



Reference form for the Diploma in Paediatric Osteopathy (DPO)

Applicant's Name _____

The above osteopath is applying for admission to the Diploma in Paediatric Osteopathy programme. To assist us in the selection process, we should be most grateful if you could complete this form.

1a. How long have you known the applicant? _____

1b. In what capacity do you know the applicant? _____

2. Please assess the applicant on a scale of 10 (highest) to 1 (lowest) in relation to the following criteria by circling the appropriate number:

Intellectual ability	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
Motivation	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
Written communication	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
Verbal communication	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
Diagnosis (osteopathic)	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
Treatment (osteopathic)	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
Ability to organise workload	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
Time-keeping and attendance	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
Attitude and interaction with colleagues	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
Overall assessment	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1

3. Please comment on the applicant's performance in the workplace and suitability for the programme applied for (include a separate signed letter if preferred).

4. Please provide a Character Reference (continue on or include a separate signed letter if preferred).

5. If you know of the applicant being guilty of any misconduct, please give details.

6. Do you know of any reason why the applicant should not be offered a place on the DPO programme (*please specify*).

7. Recommendation (please tick)

- I strongly recommend this applicant for the DPO programme
- I recommend this applicant for the DPO programme
- I do not recommend this person for the DPO programme
- I am unable to comment

Contact Details

Name: _____ Signature _____

Tel: _____ E-mail: _____ Date: _____

Thank you for completing this form. Please enclose this form (and any accompanying letter) in an envelope and sign it across the seal before returning it to the applicant. Alternatively send it direct to Admissions, Foundation for Paediatric Osteopathy, 22A Point Pleasant, Wandsworth, London SW18 1GG.

Under the terms of the 1998 Data Protection Act, an applicant has the right to access any reference submitted.