

# Royal Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain

## Summary of an Independent Prescribing Conversion Accreditation Report

### Keele University

#### 1. Summary and Conclusions

Following the submission of accreditation documents in August 2006 the reviewers recommend to Education Committee that the programme should be accredited by the Society for a period of three years. The reviewers were pleased to see how well the programme had been developed, especially the arrangements for teaching pharmacists clinical examination skills. The reviewers complimented the university on the clarity of their application which was thorough, well set out and with excellent examples of good practice. The university will formally be informed of the Society's decision in due course.

#### 2. Conditions

The reviewers recommend that accreditation by the Society should be subject to the following condition which must be met by the time the first cohort of students complete the programme.

- 2a. The DMP must sign a declaration that *the pharmacist's practice as an independent prescriber is, in the opinion of the DMP, suitable for registration as an independent prescriber.*

#### 3. Recommendations

There were no recommendations for this accreditation event.

The course will not formally be accredited until the accreditation panel's recommendations have been endorsed by the Society's Education Committee.

Satisfactory evidence was subsequently provided to meet the above conditions of accreditation; following this the programme was approved for accreditation by the Society's Education Committee for a period of three years.