

Date of meeting:	26 June 2020	via ZOOM
Time of meeting:	12.00 – 14.00	

MINUTES – Open Session

Present: Board: Michael Watson (MW) (Chair), Iain McInnes (IM),
Bea Teuten (BT), Earle Abrahamson (EA), Sarah Grant
(SG), Philip Rose-Neil (PR-N), Tara Willmott (TW)
Staff: Margaret Coats (MC) (Chief Executive & Registrar)

1 Welcome

MW welcomed all those present.

2 Apologies for Absence Meghan Mari; Sue Spurr

3 Declaration of interests

MW invited those present to declare any interests in relation to any item on the agenda. There were no declarations.

4 Minutes of Open session held on 12 February 2020

The Minutes were approved for publication.

5 Complaints

Member noted the most recent meeting of the Case Examiners was held on 20 February, when they decided there was no case to answer. Currently there are no complaints under investigation.

6 Professional Issues

6.1 Update on core curricula timetable

The Chief Executive is in correspondence with the Profession Specific Boards for the remaining four core curricula: Alexander Technique Teaching; Bowen Therapy; Craniosacral Therapy, and Yoga Therapy.

7 Operational Activities

Staff have been working from home since March, but CNHC remains very much 'open for business'. Alongside all the normal range of day-to-day activities, a wide range of coronavirus-related advice and guidance has been published to assist compliance with government requirements. The Board expressed its thanks to staff for all they have done.

8 Horizon scanning

Given the dramatic change in the landscape since February, the Board discussed how best to best to express the issues arising from the coronavirus pandemic. It was agreed this has an impact on how education and the services provided by registrants will change, as well as on CNHC itself.

9 Any other business

None.

Further meeting dates for 2020

21 October 2020