

ANNOTATION: One response was received from Edith Cowan University in relation to three separate Ahpra public consultations. The response is published in the format in which it was received.

From: [AHPRA.Consultation](#)
To: [AHPRA.Consultation](#)
Subject: FW: AHPRA Consultations on Mandatory Notifications, Guidelines for Advertising a Regulated Workforce and Supervised Practice Framework
Date: Friday, 20 December 2019 2:44:23 PM

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, 24 October 2019 6:52 PM
To: AHPRA.Consultation <AHPRAConsultation@ahpra.gov.au>
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: AHPRA Consultations on Mandatory Notifications, Guidelines for Advertising a Regulated Workforce and Supervised Practice Framework

Dear Sir / Madam

I refer to the above consultation. In relation to the consultation, Edith Cowan University who provides undergraduate and postgraduate paramedic programs makes the follow observations:

- [Public consultation on the review of the Guidelines for mandatory notifications and a separate guideline for mandatory notification in relation to health students](#)
 - This guideline provides clarification on the current guideline, with additional definitions and explanation, and is a significant improvement from current documentation
 - Implications for education providers: ECU already has a process for notification, and this guideline provides additional context and examples in relation to notification. For providers without a documented process the guideline should provide context and information to support development.
 - ECU supports adoption of the new guidelines as proposed by AHPRA.
- [Public](#) consultation on the review of the Guidelines for advertising a regulated health service
 - As ECU does not advertise in this space we are not responding to this consultation
- [Public consultation on the proposed Supervised practice framework](#)
 - This framework applies to persons not yet registered and undergoing a period of practice which is supervised; applicants meeting AHPRA eligibility requirements; or persons who've had a complaint/notification made about them and who are undergoing a period of supervised practice. The framework provides principles, rather than specific actions in relation to supervised practice. Principles include patient safety, risk and transparency. The

framework also indicates a level of supervision and what that means in relation to responsibility.

- Implications for education providers: Health students, should all be regarded as undergoing supervised practice. Providers should ensure that the principles of the document proposed are included in clinical placement and practical skills scenarios. This may include contracts and supervisory agreements and guidelines.
- ECU supports adoption of the new framework for supervised practice

Moira

Professor Moira Sim

MBBS, FRACGP, FACHAM, PGDipAlcDrugAbStud, GAICD

Executive Dean, School of Medical and Health Sciences, Edith Cowan University

[REDACTED]

DISCLAIMER: This e-mail is confidential. If you are not the intended recipient you must not disclose or use the information contained within. If you have received it in error please return it to the sender via reply e-mail and delete any record of it from your system. The information contained within is not the opinion of Edith Cowan University in general and the University accepts no liability for the accuracy of the information provided.

This e-mail is confidential. If you are not the intended recipient you must not disclose or use the information contained within. If you have received it in error please return it to the sender via reply e-mail and delete any record of it from your system. The information contained within is not the opinion of Edith Cowan University in general and the University accepts no liability for the accuracy of the information provided.

CRICOS IPC 00279B
RTO PROVIDER 4756