

**Hearings Panel chairs and members – interests declared as at 4th April 2022**

Name	Own interests		Connected Persons interests
	Current interests	Professional memberships	
<b>ABBOTT</b> , David Lay member	No interests to declare		None declared
<b>ALEXANDER</b> , Jackie Anne Lay member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Employed: fitness to practise lay professional case examiner, Social Work England</li> </ul> <u>Previous</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Employed: lay panel member, Association of Chartered Certified Accountants</li> </ul>		None declared
<b>ALI</b> , Agnes OO member	No interests to declare		None declared
<b>AMES</b> , Jessica DO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Employed: Eye Clinic Opticians</li> </ul>	Member: ABDO <sup>1</sup>	None declared
<b>BARNETT</b> , Nina Lee Lay member	No interests to declare		None declared
<b>BARRETT</b> , Ann OO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Senior Specialist Optometrist: Leeds Teaching Hospital Trust</li> <li>Senior Specialist Optometrist: Applesons Optometrists / NHS Wetherby Eye Clinic</li> <li>Optometrist: Tunnaclyffe and Lambert Opticians</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member AOP</li> <li>Member College of Optometrists</li> </ul>	Close relative: member of Education Visitor Panel
<b>BASRA</b> , Amritpreet OO member	No interests to declare		None declared
<b>BAYLAY</b> , Sarah DO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Employed: Boots Opticians</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member, ABDO</li> </ul>	None declared
<b>BIBI</b> , Zaida Lay member	No interests to declare		None declared
<b>BRADFORD</b> , Susan Lay member	No interests to declare		None declared

<p><b>CARR, Eileen</b> Lay Chair</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fitness to Practice Panel Chair, Social Work England</li> <li>• Lay Panel member/Chair: Investigating Committee, GCC<sup>2</sup></li> <li>• Panel Chair: Investigating Committee, NMC<sup>3</sup></li> <li>• Panel Chair: Fitness to Practice, HCPC<sup>4</sup></li> <li>• Trustee: BASIC<sup>5</sup></li> </ul>		<p>None declared</p>
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<sup>1</sup> [Association of British Dispensing Opticians](#)

<sup>2</sup> [General Chiropractic Council](#)

<sup>3</sup> [Nursing and Midwifery Council](#)

<sup>4</sup> [Health & Care Professions Council](#)

<sup>5</sup> [Brain and Spinal Injury Charity](#)

<p><b>CARTWRIGHT</b>, David OO member</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chair: Eyecare Trust</li> <li>• Former Chair: NHS England Derby/Notts Local Professional Network</li> <li>• Director: DC Vision</li> <li>• Former Employee optometrist: Boots Opticians</li> <li>• Employed: NHSE Eye Delivery Group</li> <li>• Examiner: College of Optometrists</li> <li>• Non-Executive Director: Nottingham University Hospital</li> <li>• Chair: Irvine Aitchison memorial fund</li> <li>• Occasional writer: Optician magazine</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: College of Optometrists</li> <li>• Member: Nottingham LOC<sup>6</sup></li> <li>• Member: WCSM<sup>7</sup></li> </ul>	<p>Connected person: employed, Boots Opticians</p>
<p><b>CLARK</b>, Caroline OO member</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Employed: Boots Opticians</li> <li>• Employed (locum): Kennet Lahti Opticians</li> <li>• Member, NHS PAG</li> </ul>	<p>Treasurer, Leeds LOC</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Close relative: Optometric Adviser, NHS England North East &amp; Yorkshire</li> <li>• Close relative: Chair, LEHN West Yorkshire and Harrogate</li> </ul>
<p><b>COLLIN</b>, Catherine OO member</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Employed: Senior Lecturer in Dispensing and Optometry UCLAN</li> <li>• Employed: locum optometrist</li> </ul> <p><u>Previous</u> Employed: Specsavers (until June 2018)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: AOP</li> <li>• Member: College of Optometrists</li> </ul>	<p>None declared</p>

<b>CONNOLLY</b> , Kevin Lay member	No interests to declare		None declared
<b>CONNOR</b> , Denise OO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Employed: Boots Opticians</li> <li>• Committee member: Hampshire LOC</li> </ul> <u>Previous</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Employed: Specsavers and Heathcall Optical Services</li> </ul>		None declared
<b>COWEN</b> , Claire DO member	No interests to declare	Member: ABDO	None declared
<b>COX</b> , Theresa OO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Assessor: College of Optometrists</li> <li>• Employed: Specsavers (Wilmslow)</li> <li>• Faculty Member: Johnson &amp; Johnson Institute</li> <li>• Marker: Directorate of Optometric Continuing Education and Training Interactive</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: AOP</li> <li>• Member: College of Optometrists</li> </ul>	None declared
<b>CROOKALL</b> , Ian Lay Chair	No interests to declare		None declared

<sup>6</sup> [Local Optical Committee](#)

<sup>7</sup> [The Worshipful Company of Spectacle Makers](#)

<b>CROSS</b> , Philip DO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Partner, In Home</li> </ul>	Member: ABDO	Close relative: registered optometrist
<b>CURTIS</b> , Paul Lay Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lay Member: Disciplinary Panel Judicial Conduct Investigation Office</li> <li>Lay Chair: MPTS<sup>8</sup></li> </ul>		None declared
<b>DUTTON</b> , Christian OO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Professional Services Optometrist: Evolutio Care Innovations Ltd.</li> <li>Fellow and former Councillor: The College of Optometrists</li> <li>Owner Principal (self-employed): Dutton Optometry</li> <li>Postgraduate Tutor/Assessor: WOPEC<sup>3</sup> (Cardiff University)</li> <li>Volunteer (non-clinical): ROKPA Trust <u>Previous</u></li> <li>Clinic supervisor/lecturer: University of Portsmouth (September to December 2018)</li> <li>Optometrist (locum): Boots Opticians</li> <li>Optometrist (resident): ASDA Opticians (June 2002 – December 2016)</li> </ul>	Member: AOP	None declared
<b>ELLIOTT</b> , Gordon OO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Director of Primary Eyecare Services Ltd</li> <li>Director and shareholder of GD Elliott Ltd</li> <li>Locum Optometrist</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member: AOP</li> <li>Member: College of Optometrists</li> <li>Member: Central Mersey LOC</li> <li>Member: Cheshire and Merseyside LEHN<sup>9</sup></li> </ul>	None declared
<b>ELLIS</b> , Danielle OO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vice Chair, BECH LOC</li> <li>Employed, Vision Express Brent Cross</li> </ul>		None declared
<b>ENSTON</b> , Nicola Jayne Lay member	No interests to declare		None declared

<b>FENOUGHTY, Sara</b> Lay Chair	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chair: Police Appeals Tribunal</li> <li>• Lay Chair: MPTS</li> <li>• Judge: First Tier Tribunal</li> </ul>		None declared
<b>FIDA, Sarvat</b> DO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Employed: Asda Opticians</li> <li>• Part-time employed (approximately once/month): Auckland Opticians</li> </ul>	Board member: Wakefield Local Optical Committee	None declared
<b>GEARY, Vivienne</b> Margaret Lay member	No interests to declare		None declared

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<sup>8</sup> [Medical Practitioners Tribunal Service](#)

<sup>9</sup> [Local Eye Health Network](#)

<b>GOH</b> , Daniel OO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Committee member, Hospital Optometrists Committee</li> </ul>		None declared
<b>GOHIL</b> , Kamlesh OO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Assessor and Examiner: College of Optometrists</li> <li>Former Director &amp; shareholder: Specsavers (Ealing, West Ealing, Acton and Chiswick)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member: BCLA</li> <li>Fellow: College of Optometrists</li> </ul>	None declared
<b>GUDRAY</b> , Maninder OO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ophthalmic Director (20% shareholding): Specsavers (Oxford)</li> </ul>		None declared
<b>HAMILTON</b> , Sarah Lay member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Non-Executive Director, Cambridgeshire and Peterborough NHS Trust</li> </ul>		None declared
<b>HANSON</b> , Ian Lay member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Investigation Committee Lay Member: Institute of Chartered Accountants</li> </ul>		None declared
<b>HAYES</b> , Clare DO Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Employed: Aston University</li> <li>External Advisor: ABDO</li> <li>Examiner: ABDO</li> </ul>	Member: ABDO	None declared
<b>HOQUE</b> , Ubaidul Lay Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lay panel member: Employment Tribunal</li> <li>Lay Panel member: Social Security Tribunal</li> <li>Registrant panel member: Health &amp; Care Professions Council</li> <li>Specialist Podiatrist: North East London NHS Foundation Trust</li> </ul>		
<b>HOWARD</b> , Alexander OO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Employed: University of Manchester</li> <li>Employed: College of Optometrists Stage 1 Assessor</li> </ul>		Close relative: Director, Chesterfield & Matlock Specsavers



<b>JINABHAI</b> , Amit OO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• External Examiner: University of Bradford's Optometry Programme</li> <li>• Senior Lecturer: University of Manchester</li> <li>• Fellow: European Academy of Optometry (conducts their Fellowship interviews and act as an Independent Expert Reviewer of their Fellowship applications)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: College of Optometrists</li> <li>• Fellow: BCLA<sup>10</sup></li> <li>• Fellow: Higher Education Academy</li> <li>• Member: AOP</li> <li>• Fellow: European Academy of Optometry and Optics</li> </ul>	Close relative: registrant optometrist (Vision Express employee)
<b>JOHNSTONE</b> , Anne Lay Chair	No interests to declare		None declared
<b>KARP</b> , Miriam Lay member	No interests to declare		None declared
<b>KELLOCK</b> , James Lay Chair	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fitness to Practise panel member: General Dental Council</li> <li>• Fitness to Practise panel Deputy Chair: General Pharmaceutical Council</li> <li>• Regulatory Committees Chair: ACCA</li> </ul>		None declared
<b>KILGANNON</b> , Jane Lay member	No interests to declare		None declared
<b>KIMPTON</b> , Catherine OO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Employed: Supersavers</li> <li>• Self Employed: ad hoc ABDO Examiner</li> </ul>		
<b>KIRK</b> , Gaynor OO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Employed, Specsavers Newmarket</li> <li>• Optometric Clinical Advisor, NHS England East</li> <li>• Supervising Optometrist and Research Assistant, Anglia Ruskin University</li> <li>• Examiner, College of Optometrists OSCE exams</li> </ul>	Member, Suffolk LOC	None declared

<sup>10</sup> [British Contact Lens Association](#)

<p><b>LEA, Judy</b> OO member</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Part-time Director/shareholder, Longton Specsavers</li> <li>• Pre-reg assessor, College of Optometrists</li> <li>• Specialist optometrist, Royal Stoke University Hospital</li> </ul>		<p>None declared</p>
<p><b>MACMILLAN, Ewen</b> OO member</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Optometry Clinical Lead: NHS STP Area 40 (BANES, Swindon &amp; Wiltshire Clinical Commissioning Groups)</li> <li>• Clinical Optometric Adviser: NHS England (South-West)</li> <li>• Assessor and Examiner: College of Optometrists</li> <li>• Triaging Optometrist: Primary Eyecare Services Limited</li> <li>• Director: Orbital Eyewear Limited</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: AOP</li> <li>• Member: College of Optometrists</li> </ul>	<p>None declared</p>
<p><b>MACNAUGHTON, Jane</b> OO member</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Examiner, College of Optometrists</li> <li>• Proprietor, CLEARVIEW Training</li> <li>• Specialist Optometrist, University Hospitals of Leicester NHS Trust</li> <li>• College of Optometrists Appointee, Vision UK Early Intervention and Enablement Committee</li> <li>• Post Graduate Student, Anglia Ruskin University</li> </ul>		<p>None declared</p>

<p><b>MCEWEN</b>, Hermione Lay Member &amp; Chair</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tribunal Judge: Social Entitlement Chamber</li> <li>• Solicitor, Equality &amp; Human Rights Commission</li> <li>• Panel Chair, Social Work England</li> </ul> <p><u>Previous</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lay Partner: Health Care Professions Council Tribunal Service (resigned 2020)</li> </ul>	<p>Member: Law Society</p>	<p>None declared</p>
<p><b>MCFARLANE</b>, Audrey Marilyn Lay member</p>	<p>No interests to declare</p>		<p>None declared</p>
<p><b>MCKECHIN</b>, Ann Lay member</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Board Member: Public Health Scotland</li> <li>• Lay member: General Chiropractic Council's Professional Conduct Committee and the Health Committee</li> <li>• Lay member: General Chiropractic Council's Professional Conduct Committee and the Health Committee</li> <li>• Non- Executive Director: Smart Metering Communications Body Ltd trading as Smart Energy GB</li> <li>• Independent Chair: Scottish Prison Service Advisory Board (until 2025)</li> </ul>		<p>None declared</p>
<p><b>MCLAREN</b>, Mark Lay member</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Non-executive director, Property Ombudsman</li> </ul> <p><u>Previous</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Advised the RCVS on establishing a consumer complaints service which is administered by Nockolds, the law firm which also administers the GOC's OCSS (until 2018)</li> </ul>		<p>None declared</p>

<b>NAIK</b> , Asmita Lay member	No interests to declare		None declared
<b>NASRULLAH</b> , Sanna OO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Clinical Instructor: Aston University</li> <li>• Employed: Boots Opticians</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: AOP</li> <li>• Member: College of Optometrists</li> </ul>	None declared
<b>O'CONNELL</b> , Rachel Lay Chair	No interests to declare		None declared
<b>ORMEROD</b> , Pamela Lay Chair	No interests to declare		None declared
<b>O'ROURKE</b> , Gemma OO member	No interests to declare		None declared
<b>PATERSON</b> , Valerie Lay Chair	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Legal Assessor, Social Work England</li> <li>• Chair, Fitness to Practise, Association of Chartered Certified Accountants</li> <li>• Chair: Medical Practitioners Tribunal Service Fitness to Practise Panel</li> <li>• Chair: Nursing and Midwifery Council Fitness to Practise Panel</li> <li>• Legal Assessor: General Dental Council</li> <li>• Legal Assessor: Health Care Professions Council Tribunal Service</li> <li>• Public Interest Member: Discipline Panel, Institute of Chartered Accountants (Scotland)</li> <li>• Legal Chair: Scottish Social Services Council</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Law Society of Scotland</li> <li>• Member: Independent Legal Assessors</li> <li>• Writer to Her Majesty's Signet Notary Public</li> </ul>	None declared
<b>PILKINGTON</b> , Nigel Lay member	No interests to declare		None declared

<p><b>PINNINGTON</b>, Simon DO member</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Self-employed locum Dispensing Optician / Contact Lens Optician, Specsavers Group</li> <li>• <u>Previous</u></li> <li>• Director and 50% shareholder, Hounslow Visionplus Ltd and Hounslow Specsavers Ltd (until May 2019)</li> </ul>		
<p><b>RICHARDS</b>, Mark Lay member</p>	<p>No interests to declare</p>		<p>None declared</p>
<p><b>ROBERTS</b>, Claire OO member</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Director: Claire Roberts Optical Services Ltd</li> <li>• Employed: NHS England Optometric Adviser and Local Eye Health Network Chair</li> <li>• Employed: NHS Shropshire Clinical Commissioning Group Optometric Adviser</li> </ul>	<p>Member: College of Optometrists Member: AOP</p>	<p>Close relative: Director: Claire Roberts Optical Services Ltd</p>
<p><b>ROBERTSON-RICKARD</b>, Alice Lay Member</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Judge: First-tier Tribunal, Social Entitlement Chamber</li> <li>• Judge: First-tier Tribunal, Health, Education and Social Care Chamber</li> <li>• Member: Appeals Panel, HFEA<sup>11</sup></li> <li>• Member: Fitness to Practise Committee, GDC<sup>12</sup></li> <li>• Member: Fitness to Practise Committee, GPhC<sup>13</sup></li> <li>• Member: Fitness to Practise Committee, NMC</li> </ul>		<p>None declared</p>
<p><b>ROSKILLY</b>, Diane Lay member</p>	<p>No interests to declare</p>		<p>None declared</p>

<sup>11</sup> [Human Fertilisation and Embryology Authority](#)

<sup>12</sup> [General Dental Council](#)

<sup>13</sup> [General Pharmaceutical Council](#)

<b>SARJEANT</b> , Louise DO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Director, SPH Opticians</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: College of Optometrists</li> <li>• Member: AOP</li> <li>• Member: Sandwell LOC</li> <li>• Member: AIO</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Close relative: Clinical Director, AOP</li> </ul>
<b>SHAW</b> , Philippa OO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Examiner and Assessor: College of Optometrists</li> <li>• Faculty member: Johnson and Johnson Vision Care Institute</li> <li>• Training Adviser: Directorate of Optometric Continuing Education and Training</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: AOP</li> <li>• Member: College of Optometrists</li> <li>• Former Member: NOAA<sup>14</sup></li> <li>• Former Member: Vision Aid Overseas</li> </ul>	None declared
<b>SMITH</b> , Victoria Lay member	No interests to declare		None declared
<b>STODEL</b> , Judith DO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Locum: Dipple &amp; Conway Opticians</li> </ul>	Member: ABDO	Close relative: locum Optometrist, Dipple & Conway Opticians
<b>STREET</b> , Adrian OO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Director: F Norville Ltd trading as Norville Opticians</li> </ul>	Member: FODO board	None declared
<b>SUMMERSKILL</b> , Ben Lay member	No interests to declare		None declared
<b>TAYLOR</b> , Ian OO member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 50% shareholder and director, Specs2U Ltd</li> <li>• 50% shareholder and director, MBOS Ltd</li> </ul>		None declared

<sup>14</sup> [National Optometric Advisors' Association](#)

<p><b>TETLOW</b>, Carolyn Lay member</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lay Member: Construction Industry Council</li> <li>• Lay member / chair: GCC, CLC<sup>15</sup>, GPhC, HCPC, NMC, RICS<sup>16</sup></li> <li>• Panel chair: Social Work England</li> <li>• Panel chair: Association of Chartered Certified Accountants</li> </ul>		None declared
<p><b>THEOPHILUS</b>, Kalpana OO member</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Assessor: Citizens Advice Bureau</li> <li>• Employed: Optometrist, Boots Opticians</li> <li>• Examiner/Assessor: The College of Optometrists</li> <li>• Member: Fitness to Practise Hearings Panel, University of Hertfordshire</li> <li>• Visiting Lecturer/Tutor Practitioner: University of Hertfordshire</li> </ul>	Member, AOP	None declared
<p><b>VAUGHAN</b>, John Lay member</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Executive Reviewer and Specialist Advisor, Care Quality Commission</li> <li>• Education Associate, General Dental Council</li> <li>• Independent Panel Member, Mayor's Office for Policing and Crime</li> <li>• Strategy Director (Interim), Central and North West London NHS Foundation Trust</li> </ul>		None declared
<p><b>WEBSTER</b>, Amanda Jane Lay member</p>	No interests to declare		None declared

<sup>15</sup> [Specialist Property Law Regulator](#)

<sup>16</sup> [Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors](#)

<p><b>WHEAT, Jayne</b> Lay Member &amp; Chair</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fee paid Judge, Employment Tribunal</li> <li>• Fee paid Judge, First Tier Tribunal - Social Entitlement Chamber</li> <li>• Panellist: BACP<sup>17</sup></li> <li>• Legally Qualified Chair/Legal Assessor: MPTS</li> <li>• Lay Adjudicator (Chair): Social Work England Fitness to Practise Panel</li> </ul>		None declared
<p><b>WHITE, Graham</b> Lay Member &amp; Chair</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chair: Disciplinary/Regulatory/ Appeals Committees, ACCA<sup>18</sup></li> <li>• Chair: Tribunal Service, HCPC</li> <li>• Chair: NHS Resolution Primary Care Appeals Panels</li> <li>• Judicial Member/Chair: Parole Board</li> <li>• Legally Qualified Chair/ Legal Assessor: MPTS</li> <li>• Member: HS2 and Heathrow Expansion Compensation Panels</li> </ul>	Member: Law Society	None declared
<p><b>WORTLEY, Julia</b> Lay Member &amp; Chair</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Independent Monitor: Disclosure and Barring Service</li> <li>• Lay member: Audit &amp; Risk Committee, NHS Resolution</li> </ul>		None declared

<sup>17</sup> [British Association for Counselling and Psychotherapy](#)

<sup>18</sup> [Association of Chartered Certified Accountants](#)