

## Summary of Decisions

From the Dental Council meeting in April 2021

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The Dental Council (Council) is the statutory body constituted under the Health Practitioners Competence Assurance Act 2003 (the Act) to maintain the health and safety of members of the public by providing mechanisms to ensure that health practitioners are competent and fit to practise. Council endeavours to keep its key stakeholders up to date with key decisions.

This document is a summary of Council's decisions from the meetings held in April 2021.

### New recertification programme

The Council resolved to set a recertification programme pursuant to section 41(1) of the Act, as described in the Recertification of oral health practitioners policy, dated 6 April 2020. All oral health practitioners will be notified of the new recertification programme by email, no later than 11 May 2021, pursuant to section 41(6) of the Act.