

Considerations for PPC Handover

The FMC's PPCs Code of Practice says, at paragraph 10:

10.1 Where there is a transfer between PPCs both the old and the new PPCs must, where possible, communicate with each other in relation to the circumstances for the transfer.

10.2 The former PPC must provide the new PPC, where practical to do so, with basic supervision information relating the consultee's mediation practice hours and supervision hours, to enable the new PPC to support the consultee's application for accreditation or re accreditation.

The Guidance which accompanies the PPC Code does not a present include guidance about PPC handovers. The FMSB's PPC Panel has therefore recommended that the following questions be asked:

- Has the consultee had the required PPC support?
- Has the consultee met other FMC requirements?
- What are the consultees' strengths?
- Are there any concerns about the consultee?
- Does the consultee have a training plan in place?
- What is the reason for the transfer?

FMSB PPC Panel

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