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Information About Switching to a Career as a GP

HEE (Health Education England) has recently seen an increase in the number of enquiries about how to become a GP from trainees across all specialities, consultant, trust and staff grade doctors. The changes in the NHS over recent years means that more and more services are, and will be, provided by GP-led multi-professional primary care teams. The Primary Care Workforce Commission report, 'The future of primary care, creating teams for tomorrow', gives more insight into these developments.

HEE recognises that it is not easy to find information when you have moved on from the normal training cycle. With that in mind, <u>some case studies</u> and <u>frequently asked questions</u> have been published on the GP National Recruitment Office (GPNRO) website, which can be shared with colleagues, peers or friends who may be interested about switching to a career as a GP.

Email <u>gprecruitment@hee.nhs.uk</u> if you would like to be put in contact with someone who has retrained as a GP.

The next GP training application round adverts will appear on NHS Jobs, Oriel and Universal Job Match websites on the 20 July with applications opening 1 – 17 August.

Capita Sessional Issues (predominantly pensions and performers list issues)

GPC have been meeting monthly with Capita and NHSE with regards to Sessional Issues, predominately Pensions and Performers List issues. Regular updates have been included in the sessional newsletter but you can view the latest blog here

BMA Committees Looking for Members

The BMA has many committees besides the GPC and are looking for doctors who might wish to join the following committees:

- Armed forces committee
- Civil and public services committee
- Private practice committee
- Forensic and secure environments committee
- Committee of medical managers
- Medical academic staff committee (Wales only)

If you would be interested in sitting on any of these committees or you know of anyone who would be interested, please contact elections@bma.org.uk

Please note all nominations will be closing at 5pm on the 24 July. If you have any queries about the election process or have difficulties accessing the site

NHS E General Practice Forward View Animation

This <u>animation</u> has been developed that shows what the General Practice Forward View has already achieved and how it continues to support local practices.