



Strategic Statement 2015-17

Who we are

The General Chiropractic Council (GCC) regulates the chiropractic profession in Great Britain and Northern Ireland. It is an independent organisation set up by Parliament.

Our Vision

- We aim to deliver effective regulation for the protection of patients and the public and to do so in a fair, proportionate and objective manner.

What we do

The Chiropractors Act 1994 requires the GCC to carry out the following main functions:

- setting the standards of the profession;
- promoting high standards of education and training in Chiropractic;
- maintaining a register of those Chiropractors who are fit to practise;
- take action against anyone using the title of chiropractor who is not registered with the GCC;
- investigating and deciding complaints about fitness to practise.

Strategic Aims

We aim to:

- protect patients and the public;
- uphold and improve professional standards;
- engage effectively and have constructive dialogue with our stakeholders;
- improve our effectiveness, ensuring our systems are cost effective and fit for purpose;
- collaborate effectively with other health and care profession regulators in the UK.