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PBC 2 YEAR Delivery Plan

New Monthly President's Blog

Engage stakeholders and increase visibility.

PGD's and Non-Medical Prescribing

Convene meeting to advance the work on Patient Group Directions (PGDs) and Non-Medical Prescribing rights.

Royal Charter Application

Continue application and begin consultation with key bodies to formally establish the AHCS as the Royal Academy for Healthcare Science

Four-Country Alignment

Advertise and Establish Four-Country HCS Clinical Lead roles for Wales, Scotland, Northern Ireland and England.

CCS Appointment Process

Implement and review the new UK appointment process for Consultant Clinical Scientists

Statutory Regulation

Engage with CSO's to implement professional regulatory changes (e.g., registration enhancements).

Professional Bodies Funding

Develop a structured proposal for annual funding from professional bodies and other bodies to support the delivery of the PBC strategy.

Leadership Support (Faculty)

Identify gaps in leadership support and continue ongoing support for leadership development.

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R&I Training & Capacity

Identify barriers to HCS research & Innovation and propose solutions.

Associates & Assistants

Launch awareness campaign to recognise these registers, eligibility and availability & Consider educational provision across the UK

Clinical Academics

Define skills, competencies, and roles for clinical academic pathways and promote Healthcare Science Clinical Academic roles

Supportive Career Pathways & Flexibility

Draft recommendations for new career progression options for non-standard pathways to compliment the established HCS pathways across the UK

AHCS Annual Conference, Awards and Recognition

Coordinate and promote a new annual conference with an emphasis on strategic priorities, while enhancing recognition programs and driving increased nomination submissions.

Professional Bodies Council Inclusion Criteria

Work with more professional bodies to expand participation in PBC.

Accreditation & Department/Quality Management Awareness

Provide support for quality management initiatives and promote greater awareness and adoption of accreditation processes.

New Fellowships & Honorary Fellowships Scheme

Revise the fellowships process to distinguish between 'Fellows for Scientists' and 'Honorary Fellows' for non-scientists.