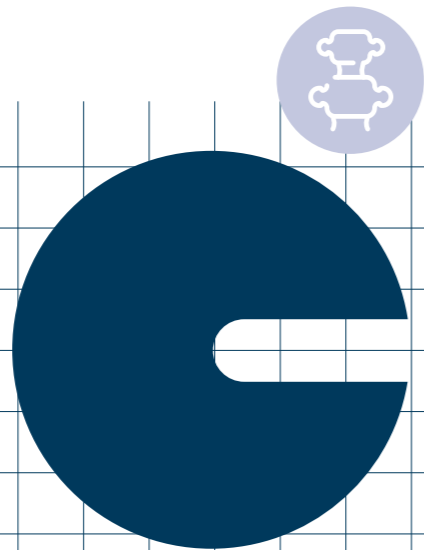


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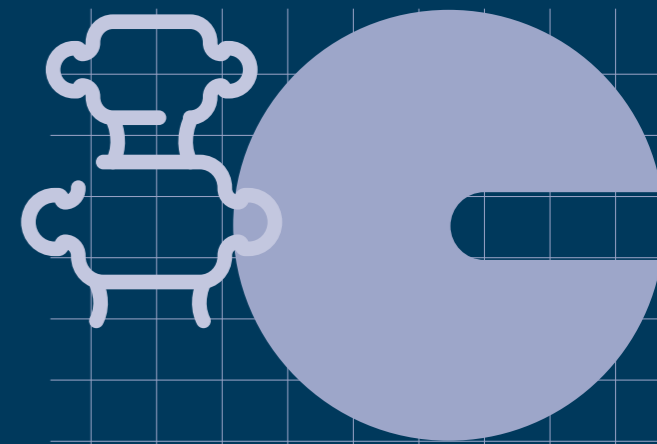
We are the General Chiropractic Council (GCC)  
– the UK regulator for chiropractors.

Our role is to protect the health and safety of the public  
by ensuring high standards of chiropractic practice.

If you want to work as a  
chiropractor in the UK, you  
must register with us first.



# REGISTERING WITH THE GENERAL CHIROPRACTIC COUNCIL (GCC)



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## BEFORE YOU APPLY

UK graduates

Your university will send us a graduate list confirming you have qualified, then we will email you an **invitation to apply**.

You won't be able to start the application or receive a registration number until we've received this confirmation.



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## APPLYING FOR REGISTRATION

Once you're invited to apply, you'll need to:

- Complete an **online application**
- Upload a set of **supporting documents**

You can find step-by-step guidance on our website to help you through the process.

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## HOW LONG REGISTRATION TAKES

We aim to process applications within **10 working days** once we have received all the required information.

We don't currently offer an expedited service, and applications may take longer if we need to carry out additional checks.

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## INDEMNITY INSURANCE

You must have **appropriate indemnity insurance** in place before we can register you.

You'll be asked to provide evidence of this as part of your application.



INSURANCE

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## MEDICAL REPORT

A **medical report** is required for registration. You can download the form from our website.

It must:

- Be completed by an **independent doctor**, and
- Be sent to us **directly from the surgery** (or via a professional third party, if needed)

**The medical report process can often take some time.** It's advisable to arrange for your doctor to complete and send this as early as possible to help prevent delays during registration.

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## REGISTRATION FEES

First-time registration

- **£750** – practising
- **£100** – non-practising

Your registration can only be granted once the full fee has been paid.



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## REGISTRATION YEAR AND RETENTION

The registration year runs from **1 January to 31 December**. The date you register will determine how long your initial registration lasts and when you'll next need to pay your retention fee.

You'll find more details about this on our website.



## FIND OUT MORE

For full guidance, required documents and payment details, visit our website:

[www.gcc-uk.org/new-graduates](http://www.gcc-uk.org/new-graduates)



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Or scan the QR code

