Approvals Committee (17 May 2005)

Department of Education & Policy

Report of Major and Minor Amendments

Executive Summary and Recommendations

1. Introduction

Below is a summary of amendments to approved programmes.

2. Decision

The Committee is asked to note the following:

Education Provider	Programme	Summary	Decision
Cardiff University	OT, ODP, Physiotherapy, Diagnostic and Therapeutic Radiography	To extend the revalidation until 2007 to coincide with internal validation	Minor amendment approved 11/03/05
Cardiff University	Occupational Therapy	To allow students graduating with a pass degree to be eligible to apply for HPC registration as the programme is delivered at 2 institutions which have differences in the degree classification.	Not Approved. Education Provider advised to harmonise degree classification
De Montfort University	Speech and Language Therapy	Introduction of a part- time route.	Major amendment. Not approved. Visit required
Kings College London	Physiotherapy	Redevelopment of programmes	Major Amendment. Not approved. Visit required
Northumbria University	Physiotherapy and Occupational Therapy	To extend the date for the revalidation of the BSc programmes until June 2007 to coincide with internal validation events	Minor Amendment Agreed by 23/3/05
University of Derby	Art Therapy and Dramatherapy	Amendments made to modules and timing of placement.	Minor amendment approved 11/3/05

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Education Provider	Programme	Summary	Decision
University of Salford	Physiotherapy	To allow students to have 4 retrievals instead of 2. CSP considers this has implications for competence and safety to practice.	Guidance requested from committee
University of Sheffield	Art Psychotherapy	For the last cohort of students to be allowed to use accommodation approved for a new programme to be delivered at a different institution.	Minor Amendment agreed 11/3/05
University of Southampton	Physiotherapy	To increase student numbers by 10	Minor Amendment Agreed 22/3/05
University of Southampton	OT, Physiotherapy and Podiatry.	Introduction of a part- time route	Major amendment. Not approved. Visit required
University of the West of England	Radiotherapy and Diagnostic Imaging Programmes	Changes to the regulations, to the level of a professional practice module and to the mode of delivery.	Minor Amendment approved 8/3/05
York St John	Physiotherapy	To change ratio of full and part-time places without changing overall student numbers	Minor Amendment Agreed 11/03/05

The Committee is asked to advise:

whether the question of retrievals at Salford is a matter for HPC or for the CSP to decide.

3. Background information

None

4. Resource implications

There are no resource implications.

5. Financial implications

There are no financial implications.

6. Background papers

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None

7. Appendices

None

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