

Approved change to an accredited course or qualification

Introduction

As part of the standing conditions of approval of education and training the course provider/awarding body must seek approval from the GPhC for any substantial change (or proposed change) which is, or has the potential to be, material to the delivery of an accredited/recognised course/qualification. This includes, but is not limited to:

- a. the content, structure or delivery of the course/qualification;
- b. ownership or management structure of the institution;
- c. resources and/or funding;
- d. student/trainee numbers and/or cohorts and/or admissions policy;
- e. partnership, sub-contracting, licensing or franchise agreements;
- f. staff resource associated with the course/qualification
- g. any changes imposed, or conditions or action plans set by other regulators or through internal or external quality management processes.

The information below is a summary of an approved change to the course of education and training since the last approval event.

Summary and outcome	
Provider/Awarding organisation	Robert Gordon University
Course/qualification	Independent prescribing
Current approval period	August 2022 – August 2025
Area to which this change relates	Delivery of the course
Proposed change	 The provider proposes a change to the delivery pattern of the virtual residential week, this is in response to stakeholder and student feedback. The provider proposes to replace the five consecutive period with five individual days spread across the module at appropriate intervals. The workshops and the content remain the same.

Outcome	Approved
Date approved	May 2024