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Dear Emily

**Peninsula College of Medicine and Dentistry (PCMD)
South West Regional Review Report 2016**

We would like to thank the GMC visiting team for their careful consideration of the PCMD BMBS programme, which is now in its final years of operation. We remain dedicated to maintaining a high quality programme with continuing high levels of student experience, and are pleased that this is clearly reflected in the report.

The report highlights that some students questioned the fairness of 'on the spot' judgements. We consider that this assessment of students' professionalism is important, and sets them in good stead for their future careers. The on-the-spot process is described in student handbooks and manuals, and has been reiterated in a number of lectures and workshops. Following the GMC feedback, we will enhance our communication of the educational validity of on-the-spot judgements to our students.

Once again we would like to thank the visiting teams for their friendly and constructive approach to the inspection process, and we welcome the continuing journey of inspections over the coming years.

With very best wishes

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