

Appendix 1– Register of Interests

Name: Alice Robertson Rickard

Role within the GDC: Lay Member, Fitness to Practise Committee

I understand and take responsibility for acting in accordance with the Nolan principles. I understand that I must not receive any financial or non-financial benefit that is not explicitly authorised in my appointment letter and should not exert any influence to acquire any preferential treatment for myself or other connected persons.

| Areas of interest | Details relating to you (Also include any relevant details relating to a connected person) |
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| <p>Give details of all paid employment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Executive positions <input type="checkbox"/> Full/Part time employment <input type="checkbox"/> Consultancies <input type="checkbox"/> Self – employed/contract work <input type="checkbox"/> Directorships <p>Why? Decisions need to be taken in an open and transparent fashion, therefore Council members and Associates are required to declare positions so that any perceived interest can be easily managed</p> | <p>Part-time Judge, First-tier Tribunal, Social Entitlement Chamber and Health, Education and Social Care Chamber</p> <p>Lay Member, Fitness to Practise and Appeals Committee, General Pharmaceutical Council</p> <p>Lay Member, Fitness to Practise and Appeals Committee, General Optical Council</p> <p>Lay Member, Conduct and Competence Committee, Nursing and Midwifery Council</p> <p>Lay Member, Human Fertilisation and Embryology Authority Appeals Panel</p> |

Give details of all unpaid work e.g.

- Roles in organisations associated with healthcare
- Public service offices
- Roles of posts held in local or national organisations
- Trusteeships

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| <p>All businesses you are involved in which have a direct contract with the GDC or are a potential contractor with the GDC</p> <p>Why? Council decisions need to be taken in an open and transparent fashion, therefore Council members and Associates are required to declare their interest so that any perceived interests can be easily managed.</p> | |
| <p>All membership bodies and associations including political parties, pressure groups and professional bodies of which you are a member or are associated</p> <p>Why? Council members and Associates are free to engage in political activities or to maintain associations with professional organisations. Council members and Associates are required to declare such positions to give assurance that these do not conflict with the Council's statutory functions.</p> | Member of Gray's Inn |
| <p>Do you have close personal ties with the GDC's advisers, directors or employees?</p> <p>Why? Council members or Associates who have close ties with advisors, directors or employees may be perceived as having an undue influence on decisions. This must be declared so that it can be managed in an open and transparent manner.</p> | No |

| Areas of interest | Details relating to you (Also include any relevant details relating to a connected person) |
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| Any other conflicts not covered by the above? | No |

I will update my register every three months (Council Members) and every twelve months (Associates) and more frequently if any significant changes occur. I will, as soon as practicable but not more than seven working days after, alert the Head of Governance/Director of Governance and HR or relevant Director if I meet the criteria for disqualification as set out in the GDC (Constitution) Order 2009 OR the GDC (Constitution of Committees) Order 2009.

All actual, perceived, apparent and potential conflicts are disclosed above.

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| Signed Alice Robertson Rickard | Date 24/11/20 |
| Reviewed by (name) John Cullinane | Date:5/3/21 |
| Signed | |

Data Protection

The information provided will be processed in accordance with data protection principles as set out in the Data Protection Act 1998. The information provided will be available publically; the register will be available on the GDC website. If you are not sure what to declare or whether/when your declaration needs to be updated, please err on the side of caution. If you would like to discuss this issue please contact the Head of Governance (0207 167 6348) or the Chair of Council for confidential guidance.