

REVALIDATION UPDATES

Allocation of Appraisers

The intention is to move towards the allocation of appraisers to doctors, rather than continuing with the present system whereby doctors select their own appraiser. However, it will be some time until it is possible to achieve this. In the meantime, the current system (i.e. doctors selecting their own appraiser) will continue

Responsible Officers for CMPs

Work is underway to try and establish an RO for CMPs. In the meantime, CMPs' prescribed connection is with the RO of the sS that is responsible for the medical facility in which they do the majority of their work. Any queries should be addressed, in the first instance, to your Line Manager. Further advice, if required, is available from HQ SG – SO1 Med Pol

DMS REVALIDATION INFORMATION ON THE INTERNET

Work is ongoing to publish information about revalidation for DMS doctors on the DMS internet site, as well as on the intranet site.

URGENT: REVALIDATION – MAKING YOUR CONNECTION TO YOUR RESPONSIBLE OFFICER

There is an urgent requirement for all doctors working in the DMS (less locums) to ensure that the GMC has connected them with the correct RO: this is a very simple process through the doctors "My GMC" online account.

The deadline for ensuring that connections are complete, accurate and valid is of 20 July.

As a guide:

Uniformed Doctor – Trainee	Responsible Officer DPMD
Uniformed Doctor – GDMO	Responsible Officer Parent sS
Uniformed Doctor – neither trainee, nor GDMO	Responsible Officer Parent sS
CMP	RO of sS responsible for medical facility in which most of work is conducted
None of the above	Contact HQ SG SO1 Med Pol

The ROs are as follows (NB: they are not listed with their rank on GMC On-Line):

DPMD	Air Cdre Alison Amos
Royal Navy	Surg Cdre Andrew Hughes
Army	Maj Gen Michael von Bertele
Royal Air Force	AVM Aroop Mozumder

INFORMATION MANAGEMENT FOR APPRAISAL AND REVALIDATION

The NHS Revalidation Support Team (RST) has developed a [Responsible Officer Dashboard](#) which the DMS will be using to support the implementation of revalidation for doctors.

Although most will not be expected to input data into the Dashboard, all those involved in the revalidation of doctors are encouraged to have a look at this section of the RST website.