

February 2020: Registered Medical Practitioners (RMPs) enrolled in a Professional Competence Scheme (PCS) are reminded of their maintenance of professional competence requirements through correspondence issued by their PCS



May 2020: RMPs are reminded of their maintenance of professional competence requirements through retention of registration correspondence issued by the Medical Council



May-June 2020: RMPs complete their maintenance of professional competence declaration under question 1 Annual Retention Application Form (ARAF)

And

I am enrolled in a Professional Competence Scheme in Ireland and have paid my enrolment fee for this year.

<Name of PGTB>
<Fee Payment Date>

My Statement of Participation as of May 2020 demonstrates that I have met my maintenance of professional competence requirements for the PCS year 2019-20

YES/NO

If you answer Yes

Audit conducted comparing RMPs who declared 'Yes' in ARAF with PCS CPD compliance data.*

Compliant

No further

action

required

Not-compliant

MCI issues correspondence indicating that RMP is being monitored. RMP must take action to address compliance for 2019 – 20

Action taken and evidence provided

Remaining noncompliant RMP referred to the Medical Council for possible escalation as complaint

- MCI issues correspondence to RMP
- RMP supported by their PCS and employer
- RMP develops Professional Development Plan

If you answer No

- RMP given until end of PCS year 2020 - 2021 to become compliant

RMP remains not - compliant at the end of the PCS year 2020-21

Remaining non-compliant RMP referred to the Medical Council for possible escalation as complaint

RMP identified as noncompliant through verification process RMP is compliant at the end of the PCS year 2020-21 2020

February

May

May-June

August

August-

December

2021

RMP included in PCS verification pool.

RMP identified as compliant through verification process. No further action

This monitoring mechanism does not apply to:

- 1) RMPs who are in the Trainee Specialist Division of the Medical Council register.
- 2) RMPs who are based predominantly overseas who work less than 30 days per year in Ireland