

Education and Training Committee Panel

Programmes in respect of which approval/ongoing approval is recommended subject to conditions, where the education provider has made observations on the visitors' report

Programme name	BSc (Hons) Dietetics
Education provider	Leeds Beckett University
Mode of delivery	Full time
Date of decision	9 February 2017

Panel: Stephen Wordsworth (Chair) Sonya Lam
Maureen Drake Joanna Mussen
Sue Gallone Gavin Scott

Guidance for Panel Chairs

In determining whether to approve a programme, the Panel must reach its decision on the basis of the evidence put before it, in the form of the HCPC visitors' report and any observations on the report made by the education provider.

The visitors' report is only a recommendation and the Panel may depart from that recommendation where it is satisfied that it is appropriate to do so.

The Panel must reach its own decision and give reasons for that decision.

Decision:

1. That, in respect of this programme:
 - i) the outcome recommended by the visitors (including the conditions set out in their report) be accepted, but subject to the variations and clarifications set out below; and
 - ii) those conditions (as varied below) must be met before the programme is approved;
2. The conditions recommended by the visitors are to apply subject to the following variations as set out in the reasons below.

Reasons

1. In reaching its decision in respect of this programme, the Panel has considered the visitors' report and the observations of the education provider and is satisfied that the conditions (as varied here) are necessary in order for the programme to meet the standards of education and training. In particular, the Panel is satisfied that:
 - i) the conditions outlined in the report are proportional based on the visitors' report and education provider observations and as such should be met before the programme is approved, subject to the variations and clarifications set out below.
2. In reaching its decision in respect of this programme, the Panel has considered the visitors' report and the observations of the education provider and is satisfied that the conditions outlined here require variation or clarification. In particular, the Panel is satisfied that:
 - i) in respect of the condition on standard 5.2, whilst that condition is to apply, the Panel accepts that the reasoning for the condition needs to be expanded. The Panel direct the executive to include an additional sentence in the reasoning of this condition referencing the practice placement resource requirements for the 2018-19 academic year in addition to the academic resource requirements in the 2019-20 academic year.

Signed: Stephen Wordsworth, Panel Chair