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Statutory and Healthcare Professional Body Registers

1. Introduction

Some of the registrants on the COSCA Register of Counsellors and Psychotherapists may also be listed on statutory and healthcare professional body registers. This can be because they also practice in other professions e.g. nurses, teachers, social workers etc.

In the interests of public protection, all COSCA registrants on statutory and health care registers are identified as such under their names on the COSCA Register of Counsellors and Psychotherapists.

In order to protect the public, when COSCA registrants, who are also registered with a statutory and/or healthcare professional body is removed from the COSCA Register on fitness to practise grounds, COSCA will notify the holder of the statutory professional register or other professional body of the removal of the registrant.

Below is a list of the statutory and healthcare professional body organisations that hold registers.

Members of the public and service users can use the information below to make informed decisions about the choice of a COSCA registrant as a counsellor or psychotherapist.

The information provided below is also provided to help open up routes of complaints against COSCA registrant to all relevant bodies.

2. List of Statutory and Healthcare Professional Bodies

AFT (Association for Family Therapy)
<http://www.aft.org.uk/view/index.html?tzcheck=1>

Alliance of Private Sector Practitioners
<http://www.thealliancepsp.com>

American Counseling Association
<http://www.counseling.org/>

ACPP (Association of Core Process Psychotherapists)
www.acpponline.net

ACTO (Association for Counselling and Therapy Online)
www.acto-uk.org/

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BABCP (British Association for Behavioural & Cognitive Psychotherapies)

<http://www.babcp.com/Default.aspx>

(BAcC) British Acupuncture Council

<http://www.acupuncture.org.uk>

BACP (British Association for Counselling & Psychotherapy)

www.bacp.co.uk

BASRat (British Association of Sport Rehabilitators and Trainers)

<http://www.basrat.org>

BASW (British Association of Social Workers)

<http://www.basw.co.uk>

BPC (British Psychoanalytic Council)

<http://www.pschoanalytic-council.org/>

BPhC (British Pharmaceutical Council)

<http://www.pharmacyregulation.org>

BPS (British Psychological Society)

<http://www.bps.org.uk/>

BSCH (British Society of Clinical Hypnosis)

<http://www.bsche.org.uk>

CNHC (Complementary and Natural Healthcare Council)

<http://www.cnhc.org.uk>

COSRT (College of Sexual and Relationship Therapists)

<http://www.cosrt.org.uk>

EMDR Association UK and Ireland

<http://www.emdrassociation.org.uk/home/index.htm>

FHT (Federation of Holistic Therapists)

<http://fht.org.uk/home>

HCPC (Health & Care Professions Council)

<http://www.hcpc-uk.org/>

ICEEFT (International Centre for Excellence in Emotionally Focused Therapy)

www.iceeft.com

ISMHO (International Society for Mental Health Online)

ismho.org

ITAA (International Transactional Analysis Association)

<https://www.itaaworld.org/>

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NAADAC (National Association of Alcoholism and Drugs Abuse Counsellors)
<http://www.naadac.org/>

National Council for Hypnotherapy
<http://www.hypnotherapists.org.uk/>

National Counselling Society
<http://www.nationalcounsellingsociety.org>

National Hypnotherapy Society
<http://www.nationalhypnotherapysociety.org>

NMC (Nursing and Midwifery Council)
<http://www.nmo-uk.org>

PCT Scotland (Person Centred Therapy Scotland)
<http://www.pctscotland.co.uk>

PTUK (Play Therapy UK)
<http://www.playtherapy.org.uk>

Society of Homeopaths
<http://www.homeopathy-soh.org>

STAA (Scottish Transactional Analysis Association)
<http://www.scottishta.org.uk>

SPC (Society for Academic Primary Care)
<http://www.sapc.ac.uk>

SSSC (Scottish Social Services Council)
<http://www.sssc.uk.com/>

UKAHPP (UK Association for Humanistic Psychology Practitioners)
<http://www.ahpp.org/>

UKATA (UK Association for Transactional Analysis)
<http://www.uktransactionalanalysis.co.uk>

UKCP (UK Council for Psychotherapy)
<http://www.psychotherapy.org.uk/>

UKPHR (UK Public Health Register)
<http://www.ukphr.org>

World Association for Person Centred & Experiential Psychotherapy & Counselling
(WAPCEPC)
<http://www.pce-world.org/>

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