

Declarations of interest, gifts and hospitality

Name: Rima Makarem

Council member

I am required to complete and regularly update a declaration of interests form to register my financial and other interests that could potentially conflict with my GPhC role above or subject my appointment to disqualification.

I have provided an up to date list of my interests below. These include:

- financial interests – direct
- financial interests – indirect and relating closely to GPhC activity
- non-financial interests
- interests of those close to me –any financial and non-financial interests of close family members and people living with me that could be thought of as relevant to GPhC activity
- declarations of any grounds that subject my appointment to disqualification

I am aware that, in addition to providing this list, I am also required to declare any interests at the start of any GPhC meeting where any particular interest conflicts with some or all of the business to be discussed at that meeting.

Declarations of interest:

Chair – Sue Ryder: July 2021 – present (trustee from May 2021)

Chair – Bedfordshire, Luton and Milton Keynes Integrated Care Board: June 2020 – present

Chair – Queen Square Enterprises: December 2020 - present

Trustee – LifeArc: June 2023 – present

Expert – Independent Expert Panel evaluation of government commitments to pharmacy services: April-July 2023

Declarations of gifts and hospitality:

None

General Pharmaceutical Council

Declarations of grounds that could subject my appointment to disqualification:

As part of the application process to become a Council member, you confirmed that the disqualification criteria did not apply to you. You are required to tell us if this changes at any time. By signing below, you are confirming that there has been no change in your situation in relation to the criteria.

For reference, the full text of the disqualification criteria can be found in the [General Pharmaceutical Council Constitution Order 2010](#) which you can access via the link or on the GPhC website.

I confirm that I do not meet any of the disqualification criteria as set out in the GPhC Constitution Order.

Signed.....*Rima Makarem*.....

Statement of truth:

I believe that the declarations made in this document are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Signed*Rima Makarem*.....Date.....12/11/2024.....