

# Report from the President of the Faculty of Public Health

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# **FPH Strategy 2020 – 25**

# Better Health for all – Leaving no one behind





1 MEMBERSHIP	We will recognise and promote our members as our greatest resource
2 WORKFORCE	We will ensure that we have a professional public health workforce that is able to meet future opportunities and challenges
3 STANDARDS	We will maintain and further develop high quality standards
4 KNOWLEDGE	We will act as a network of public health expertise, knowledge and evidence
5 ADVOCACY	We will deliver an ambitious and focused advocacy agenda
6 GLOBAL	We will build global public health competency and capacity
7 ORGANISATION	We will focus on financial viability and a strategic approach within the organisation
8 PARTNERSHIP	We will work in partnership with other organisations

# Work underway...



# Membership

New CPD Policy launched in April 2022 to better support membership needs and development.

New membership systems including membership portal, e-Portfolio, website refresh.

# **Advocacy**

Influencing PH system reviews across the UK and responding to official COVID-19 inquiry.

Other priorities include climate and health, anti-racism, inequalities, cost-of-living crisis, food, drugs.

### Workforce

Advocating for a public health system which offers the best conditions and resources for public health professionals to deliver their work, and for an increase in workforce numbers.

## Global

Continue to collaborate with global partners, e.g. with WHO on guidance over necessary arrangements for an effective emergency public health response.

#### **Standards**

Continuing to deliver our role in maintaining professional standards through Examinations, CCTs, Revalidation.

MFPH back to face-to-face from September 2022.

# **Organisational**

Sound budgetary management has allowed us to recognise members work by freezing fees.

New staff members joining the Faculty and hybrid working model established for Faculty staff.

# Knowledge

Revised PH training curriculum introduced in August.

New SIGs join the Faculty, including Digital Public Health and Health Communications, and Poverty SIG to address the cost-of-living crisis.

# **Partnership**

FPH remain dedicated to effective partnership working, including building links across the new public health system.

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# Faculty of Public Health

2022: Year in Review





Returned to face-to-face format for the MFPH

Over **250** people sat FPH examinations

**138** AACs supported by Faculty Assessors

**180** Consultant-level job descriptions approved

**600** people attended FPH's Climate Conference **4** UK CMOs delivered FPH's DARE Lecture 2022
FPH Parliamentary event on Overdose Prevention
First virtual FPH in Scotland Conference





1022 members accessed FPH's new membership portal

76 new Associate Members and 168 new Student Members

Published a landmark report on Equality and Diversity in the Public Health Workforce

New policy briefings on **7** key public health topics Climate advocacy before, during and after COP27 Calls for Government to invest in the public's health amidst a cost of living crisis



# Faculty of Public Health

# **Board Focus Areas**



### **Our People**

A resilient, diverse and inclusive UK and global public health workforce fit for the future



- 1. Support the wellbeing of the **public health workforce** who are facing increasingly complex challenges
- 2. Work with partners to ensure improved clarity, equity, and experience for public health practitioners across their **career pathway**

### Our Partnerships

Effective system leadership to improve the health of the public across all UK nations



3. We will expand formal and informal **relationships** with allied public health professionals and organisations focussed on improving the public's health and tackling health inequalities

### **Our Policies**

A clear, unequivocal, and effective champion for health and equity in all policies



- 4. Tackling **poverty** and the cost-of-living crisis
- 5. Maximising **NHS prevention** & population health
- 6. Climate change and health
- 7. Tackling **health inequalities** and a public health approach to anti-racism
- 8. Living healthier for longer across the life-course

### **Our Programmes**

Promote evidence-informed public health programmes to improve the public's health



- 9. What is Public Health? Ensuring the FPH is the lead voice for defining our profession, the PH system engaging members
- 10. **Future Public Health:** Building upon the COVID-19 pandemic to steer the future of public health practice, training, and workforce.

## **Our Global Impact**

Promoting and enabling members to contribute to improvements in global health



11. Continue to deliver on our role as **global leaders** in training, development and support for the public health workforce and deliver critical policy agendas in partnership with other key global stakeholders

# Get involved with the work of the Faculty



• There are so many different ways to get involved with the work of the Faculty – each a valuable contribution to your own professional development and to the PH Specialty



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