



## Joint Council for Cosmetic Practitioners (JCCP) – Announces new members of its Regulated Qualifications, and Education and Training Providers Register

The **Joint Council for Cosmetic Practitioners** is delighted to announce new members of its register of approved regulated qualifications in aesthetics and providers of those qualifications.

Learna in partnership with the **University of South Wales** have gained approval for their qualification **Certificate in Cosmetic Medicine with Assessment of Aesthetic Injectable Practice**

- This is a post graduate level qualification offering 60 credits at level 7 of the regulated qualification framework (RQF) and enables students to achieve the required knowledge, values, and competence to provide Botulinum Toxin and Dermal Fillers.

**EduQual** has gained approval for a suite of new regulated qualifications, including:

- **EduQual Certificate in Skin Rejuvenation and Hair Reduction for Aesthetic Practitioners** (SCQF Level 7)
- **EduQual Award in Laser and Light-Based Hair Reduction** (SCQF Level 7)
- **EduQual Award in Non-Ablative Laser and Light-Based Skin Rejuvenation** (SCQF Level 7)
- **EduQual Award in Chemical Skin Rejuvenation** (SCQF Level 7)
- **EduQual Award in Micro Needling Skin Rejuvenation** (SCQF Level 7)

The Certificate qualification is composed of units (modules) taken from the other four Awards. It should be noted that SCQF Level 7 corresponds to Ofqual RQF Level 4 –see [QAA website](#) for more details.

We are delighted that **Cosmetic Courses** a cosmetic education provider has gained JCCP approval to deliver the **full suite of EduQual qualifications above at SCQF level 7 (which corresponds to Ofqual RQF level 4)**

To achieve JCCP approval the qualification must be at the appropriate level of the regulated qualification framework as defined in the *JCCP (2018) Standards for Education* and enable successful candidates to achieve all relevant knowledge, skills and values to be occupationally competent as defined within *the JCCP (2018) Competency Framework for Cosmetic Practice*. **Education providers** within the Vocational, Further Education or Higher Education sector may apply for approval to deliver regulated qualifications that have been approved and appear on the JCCP register. All applicants must meet a rigorous set of standards demonstrating their ability and capacity to deliver, assess and quality assure high quality regulated qualifications in aesthetics.



Students who successfully complete JCCP approved qualifications may then enter the JCCP PSA accredited Practitioner register. The JCCP register is a not for profit charity with the aim of protecting the public in an unregulated sector. JCCP operate two registers

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- **Practitioner register:** For practitioners who work to a code of practice, meet nationally agreed standards, and hold suitable insurance and indemnity.
- **Education register:** For regulated qualifications and approved providers of those qualifications, that meet nationally agreed standards and enable successful participants to demonstrate the required level of knowledge and competence to practise safely,

The Education Register is managed by the JCCP Education and Training Committee currently chaired by Assistant Professor Dr Anne McNall who said:

*'The JCCP is delighted to welcome these new members to the Regulated Qualifications and Education Providers Register. The JCCP recognises that there is real confusion and in many cases misrepresentation by education and training organisations around courses and qualifications offered, and the JCCP Register is designed to reassure potential trainees of the credibility of the qualification and the provider. This is a real achievement for these organisations to meet the high standards required. We welcome more qualification and education providers in the Vocational and HE/FE sector to join the register'.*

For more information on how to join the JCCP education and Training register and to access the documents cited above, see below:

<https://www.jccp.org.uk/EducationAndTrainingProvider>

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#### **Additional Notes:**

The Joint Council for Cosmetic Practitioners (JCCP), was formally launched In February 2018 as a 'self-regulating' body for the non-surgical aesthetics and hair restoration sector in the United Kingdom and has achieved Professional Standards Authority (PSA) recognition and **charitable status**. The charitable status reflects the overarching not-for-profit mission of the JCCP which is to improve patient safety and public protection. The concept of the JCCP was envisioned by the Department of Health and was instigated by Health Education England on behalf of NHS England and the Department of Health. The primary aim of the JCCP is to enable the public to be more informed about the risks associated with non-surgical and hair restoration treatments and to clearly identify appropriately qualified, knowledgeable and competent practitioners who practise in these areas of specialist treatment. To



achieve these aims the JCCP has now established a Government (Professional Standards Authority – PSA) approved **Practitioner Register**, and to assist practitioners to find appropriate qualifications, **an Education Register**

### **Notes to Editors:**

For general information and enquiries on the JCCP go to:

[www.jccp.org.uk](http://www.jccp.org.uk)

For further information on standards for non-surgical aesthetic treatments and hair restoration surgery please go to:

[www.cosmeticstandards.org.uk](http://www.cosmeticstandards.org.uk)

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