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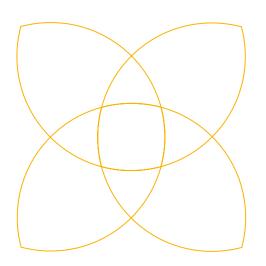


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#### Introduction

As part of the Revalidation process, doctors are expected to complete a 360 Degree, or Multi-Source Feedback (MSF), report. This involves completing a Self-Assessment, as well as collecting feedback from colleagues and patients.

Along with the other supporting information you collect, this process should help to reflect on how you work and identify ways you can modify and potentially improve your practice.

The 360 process should be completed at least once every five years and it should form part of the discussion at your annual appraisal.

SARD 360 allows you to complete all elements of your Multi-Source Feedback in one place.

## 1 Getting Started

To begin an MSF round using SARD 360, click on the 'My MSF' tab at the top of the page and select 'New MSF'.

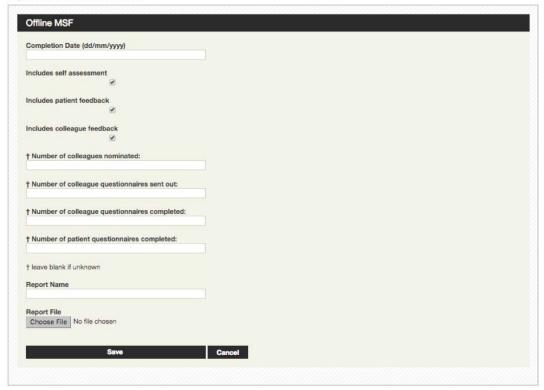




## 2 Adding a Previous MSF

If you have previously completed your MSF offline, or on a different system, you can select 'Upload Previous MSF' and add the relevant details. Ideally you should also attach a PDF or Word version of your report.

#### Upload Previous MSF





## 3 Components of your MSF

Whilst it's necessary to complete all elements of a Multi-Source Feedback during the five year revalidation cycle, SARD 360 allows you to complete any combination of the different elements at any time. This can be particularly useful if you wanted to collect further feedback from a particular area, but didn't want to finalise the whole process.

When starting a new MSF, you will be prompted to select whether this should include Self Assessment, Colleague Feedback and/or Patient Feedback. This can be also be changed from the MSF page at any time, should your requirements change.





### 4 Self Assessment

The Self Assessment questionnaire is based on the GMC template. It is designed to supplement the information obtained from the colleague and patient questionnaires and should be used for your own reflection.

You will be asked to rate your performance in various aspects of your practise on a scale from 'Poor' to 'Very Good'. If you feel you can't answer any of the questions, then please select 'Don't Know'.

There is also a comments box at the end of the questionnaire for you to record any additional thoughts.

You can save your progress at any time, or submit your responses by using the buttons at the bottom of the questionnaire.

1	Please rate yourself in each of the following areas by ticking one box along each line						
		Poor	Less than satisfactory	Satisfactory	Good	Very Good	Don't Know
а	Clinical knowledge	0	0	0	0	0	0
b	Diagnosis	0	0	0	0	0	0
С	Clinical decision making	0	0	0	0	0	0
d	Treatment	0	0	0	0	0	0
е	Prescribing	0	0	0	0	0	0
f.	Medical record keeping	0	0	0	0	0	0
g	Recognising and working within limitations	0	0	0	0	0	0
h	Keeping knowledge and skills up to date	0	0	0	0	0	0
ı	Reviewing and reflecting on own performance	0	0	0	0	0	0
i	Teaching	0	0	0	0	0	0
k	Supervising colleagues	0	0	0	0	0	0
ı	Commitment to care and wellbeing of patients	0	0	0	0	0	0
m	Communication with patients and relatives	0	0	0	0	0	0
n	Working effectively with colleagues	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	Effective time management	0	0	0	0	0	0



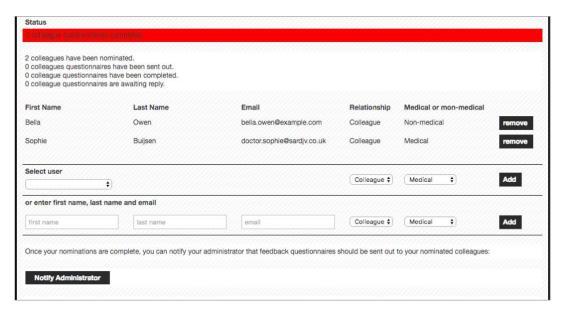
## 5 Colleague Feedback

You should nominate colleagues you believe will be able to provide suitable feedback on your working practice. This should include a mixture of medical and non-medical respondents.

The GMC recommend that you should nominate 25 colleagues, with the aim of receiving a minimum of 15 anonymous responses. These requirements vary at some trusts, so you should read the instructions on SARD carefully. If you are unsure, please contact your system administrator.

To nominate colleagues, simply select them from the dropdown of SARD users at your organisation. If the colleague you wish to nominate is not a SARD user, you can add their name and email address manually.

To help obtain a valuable scope of feedback, you should also indicate if the nominated individual is a manager or a colleague and whether they are a medical or non-medical respondent.



Once you have nominated a sufficient number of colleagues, click 'Notify Administrator'. They will then be prompted to send questionnaires to a selection of those nominated. The 'administrator' in this case may be your appraiser, or it may be the revalidation administrator at your trust, depending on your trust's configuration.

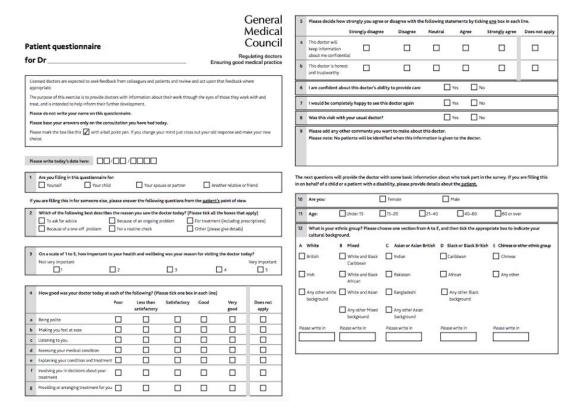
From this section you'll be able to see how many questionnaires have been sent out and how many have been completed, although the respondents will remain anonymous.



#### 6 Patient Feedback

Many organisations will have different procedures for collecting and submitting patient feedback-if you are unsure how to proceed you should contact your system administrator.

This section contains a link to download and print the GMC patient questionnaire. It is important that this version is used to ensure it can be entered correctly onto the SARD system for reporting and benchmarking purposes.



The GMC recommends that the survey is completed by a minimum of 34 patients, although your organisation may have different expectations. Some roles with limited practical patient interaction will also require a smaller sample size-the GMC website provides useful case studies for such scenarios.

You should ensure your name is at the top of each form, and we suggest that a questionnaire is handed out to every patient (or carer) during the survey period.



Specific details from your organisation of how to collect and where to send your completed surveys are included in this section. Once they have been submitted, they will be input onto the system. The traffic light system will indicate how many have been completed and entered:

## 7 Completing Your MSF

Once your self assessment and/or feedback is complete and you believe your MSF is ready for analysis, you can notify your administrator by clicking the button at the bottom of the page.



By notifying the administrator, you are acknowledging that you are satisfied for the report to be generated with the number of questionnaires that have been returned.

The administrator will then be able to check the content of your MSF, before generating a report. Once generated, this will be shared with you. If your trust also uses the SARD Medical Appraisal and Revalidation System, this report will automatically be attached to the relevant sections of your portfolio and appraisal.

### 8 MSF Report

The report will contain the results of your MSF. A score will be generated for each section based on the responses, as well as any additional comments.

The report also includes a benchmarking system, to compare your results to those of data collected for the GMC as part of a Peninsula study. This is designed to give an impression of how the responses compare and identify areas for discussion in appraisal. This benchmarking should not be considered a definitive reflection of your performance, as your MSF responses can be influenced by multiple external factors.

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