**Faculty of Public Health Projects Scheme brief**

**Those wishing to apply for approval and advertisement of their projects should email this completed form to:** **educ@fph.org.uk****. This form should be completed by the Project Lead.**

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| **Name of the Project Leads** | Yvonne Doyle and Julia Weldon, FPH |
| **Contact details** | Email: julianryder@fph.org.uk  |
| **Date** | September 2025 |

### Project Details

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| **Title and brief description of the project with summary of key roles and outputs expected from the registrar** | **Public Health in the Emerging NHS System in England: a Task and Finish Group**The project will be managed in three phases.Phase 1 (discovery phase) will explore:* Emerging organisational structures and roles – outlining the purpose responsibilities, core functions and the public health responsibilities and priorities associated with each established role or layer.

Phase 2 will explore:* What public health capacity is need in that layer, how will it connect the wider public health system and how might the capacity for public health input be met?

Phase 3 will explore:* Who assures public health functions in that layer and ensures the optimum performance of the people and functions?
* Where are the needs or re-requisites for success for public health in operating at that layer?

The outputs expected are:* A good understanding about the current situation in the field particularly relating to NHS changes at every level in England; the current initiatives under way (such as updating the Core Offer); and better intelligence about professional public health workforce capacity currently in the system.
* A series of statements as to what good looks like in the sourcing and sustaining of professional public health advice to the NHS; in system leadership throughout the ICS, and partnership working for optimal population health benefits.
* A chance to put forward good practice including in employment, professional support and ways of supporting excellence in performance for the population’s health outcomes at various levels.
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| **Name of the organisation supporting the project** | Faculty of Public Health |
| **Where will the Registrar be based for the duration of the project?**  | The registrar will be working alongside the co-chairs and a task and finish group that will include a broad range of national partners alongside those working in the field. Most of the work can be conducted from the registrar’s current base via MS Teams. There may be one or two occasions when we will meet at the FPH in London |
| **Please set out the Learning Outcomes and likely competencies to be achieved by the registrar from Public Health Specialty Training Curriculum** | Key area 2: Assessing the effectiveness of policyKey area 3: Policy strategy development and implementationKey area 4: Strategic leadership and collaborative working for healthKey area 7: Health and care public health |
| **Start and end date of project (project duration)** | October 2025 - March 2026 |
| **Time requirement for the Registrar on the project (days per week)** | The registrar will have a more intensive piece of work to do in the first two months so will be needed for at least two days a week and then 1-2 days a week until the end of the programme. |
| **How many Registrar places are available on this project?**  | One |
| **Location of Project Lead** | Wakefield  |
| **Details of the approved Project Supervisor** | Yvonne Doyle: yvonnedoyle29@gmail.com Julia Weldon: juliaweldon@btinternet.com  |
| **Will there be accommodation/travel costs associated with this project? If so who would be expected to cover this cost?** | There may be some travel costs, but this will be limited. Travel costs will be covered by FPH. |
| **Please describe how the project will work in practice.** | The project will have 3 phases overseen by the Co-Chairs supported by the FPH. The discovery phase will start after the first steering group meet and the Registrar will undertake this work and present the findings to the steering group towards the end of the year. This will inform phases 2 and 3. The Registrar will continue to be part of the task and finish group throughout and will play a key role in developing and presenting the final report. |

**Projects Scheme application checklist**

This is only a guide and other criteria may be used for specific projects or training locations. Please record if you think you have met the following criteria and if not, please provide details about why the criteria will not be met.

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| **The Registrar has completed the MFPH exam or has an appropriate level of experience** | **YES / NO** |
| **The Registrar has a named Project Supervisor for the duration of the project** | **YES / NO** |
| **The TPD for the Registrar has seen and approved the project** | **YES / NO** |
| **The Registrar’s Educational Supervisor has seen the project and agrees that it meets the Registrar’s training needs** | **YES / NO** |
| **There is clarity on the process for the Project Supervisor and Educational Supervisor to communicate about the Registrar’s progress** | **YES / NO** |
| **The project brief clearly describes the Learning Outcomes and competencies expected** | **YES / NO** |