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GDC press release

The GDC is looking for a dental professional to join the Council. Candidates from all registrant groups and from any part of the UK can apply.

To be successful in this role, candidates will be committed to protecting patients and the public, be able to demonstrate sound judgement, grasp complex information and be an effective communicator. Candidates will also enjoy working as part of a team with the GDC executive in the achievement of high performance standards. [read more...](#)

Council members can expect to spend approximately twenty days on Council business. This will include attending Council, committee and task and finish group meetings, training and appraisal days and stakeholder events. In addition, there can be occasional ad hoc requests to travel to the London office that can happen at relatively short notice, dictated by events.

Recruitment information

Details about how to apply can be found on the Appointments Commission website: https://www.appointments.org.uk/jobdetails.aspx/1398/General_Dental_Council_GDC_Member/?Ssimple=dental

The Appointments Commission is independent of the GDC and oversees the whole recruitment process. The Appointments Commission ensures that all appointments of chairs, non-executives and members to public bodies throughout England are made in a way that is open, transparent and fair to all applicants. All appointments are made on merit.

The deadline for applications is midday on Thursday 28 July.