

# Royal Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain

## Summary of an Independent Prescribing Conversion Accreditation Report

### University of Strathclyde

#### 1. Summary and Conclusions

Following the submission of accreditation documents in December 2006, the reviewers complimented the university on the clarity of their application which was thorough and well set out. The reviewers were pleased to note that the arrangements for teaching pharmacists were in a multi-professional environment. The reviewers recommend to Education Committee that the programme should be accredited by the Society for a period of three years. 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 before the first cohort of students start the programme. The Society reserves the right to comment on each piece of evidence provided.

- 2a. The university must confirm that the application process for self funding students will be similar to that in place for NES supported students with regard the required entry criteria (this relates to criterion 1.2.4).

The reviewers recommend that accreditation by the Society should be subject to the following conditions which must be met by the time the first cohort of students complete the programme. The Society reserves the right to comment on each piece of evidence provided.

- 2b. The university must supply the Society with a copy of the documentation to be signed by the DMP which confirms that the pharmacist has satisfactorily completed at least 2x7.5h days supervised practice and that the pharmacist's practice as a prescriber is, in the opinion of the DMP, suitable for registration as an independent prescriber. (this relates to criteria 1.4.3 and 1.4.4)

The university must supply the Society with a copy of the marking schedule indicating the criteria for obtaining a 50% pass mark. (this relates to criterion 1.5.5)

#### 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.