## **GP Trainer Service Level Agreement (SLA)**

## **Principles**

The GP Specialty Training, Service Level Agreement, is between the Director of Postgraduate General Practice Education (DGPE) of the Northern Ireland Medical and Dental Training Agency (NIMDTA) and the named GP Trainer.

Every GP Trainer is required to complete and sign the SLA agreement and return to NIMDTA, upon appointment as a GP Trainer and following each reaccreditation period of 3 years.

GP Trainers are approved by the GMC. NIMDTA manages the appointment and support of GP Trainers through its Quality Management processes. Completion of this SLA is part of the Deanery Quality Management framework for the accreditation of GP Trainers. Should a Trainer not complete this agreement, the Deanery will be unable to endorse them as a GP Trainer and will subsequently need to inform the GMC.

The GMC retains the right to remove its approval of that doctor as a GP Trainer when the Deanery informs it:

- A GP Trainer has resigned or retired from post.
- A GP Trainer fails to comply with the Quality Management process in the Deanery

NIMDTA will complete this on an ongoing basis.

## Process:

