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Dear Dr Wilson

Thank you for sharing with us the Higher Education Occupational Physicians/Practitioners' guidance 'Medical students – standards of medical fitness to train.'

The Undergraduate Board considered the guidance on 14 September 2011.

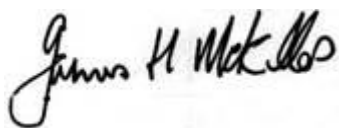
The Board agreed the guidance is a useful tool to assist in the assessment of a student's capacity to meet the outcomes we specify in *Tomorrow's Doctors*.

We were pleased to note the guidance makes reference to both *Tomorrow's Doctors* and *Good Medical Practice*. A few comments came up during the Board's and other discussions which I thought it would be helpful to pass on.

- In the last line of the first paragraph it might be helpful to refer to the 'Equality Act 2010' to distinguish it from the 2006 act.
- It might be helpful to say a little more about what (given current technology) is likely to be a reasonable adjustment in relation to medical students (or to link to other resources which might help). As the guidance is specific it may be helpful to regularly revise it to reflect changes in technology that may impact on what is a reasonable adjustment.

I look forward to joining you at your meeting on 11 October 2011 and will be happy to discuss any of these comments.

Yours sincerely



Professor Jim McKillop
Chair, Undergraduate Board