	21	21	16				185	183	191
Hearing aid disps	2	3	3	3	3	2	1	8	0	2	1	3	7	8	3	7	1	1	3	3	2				33	31	35
OTs	41	32	34	28	47	28	37	38	24	53	29	27	40	42	44	36	39	36	44	40	25				350	418	346
ODPs	1	2	2	0	1	0	10	4	2	1	3	4	3	1	0	0	3	1	0	0	0				12	30	8
Orthoptists	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1				6	4	3
Paramedics	9	4	9	10	9	8	20	14	42	81	21	29	40	40	26	24	28	16	23	49	115				78	256	361
Physiotherapists	101	102	117	88	114	77	112	106	72	119	125	140	126	108	109	131	126	98	126	139	107				1,051	1,273	1,070
Pract psychs	26	20	22	36	25	23	41	21	22	22	22	27	34	37	34	40	39	28	39	32	26				254	307	309
Prostn/Ortnotist	0	1	0	1	2	1	1	0	1	6	1	4	2	0	1	0	1	1	1	2	1				5	18	9
Radiographers	51	43	43	38	45	40	64	54	56	87	74	67	80	69	57	67	61	59	79	87	74				453	662	633
Social workers	56	32	44	62	68	47	73	51	51	79	59	59	82	71	58	67	84	65	70	56	43				501	681	596
SLTs	16	10	13	17	27	17	24	23	10	27	19	27	20	17	25	24	26	19	28	27	15				219	230	201
Total	352	298	341	338	407	287	464	389	320	546	416	450	503	455	436	467	509	393	482	503	484				3,574	4,608	4,232
Forecast													360	388	481	512	480	475	533	524	311	539	525	606			5,734

NOTE: All received applications, including those that may subsequently be returned, rejected or withdraw n.

Forecast is based on the average number of INT applications received each month from 10/11 - 14/15, normalised against the latest monthly actuals available

Health and Care Professions Council International Registrations April 2014 - March 2016

Operations Directorate

Registration Department



	2014									2015												2016			13/14	14/15	15/16
	Apr	Мау	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	Мау	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	FYE	FYE	YTD
Arts therapists	0	0	2	1	1	2	2	1	2	1	2	1	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	2	0				8	15	6
Bio. scientists	27	9	19	17	18	18	13	5	27	31	22	23	10	17	14	15	10	12	13	2	50				157	229	143
Chirops/ pods	1	1	2	0	6	5	2	0	1	3	2	1	2	5	0	0	4	5	4	6	3				20	24	29
CI scientists	5	4	0	7	3	1	7	1	3	4	3	7	4	5	2	2	2	0	4	7	2				30	45	28
Dietitians	7	6	1	32	15	11	3	4	10	18	8	7	2	8	6	12	10	11	10	11	13				85	122	83
Hearing aid disps	0	0	2	1	10	1	0	0	0	6	2	1	0	1	0	1	2	4	2	5	2				13	23	17
OTs	23	24	20	37	29	11	11	17	25	30	26	18	17	10	21	14	12	17	11	66	26				259	271	194
ODPs	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	2	1	0	2	2	0	4	2	0	0	2				4	10	12
Orthoptists	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	3	2
Paramedics	5	2	10	3	2	3	2	2	4	70	41	21	28	18	26	18	5	33	8	14	51				27	165	201
Physiotherapists	6	140	61	102	77	55	62	45	51	70	59	63	18	91	68	63	42	67	62	94	54				613	791	559
Pract psychs	11	5	16	15	20	13	14	11	9	20	9	7	5	0	24	4	6	12	14	13	14				129	150	92
Prosth/orthotists	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	4	1	0				4	6	8
Radiographers	33	14	34	42	36	21	23	29	31	53	33	41	28	30	39	36	17	39	43	57	19				269	390	308
Social workers	33	26	24	38	38	21	16	9	64	55	33	34	18	23	23	25	23	27	23	25	72				232	391	259
SLTs	8	13	15	12	16	4	23	13	8	24	9	10	10	12	15	14	4	5	23	29	18				144	155	130
Total	161	244	210	307	273	167	179	137	236	388	253	235	145	222	242	205	143	235	221	332	326				1,994	2,790	2,071
Forecast													193	275	261	270	240	147	158	201	347	341	372	345			3,150

NOTE: Forecast is based on the average number of INT applications registered each month from 10/11 - 14/15, normalised against the latest monthly actuals available Social worker section of register opened 1 Aug 2012 (covers England only)

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500 450

Health and Care Professions Council

Register of visiting European health professionals under EU Directive 2005/36/EC April 2014 - March 2016

Registration Department



NOTE: Forecast is based on the average percentage increase or decrease on a monthy basis, using the actual figures between the period 11/12 - 14/15, normalised against the monthly actuals available

UK applications workflow process at end of each month April 2014 - March 2016

Operations Directorate

Registration Department



NOTE: Information covers UK applications status progress only

Represents the current workload within the UK section as at the end of the month

15/16

YTD

3

3

994

2

6

1,002

Operations Directorate

New UK Applications Received April 2014 - March 2016





		2014									2015												2016		13/14	14/15	15/16
	Apr	Мау	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	Мау	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec .	Jan	Feb	Mar	FYE	FYE	YTD
Arts therapists	20	8	8	30	69	48	47	55	15	14	8	18	12	7	10	30	52	46	56	42	13				293	340	268
Bio. scientists	44	48	60	125	134	64	91	88	42	40	55	57	37	46	53	126	110	86	87	59	69				839	848	673
Chirops/pods	2	6	96	120	64	41	33	13	5	3	4	6	3	4	50	160	53	39	28	7	4				389	393	348
CI Scientists	31	21	23	10	35	11	39	88	41	21	8	49	17	16	10	15	16	17	11	108	32				343	377	242
Dietitians	20	15	71	118	67	24	29	16	4	7	9	20	33	13	48	153	82	38	20	8	3				457	400	398
Hearing aid disps	4	14	12	31	48	26	17	23	22	13	6	18	10	6	12	34	50	32	28	11	31				211	234	214
OTs	47	41	164	329	347	161	232	154	61	40	68	89	66	40	62	419	329	164	259	93	46				1,816	1,733	1,478
ODPs	30	29	4	36	155	145	112	34	32	17	16	31	31	22	23	48	128	196	153	19	27				706	641	647
Orthoptists	1	0	1	21	26	8	6	2	3	2	1	1	0	0	1	12	33	8	5	2	1				71	72	62
Paramedics	38	37	83	70	160	250	170	113	63	23	71	95	65	40	102	116	174	296	229	86	78				1,221	1,173	1,186
Physiotherapists	17	30	197	697	336	113	137	104	42	41	61	100	36	27	118	752	341	156	140	83	56				1,992	1,875	1,709
Pract psychs	33	49	40	42	66	135	323	158	68	45	49	69	50	37	47	54	35	139	387	104	63				1,083	1,077	916
Prosth/orthotists	3	0	22	16	8	3	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	8	29	5	5	3	1	0				64	55	51
Radiographers	19	49	341	513	175	96	94	38		20	20	41	18	35	298	570	190	107	79	24	16				1,406		1,337
Social workers	191	208	247	736	949	531	826	596		320	295	330	303	237	191	699	777	685	902	563	330				6,099	, i	-
SLTs	14	18	49	175	949 145	60	95	79		33	295 46	71	17	237	25	183	148	104	108	44	22				696		658
Total	514	573	-	-	2,784		2,251	-	-	639	718	996	698	537	1,058	3,400	2,523	2,118		1,254	791					17,165	
Forecast	514	510	1, 110	0,000	2,104	1,710	2,201	1,002	525	300	. 10	550	578	494	,	2.696	3,412	,	,	1,838	1,184	618	635	679	17,000	11,100	18,058

NOTE: Forecast is based on the average number of UK applications received each month from 10/11 - 14/15, normalised against the latest monthly actuals available Social worker section of register opened 1 Aug 2012 (covers England only)

Health and Care Professions Council New UK Registrations April 2014 - March 2016

Operations Directorate

Registration Department



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	2014									2015											:	2016			13/14	14/15	15/16
	Apr	Мау	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	Мау	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	FYE	FYE	YTD
Arts therapists	15	14	11	18	57	51	49	57	21	11	9	16	13	8	5	23	44	43	59	35	20				280	329	250
Bio. scientists	36	41	54	109	110	58	70	89	34	38	49	44	41	40	39	114	92	93	78	51	74				752	732	622
Chirops/pods	4	3	63	130	78	38	32	14	5	4	3	2	5	3	34	156	54	43	32	12	7				376	376	346
CI Scientists	29	22	24	11	33	7	34	89	36	26	9	43	17	15	9	13	19	11	14	94	37				328	363	229
Dietitians	24	13	47	136	69	24	31	21	4	3	10	16	36	13	34	144	89	42	27	8	3				453	398	396
Hearing aid disps	11	10	9	14	54	31	19	18	20	13	6	17	14	7	10	27	45	32	28	11	33				205	222	207
OTs	56	33	100	352	355	156	216	164	73	43	59	94	73	32	33	413	313	186	255	94	57				1,797	1,701	1,456
ODPs	34	28	5	24	70	192	133	50	29	23	5	37	31	9	34	38	103	190	173	29	25				706	630	632
Orthoptists	0	0	1	19	27	5	7	3	1	3	2	1	0	0	1	6	35	11	3	4	2				70	69	62
Paramedics	41	36	79	67	111	279	147	131	78	24	68	76	74	38	95	95	136	325	225	109	76				1,210	1,137	1,173
Physiotherapists	16	22	152	667	372	117	129	113	48	42	57	95	38	15	77	686	378	189	154	84	50				1,960	1,830	1,671
Pract psychs	40	44	44	38	54	117	307	180	61	45	48	73	45	40	37	52	31	126	382	105	63				1,059	1,051	881
Prosth/orthotists			00	40	0	•				0			0	0	-	00	-	0		0	0						50
Radiographers	2		20	16	8	3	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	5	28	/	6	1	3	0				63	55	
	13		270	575	179	101	94	50	38	14	20	48	12	12	182	630	225	113	84	33	18				1,385	1,420	, i
Social workers	222	196	197	696	900	521	790	615	499	351	285	304	301	247	176	573	744	697	908	536	399				5,000	5,576	4,581
SLTs	20	15	32	171	149	56	91	82	31	37	39	70	27	8	13	167	158	111	104	49	28				689	793	665
Total	563	496	1,108	3,043	2,626	1,756	2,150	1,677	979	677	670	937	727	487	784	3,165	2,473	2,218	2,527	1,257	892				16,333	16,682	14,530
Forecast													898	480	814	2,282	3,101	1,973	2,206	2,125	1,344	687	637	667			17,214

NOTE: Forecast is based on the average number of UK registrations each month from 10/11 - 14/15, normalised against the latest monthly actuals available Social worker section of register opened 1 Aug 2012 (covers England only)

Application Types Received April 2014 - March 2016



Registration Department



NOTE: The data relates to application forms received, not total fees received

Forecast is the combined forecast of international applications received and UK applications received

Health and Care Professions Council New Registrants April 2014 - March 2016

UK

Forecast

Operations Directorate

Registration Department

3,341 2,120 2,364 2,326 1,691 1,028 1,009 1,012



755 1,075 2,552

1,091

20,364

NOTE: Forecast is the combined forecast of international applications registered and UK applications registered

Renewal Information April 2014 - March 2016

Registration Department



Total	15,926	19,305	5 7,373	1,775	0 102,0)57 56,4	487 19,290	0	0	0 20,949	10,146	2,585 2	2,645 2	6,523 4	48,364	41,642	15,213	2,840	30,966	293,633	243,162	200,924	
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Renewal Information - on paper and online April 2014 - March 2016

Operations Directorate

Registration Department



Continuing Professional Development process April 2014 - March 2016

Operations Directorate Registration Department



Registration Telephone Information April 2014 - March 2016



Registration Department



NOTE: Forecast is based on registration cycles, using the average figures betw een 11/12 and 13/14, less 25%, and normalised against the latest monthly actuals available

Operations Directorate Registration Department

UK and international emails received at end of each month April 2014 - March 2016



Number of registrants with supplementary prescribing rights April 2014 - March 2016

Operations Directorate Registration Department



NOTE: Forecast is based on the average percentage increase or decrease each month from 10/11 - 14/15, normalised against the latest monthly actuals available

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Number of registrants with independent prescribing rights April 2014 - March 2016

Registration Department



3. Project Management Commentary

Project Number	Project Name		Project Board		Project State	us
MP64	Education Syste	m Build	Project sponsor: Brendon Project lead: Matt Nelson		Previous	Current
Project Description					•	· · ·
	the recommendations	s made during the Education		w project previo	ously undertal	ken
Project Scope			Status update			
Microsoft Dynar all current syste Development ar which is fully su reporting functio Maximisation of data and busine Training of end of the new syste management ar development of Review of the D with the new sy	mics and Sharepoint ems in use within the nd implementation of pported within the ne ons and revised opera- new technology to p ess processes; users and IT employ em and business pro- nd administration of the the system; Department structure, stem and business p	ational business processes; rovide automation within ees to enable effective use cesses, to enable he system and to enable teams and roles to align rocesses	 The system has no department The additional functesting but technol from being promote The integration with simultaneous tech Net Regulate whice Due to these issued extended to May 2 	ctionality identif logy architectura ted into product th Net Regulate nical refresh pro ch is currently de es the project cl 2016	ied after go-liv al issues are l ion. is dependent oject being un ue to go live ir osure date ha	ve has passed hampering it t on a hdertaken on h March 2016.
Project Budget His	•	Committed spend	Date of Initiation	Project End D		
At Initiation: £1,098	3,117	£1,081,644	December 2012	At Initiation: A Sept 2014 Ex Oct 2015 Exc Jan 2016 Exc	ception report eption report:	Jan 2016

Project Number	Project Name		Project Board		Project Status	
MP 78	HR and Partners sys	tems build	Project sponsor: Marc Sea Project lead: Teresa Hask		Previous	Current
Project Description	on					
Build of an HR ar	nd Partners system.					
Project Scope			Status update			
supported by Implementing applicants Improved da Training and	g improved processes ar a new HR and Partners g online recruitment for e ta integration with Partne operational manuals	e system. employee and partner er user departments	 The work on this project development of the H Partners system. The development of the development work ha Data clean-up is commencing. The development work february with testing Work on the integration Education and FTP carries in December. Due to the delays in the likely inclusion of a chart the project, it is being unlikely that the project 	IR system he HR sys is complet plete and rk on the F to begin ir on of the F ase manag he develop nange in p reported ct will be a	and the develop stem is progressin ed and testing wi preparations for the Partners system w Partners system w gement system w pment of the Part ayroll provider int as amber and de able to close in Ju	ment of the ng well. The ill start shortly. training are will commence in with the will recommence tners system and to the scope of clining as it is
Project Budget H	istory	Committed spend	Date of Initiation	Project E	End Date History	
At initiation: £644	,178	£ 171,714	November 2014	At initiati	on: June 2016	

Project Number	Project Name		Project Board		Project Status	
MP 80	Stakeholder Relation	ship Management system	Project sponsor: Jacquelir Project lead: Jonathan Jo		Previous	
Project Description	on					
To develop an ef	ficient organisation-wide	stakeholder relationship man	agement system.			
Project Scope			Status update			
 Business a requirement of seven terms Options a system; Identificate Build Information System b Data migring User accession 	on and procurement of a analyst engagement to fa nts gathering for the pro- supplier nalysis of potential supp ion and tendering of pref on gathering workshops w uild ation eptance testing e training in the use of sy	acilitate and support posed system; liers for the proposed erred suppliers; with supplier	 Requirements gatheri Due to the issues with environment, a decision implementation of a te the business process The project will be de- 	n installing on has bee echnology re-engined scoped ad	the system on th en taken to delay solution and to c ering. ccordingly.	the
Project Budget H	istory	Committed spend	Date of Initiation	Project E	nd Date History	
At initiation: £178	8,789	£20,559	January 2015	At initiation	on: May 2016	

Project Number	Project Name		Project Board		Project Status	
MP 74	SAGE and PRS upg	rade	Project sponsor: Andy Project lead: Suellen		Previdus	Current Closed
Project Description	on					
Upgrade to SAG	E 2013 v2 and from PR	S (purchase order processing	g system) to WAP.			
Project Scope			Status update			
on a new Correct a Begin util SAGE Begin util track proj Upgrade Windows	Windows operating sys ny known bugs in Sage ising the electronic invoi ising the project accoun- ect budgets and expend	200; ce approval process in ting module in SAGE to	 All disaster rec is now closed. 	covery activitie	es passed testing	and the project
Project Budget H	istory	Committed spend	Date of Initiation	Project E	End Date History	
At initiation: £122	2,714	£ 86,458	October 2014	Feb 15 E Sept 15	on: April 2015 Exception report: Exception report: Exception report:	December 15

Project Number	Project Name		Project Board		Project Status	
MP84	405 Kennington R	load Fit out	Project sponsor: Marc Project lead: Steve Ha		Previous	Current
Project Description						
To manage the fit o Project Scope	out of the new HCPC p	remises at 405 Kennington R	oad Status update			
tribunals inc various part Local office separated fr	icipants in FTP tribuna space for the HCPC h	g and working areas for the als learings team that is clearly tribunals on a site that is	installed before equipment and expected go-liv The building is the adjudicatio The project is	e the end of th d furniture was ve date (23 rd J now operatio on team have k now going thro	eted on time, the r ne calendar year a s installed succes lanuary 2016). nal, hearings are been relocated. bugh its closure a esented to the Fel	and all IT sfully by the being held and activities and an
Project Budget Hist	ory	Committed spend	Date of Initiation	Project End	Date History	
At Initiation: £1,248 At Sept 15 Exceptio At Nov 15 Exceptio	on report:£ 1,297,880	£ 1,177,558	May 2015	At Initiation :	February 2016	

Project Number	Project Name		Project Board		Project Status	
MP81	Professional Qual	ifications Directive	Project sponsor: Marc Se	eale	Previous	Current
			Project lead: Greg Ross	Sampson	G	G
Project Description						
	C remains compliant v	with the changing Europea				
Project Scope			Status update			
 applications for Amend HCPC p introduction of t Determine how requirement to p Potentially ame participate in the Develop an EU training requirer other Member S first instance; Amend HCPC p temporary mobi Amend HCPC p general system 	EPCs; processes and potentia he EPC; HCPC will adhere to t participate in the alert and HCPC processes a e alert mechanism; wide intelligence mod ments for each of our p states but focussing or processes and system lity requirements; processes and system requirements.	mechanism; and systems to el for education and regulated professions in n physiotherapists in the s to meet the new s to meet the new	 Processes and pr anticipation of the The processes ar applications have 	e publication of re currently be been receive	f the legislation. dding in and a nu d.	
Project Budget Hist	ory	Committed spend	Date of Initiation	Project End	Date History	
At Initiation: £39,10	0	£913	May 2015	At Initiation:	March 2016	

Project Number	Project Name		Project Board		Project Status	
MP82	Telephone Credit hosting change	Card Automation and	Project sponsor: Marc Se Project lead: Greg Ross		Previous	Current
Project Description						
To change our telep	phone credit card proc	essing systems to remain	within technology support			
Project Scope			Status update			
 HCPC are comp maintaining the follo Maintain or reduction finance, Maintain quality during the trans Minimising the employees, sind credit/debit card No PCI DSS dat Minimise the te provider if neces Maintain freed providers, Achieve the trans Achieve the trans 	liant with PCI DS owing principles: uce the workload for of service and approp ition between services risk of fraud accu ce callers will know t details, ta to traverse HCPC in elephony call charge ssary (prevent cross r om to switch betw nsfer to a new telep ing provider by 29 Se	usations against HCPC hey have not heard any nfrastructure, es by moving telephone network charges), ween payment service whone application and (if eptember 2015, or ideally	 Dates for all number confirmed Discussions are ber required to complex configuration. Due to the ambigure reported as ambered as ambered as ambered as a more configuration. 	eing held to d ete the Semaf uity around thi r.	etermine the amo fone secure payn is task the projec	ount of time nent
Project Budget Histo	ory	Committed spend	Date of Initiation	Project End	Date History	
At Initiation: £72,15	7	£ 59,990	April 2015	At Initiation: At Sept 15 E	Sept 2015 Exception report:	Feb 2016

Project Number	Project Name	Project Board	Project Status
MP85	Registrations Transformation and Improvement project	Project sponsor: Marc Seale Project lead: Greg Ross Sampson	Previous Current
Project Description			
	ransformation and Improvement project will del s, and interactions with other areas around the c		strations department, including
Project Scope		Status update	
 the Registration To design and cater for all procession of the registrations Planation of the registration of the registratic of the registration of the registration of the registration of	Ill processes reviewed and mapped as part of s Process and Systems Review project. build a new Registrations System which will becesses reviewed and mapped as part of the rocess and Systems Review Project. d build a new Registrations System using mics CRM, in accordance with the functional ional requirements gathered during the rocess and Systems Review Project. build a new Registrations System which is easy we to change. We want to build a solution where competitively tender for suppliers to provide make changes, to ensure value for money. Il new processes with a focus on ensuring that es to be held and accessed in a secure way. es both technology and working practices. -active Registration-related communication with registrants, using technology-based automation but significantly increasing the workload of ployees. customer service experience for applicants and roviding the opportunity to engage with HCPC ays, including new customer service channels and instant messaging.	 fundamental to the procurement The procurement process has and a supplier has been engage The architectural design for the determined. A rules consultation to increase can offer online and to remove as part of the application procession of the application procession. 	nt process completed through the G-Cloud ged. e system is currently being e the number of services that we the need for a character reference

 To eradicate the vast majority of the Registrations team deals with, by provand strongly encouraging all applicant the digital-by-default route. To enhance Registration employees' jutasks around processing paper, provide scrutinise the Registration information To make Registration employees' jobs and easily accessed work queues whi and giving clear lines of issue escalation To better enable Registration employee all data into one source; a proportion held independently to the legacy regis 	obs by removing manual ding more opportunity to received. s easier by creating clear ch utilise business rules, on. es' work by consolidating of this data is currently		
Project Budget History	oject Budget History Committed spend		Project End Date History
At Initiation: £ 3,983,580	£ 84,009	August 2015	At Initiation: May 2020

Project name	Comments
FTP changes	Due to commence initiation in May 2014 – initiation has been delayed due to a dependency on other development work on the FTP system
PCI Security Standards compliance	A project to identify, assess and remedy any PCI DSS weaknesses
Establishing the Health & Care Professions Tribunal Service	A project to create a greater degree of independence in the adjudication of fitness to practise cases.

4. Business Process Improvement Commentary

4.1 Quality Management System Changes and Audits

The ISO 9001:2015 Quality Management System Standard was released in September 2015. The new version of the standard is more risk focused, and Preventive Action part of the standard has been removed. The different clauses more closely align with the ISO27001 standard, and all new standards should follow the same overall organisation

The ISO27001 audit schedule has been added to the 9001 schedule to make one document. At some time in the future, HCPC's external ISO auditors, BSI, may conduct ISO9001 and ISO27001 audits simultaneously. This is probably several years off.

ISO9001	RISK Based Audit from Januar	y 2008 onwards	2015									2015	2016			
clause			March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	January	February	March	April
	Chief Executive & Registrar's Dep	ot				IARA-DC	_		IARA							
	Registrations - R Houghton											IARA-DC		IARA		
		& Dept Into Sec														
7.5.3	Interna	ational Registrations														
7.5.3		CPD								BSI						
		Operations								BSI						
		Quality Assurance							→	BSI						
	Education - A Gorringe	()norationa										IARA-DC		IARA		
7.5.2	& Dept Into Sec	Operations NNIW														
		Operations SES														
	Communicat	ions & Development														
	_	Quality Assurance														
		olicy & Development														<u> </u>
	Secretariat - L Lake & INTO Sec	Customer							IARA-DC	BS!		IARA				
		Services								BSI						
	Info	rmation Governance								BSI						
		Council Processes								BSI	NMR57					
6.3	Fitness to Practise- J Barwick	K Liont Into Sigo	NMR51	BSI						IARA		IARA				
		& Dept Into Sec	NMR50	BSI					NMR55							1
		Administration		BSI												
	Assura	ance & Development		BSI												
		Case Support		BSI												
		Case Teams 1-5		BSI	Redaction	Redaction										
		Case Teams 6-7		BSI	Redaction	Redaction										
		Compliance		BSI												
		Investigations		BSI												
4.2.3	Policy - M Guthrie									IARA-DC		IARA				
4.2.4	& Dept Info Sec															

	Communications -J Ladds							IARA-D	3	IARA				
	& Dept Info Sec Social													
	Media		BSI											
	Stakeholders		BSI											
	Publishing		BSI											
	Web & Digital		BSI		NMR53									
	Internal Comms		BSI											
	Events		BSI											
8.2.1	Quality- Business Proc Improv	Entropy	BSI	Entropy	Entropy									
		Entropy	BSI	Entropy	IARA-DC		ARA							
	Risk Register (BPI)				IARA-DC		IARA							BSI
	R Dunn													BSI
8.2.1	Human Resources – Employees									IARA-DC			IARA	
	Teresa Haskins									CORE-IRL				
	Human Resources – Partners									IARA-DC			IARA	
6.2	Hayley Graham													
	Facilities/Infrastructure		NMR52						IARA-DC			IARA		BSI
6.2.2	Stephen Hall													BSI
	Information Technology													
6.3	Infrastructure							BSI						
	Service Support							BSI						
7.3 & 7.5.4	Finance- A Gillies										IARA-DC	-	ARA	BSI
	Invoicing & Purchase Ledger													BSI
	Management Accounts							-						BSI
7.3.7/7.3	Procurement							-	\rightarrow					BSI
	Transactions							-						BSI
6.3	Project Management						IARA-DC	RSI			IARA			
	Claire Reed							BSI						

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	Disaster Recovery / BCM	Shadow Planner	Shadow Planner	Shadow Pl	IARA-DC			IARA						
7.4.2/7.4	EMT/CDT	Shadow Planner	Shadow Planner	Shadow Pl	Flood rpt									
	COUNCIL, CER / EMT									NMR57				BSI
3	DeepStore Archive													
3	Europa QP Printers													
3	ServicePoint Scan & Copy										Paragon			
7.5.5	Eventsforce Events sign up online													
3	Other suppliers													
	ISMS Policy area A5.1-5.1.2 [BPI / CER / EMT]	BSI Audit-S1		BSI-S2										
	ISMS Roles area A6.1-6.1.5 [BPI & EMT]	BSI Audit-S1		BSI-S2										
	ISMS HR & Responsibility A7-7.3.1 [HR & IT]	BSI Audit-S1		BSI-S2										
	ISMS Assets & Handling A8-8.3.3 [BPI & IT]			BSI-S2										
	ISMS Access Control A9-9.4.5 [IT & HR]	BSI Audit-S1		BSI-S2										
	ISMS Cryptography A10 - 10.1.2 [IT]	BSI Audit-S1		BSI-S2										
	ISMS Physical Security A11-11.2.9 [Fac]			BSI-S2							405KR	405KR		
	ISMS Operations A12-12.7.1 [IT]	BSI Audit-S1		BSI-S2										
	ISMS Communications A13-13.2.4 [IT]	BSI Audit-S1		BSI-S2										
	ISMS Systems Acqst'n Dev & Maint A14 [IT]			BSI-S2										
	ISMS Supplier Relationships A15-15.2.2 [FIN]			BSI-S2										
	ISMS Incident Response A16-16.1.17 [BPI]			BSI-S2										
	ISMS Business Continuity A17-17.2.1 [BPI]			BSI-S2	Flood rpt									
	ISMS Compliance & Redundancies A18 [BPI]			BSI-S2										
	BSI Audit		BSI	Deferred B	SIAudit						>			
	[INTERNAL AUDIT] Grant Thornton		Individual audit d	lates may be	e moved to ad	ccommo	date issu	ues outside t	he Quality	departmen	t by arranger	nent.		
	HCPC ISO audit or InfoSec IA team		Items in Light Blu											
	Near Miss Reports = NMR#		Items in red refe	r to Near Mi	ss Reports wi	hich are	unplanne	d by their ve	ry nature.					
	PCI-DSS Audit by NGS/NCC		Items in yellow re	efer to work	on the QMS p	processe	s where	changes are	planned	at departme	ent level.			
	QMS Major Process Rvw													
	As Is output from Project													
	3rd Party supplier audit													
27001 - 9.2	Internal Access Rights Audit (IARA)		Dept employee a	access right	s on rolling ba	asis							 	
	Internal Access Rights Audit (IARA-DC); Data Collection i	n departments												
	Employee & Partner InfoSec training 2015													

The **ISO 9000** group of quality management system standards is designed to help organisations ensure that they meet the needs of customers and stakeholders whilst satisfying statutory and regulatory requirements related to the product or service provided.

Third-party certification by external auditors (British Standards Institute, BSI, in our case) provides independent confirmation that HCPC meet the requirements of ISO 9001.

A programme of internal and external audits based around departmental function, across functions or on a risk based approach is carried out on a rolling basis to maintain quality of service and incremental improvements over time following a Plan – Do –Check – Act review cycle.

4.2 Near Miss Reporting

REPORT NUMBER	TARGET DRAFT TO SPONSOR	TARGET DATE TO FINALISE WRITE UP	TARGET DATE TO EMT
NMR55 Redaction quality in FTP bundles	Sept 2015	Sept 2015	January 2016
NMR56 Storage of data on internal general access drives	December 2015	December 2015	January 2016
NMR57 Slight deviation from Council member appointments process	December 2015	January 2016	January 2016 (tabled, postpone to Feb)

4.3 Audits & updated processes

The next ISO9001:2008 two day audit (April 20-21st) will cover Finance Transactions, Invoicing & Purchase Ledger, Management Accounts, Purchasing & supplier evaluation, and Facilities, QMS, key controls;, Risk Register, Quality Assurance, Senior Management Interview, Strategic Review. This is the end of a three year cycle, and is the recertification visit.

The new ISO9001:2015 standard has been published. The high level change is that it is more risk based, has tried to remove a level of confusion between Corrective Action and Preventive Action (by removing Preventive Action). This is a more significant update than that which took place in 2008.

As the next ISO9001 audit is a recertification audit, our BSI auditor recommends that we do not attempt to transition to the new version of the standard (ISO9001:2015) until after recertification. The migration test of the Quality Management System and Information Security Management System to a test Microsoft SharePoint based system continues as time allows.

We have updated our Quality Policy to reflect the requirements of the recent ISO9001:2015 version and other related standards.

4.4 Corporate Risk Register Maintenance

Register iteration	Draft circulated to EMT	Collecting updates	EMT sign off	Published to Audit Committee
2015 January	Circulated	Completed	Completed	Completed
2015 September	July 2015	Completed	Completed	Completed
2015 November	Assurance mapping sample	None required	None required	November 2015 target

2016 January	Dec 2015	January 2016	January 2016	March 2016
2016 September	July 2015	Not yet commenced	Not yet commenced	Not yet commenced

The Risk Register has been slightly extended to function as the Risk Treatment Plan for ISO27001.

4.5 Registrant Number Forecasting

Forecast iteration	Draft circulated	Collecting updates	EMT sign off	Published to Council
2015 June, brought forward to March 2015	Completed	Completed	Completed	Completed
2015 September update	July 2015	August 2015	Sept 2015	Sept 2015
2016 January early budget version (based on Rf9)	January 2016			
2016 June	April 2016	May 2016	May/June 2016	June 2016

4.6 ISO27001 Information Security Implementation

Internal audits based around ISO9001:2008 and ISO27001:2013 continue around the organisation. Audits have been combined where possible to lower the impact of repeat auditing on departmental resources.

Information Security training is taking place within departments and with HCPC Partners. The majority of employees have completed the training. New employees or contractors make up most of the shortfall. Some Partners have had technical difficulties getting access to the training, due to personal device issues. We are allowing them to undertake the training when they are on site where possible. An ongoing effort continues to enable all to complete the training.

Results of the closing training package are illustrated below. Some Partners will complete the training over the next month.



The next round of information security training will commence in February 2016 with Information Security month, in time for the next ISO27001 audit preparation in April 2016. The new training will be very different to the presentation style training delivered over the last 10 months.

The next Continuing Assessment Visit is has been moved at the request of BSI from April 18-19^{th,} to 26th-27th April 2016

The BPI department audited two external new / potential suppliers in December 2016, Core HR in the Republic of Ireland with a contractor from IT-Governance, and Paragon in Sunderland, the new owner of Service Point, an existing supplier. Paragon already have ISO27001 certification, Core HR are working toward ISO27001 certification.

An initial information security audit of the 405 Kennington Road site has found that it is generally secure, and the separation of those external parties involved or observing hearings being away from Park House and 186 Kennington Park Road has increase overall security.

HCPC BPI and Communications dept are developing a comprehensive IS communications plan.

4.7 Business Continuity / Disaster Recovery Planning

The basic Shadow Planner site has been populated with content. A timing difference between Blackberry (O/S 7) and iPhone device download has been investigated and fixed by the supplier. A new version of the software is being pushed out to members of EMT & CDT involved in running the DR plan in early February, and Security controls are being populated in early February, with EMT & CDT training to follow. A Shadow Planner Android version is likely in April 2016.

4.8 Information & Reporting Activity

The graph below shows current carton/box numbers within the archive system, (2014 January to December 2015). Registrations storage is being assessed to validate scanned copies before hard copy destruction. Some items are currently out for inspection by the registration department, at the new Service Point / Paragon secure warehouse.



A further cull is being planned for this financial year, if time allows.

Other items

4.9 Departmental Matters

Kayleigh Birtwistle and Ruth Cooper (Complaints & Customer Service Manager) received basic training on the new ISO9001 standard in December.

5. Facilities Management Report

5.1 Staffing

There are seven permanent employees including the Facilities Manager. Services provided include Reception, Building Maintenance, Post Room, Health & Safety and Building Project Management. One contractor is onsite to cover for one employee on vacation.

5.2 405 Kennington Road

The fit out of the premises was completed on January 22nd, and the FTP Adjudications team moved in over the weekend of 23rd January. The building was operational from the 25th January.

Refurbishment of parts of 186 will continue as a restack progresses.

5.3 Incoming Mail including Special Delivery Volumes

