# Major Change Visitors' Report

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# Section one: Programme details

Name of education provider	Leeds Metropolitan University
Programme title	MSc Occupational Therapy (Pre- registration)
Mode of delivery	Full time
Relevant part of HPC register	Occupational therapist
Date of submission to HPC	24 January 2011
Name and profession of HPC visitors	Jennifer Caldwell (Occupational therapist) Kathleen Bosworth (Physiotherapist)
HPC executive	Ruth Wood

# Section two: Submission details

# Summary of change

The education provider runs a currently approved MSc Occupational Therapy (Pre-registration) programme. The education provider is seeking approval for the Pg Dip Occupational Therapy (Pre-registration) programme.

SET 2 Programme admissions

The introduction of the Pg Dip programme as an exit award would impact on the information provided in the admissions procedures.

#### SET 4 Curriculum

The learning outcomes must ensure that those who successfully complete the programme meet the standards of proficiency for their part of the Register.

SET 6 Assessment

The programme's learning outcomes and assessment of the learning outcomes must be reviewed to ensure those who successfully complete the programme meet the standards of proficiency for their part of the register and to ensure professional aspects of practise are assessed appropriately for the Pg Dip programme as opposed to the MSc programme.

The following documents were provided as part of the submission:

- Change notification form
- Context pack
- Major change SETs mapping document (completed by education provider)
- Programme specification Occupational Therapy
- Course Document Occupational Therapy
- SOPs mapping documents Occupational Therapy

### Section three: Additional documentation

- The visitors agreed that no further documentation was required in order to make a recommendation.
- The visitors agreed that additional documentation was required in order to make a recommendation. The SETs for which additional documentation was requested is listed below with reasons for the request.

### Section four: Recommendation of the visitor(s)

To recommend a programme for ongoing approval, the visitors must be assured that the programme meets all of the standards of education and training (SETs) and that those who complete the programme have demonstrated an ability to meet our standards of proficiency (SOPs) for their part of the Register.

The visitors agreed to recommend to the Education and Training Committee that:

- There is sufficient evidence to show the programme continues to meet the standards of education and training and that those who complete the programme will continue to demonstrate an ability to meet the standards of proficiency.
- There is insufficient evidence to determine if or how the programme continues to meet the standards of education and training listed. Therefore, a visit is recommended to gather more evidence and if required place conditions on ongoing approval of the programme.

The visitors' recommendation on this major change means that a new pathway of this programme has been generated. This will result in a new entry (regarding the Pg Dip Occupational Therapy (Pre-registration) programme) being placed in our records and on our website.