July 2022 Regulation Board Meeting

The Regulation Board noted that registrant numbers were increasing. The Higher Specialist Scientist register for experienced and senior level scientists' and Clinical Research Practitioners (CRP) numbers continue to show a steady increase. It was also noted that there was a slight drop in PSA preregistration (LSI Tier X) and reduction of ARTP numbers within the first quarter.

A new CRP accredited register renewal process was implemented from May 2022, with further developments being made to the CRP website.

The AHCS PSA Annual Review and Reaccreditation was approved on 6th April 2022. There were no significant changes or concerns raised. A full assessment is due for submission by end of March 2023.

The revision of the Risk register was discussed and following review, it was agreed for the changes to be made and for a revised risk register to be submitted at the next meeting.

The Regulation Board discussed sustainability and agreed for an internal task and finish group to be set-up to review the organisation's carbon footprint.