

GOsC e-bulletin

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What are your experiences of collecting patient feedback? When did you last invite a colleague to observe you in practice as a critical friend? Do you know the latest on the law of consent? You can find out more in CPD Connect – an area of the new CPD site – offering osteopaths ideas for sharing expertise and insight.

Share your thoughts, and experiences with us at: cpdfeedback@osteopathy.org.uk

On the CPD website you can find information about the new CPD scheme (from Autumn 2018) and related events, with free access to practical learning resources that can count towards your CPD now.





Renew your registration online

If your GOsC registration is due for renewal in April or May, remember that you can renew it

Are you a final-year student?

If you missed our recent on-campus GOsC presentations about registering as an

quickly and easily by logging on to the o zone.

All you need to do is go to the <u>Renewal form</u> page, complete your renewal form, including the health and character declarations, and click on the 'Continue' button at the bottom of the page.

osteopath, you can find all the information you need on the student pages of the o zone.

To be eligible to practise as an osteopath after qualification, you must be registered and have activated your indemnity insurance. Start your application now, including your enhanced check for regulated activity, if you plan to be in practice by the Autumn.

Follow IJOM on twitter

The *International Journal of Osteopathic Medicine* (IJOM), the international, peer reviewed journal of osteopathy and neuromusculoskeletal medicine, and official journal of the GOsC, now has its own Twitter account: @IntJournalOsteo.

The March 2017 issue includes a Masterclass feature on 'A process approach in osteopathy: beyond the structural model' by Dr Eyal Lederman, as well as a case study: 'Enhancing clinical education in the private practice setting', and much more.

Keep up to date with the latest research and masterclasses with free access via the <u>o zone</u> to IJOM and six other high-quality professional journals offering a rich source of CPD.



Applications open for Osteopathic Leadership programme

If you're looking for inspiration, a change in career or a chance to learn new skills, why not apply for the <u>Osteopathic Leadership Programme</u>? Run jointly by the Osteopathic Development Group and the Open University, the programme is for osteopaths who want to apply leadership skills in clinical practice, a professional group, education or research.

Application deadline: 30 April.

Is your CPD due?

If you renew your registration in **June**, you must submit your CPD annual summary form to us by **30 April**.

It's quick and easy to do this online via the

Council meetings

The GOsC Council will next meet on 2 May.

All osteopaths are welcome to attend.

My CPD section of the **o** zone.

To check when your CPD is due, see page 12 of the CPD guidelines.

Please email Marcia Scott, Council and Executive Support Officer, or call 020 7357 6655 x246 for more information.





