

Appendix 2 - Questions from the medical professionals survey

How old are you?

What gender do you identify with?

What is your ethnic group?

What is your profession?

Options:

- Medical student Y1-6
- Doctor in training - F1-F2
- Doctor in training - Core Trainee, IMT, ACSS etc
- Doctor in training - Specialist Registrar
- Consultant
- Doctor not currently in training, please specify
- Nurse
- Paramedic
- Other, specify.

If you are a healthcare professional, which area do you specialise in?

Have you ever heard of the field of expedition medicine?

- Yes
- No

How much do you feel you know about the field of expedition medicine?

- You are an expedition medic or have been previously.
- A lot – from personal experience on an expedition with one or from completing expedition medicine training or courses.
- Somewhat – you know what is involved in being an expedition medic but have no first-hand experience yourself.
- Not a lot – you have heard of it before but don't really know what it entails.
- Nothing – you have never heard of expedition medicine before.

What level of interest in expedition medicine do you have?

- I have/wish to pursue a career within this field
- I would like to pursue training in this field recreationally
- I don't know enough yet
- No interest

Do you think universities should offer formal expedition medicine teaching in their curriculum to all medical students?

- Yes
- No

Do you think the NHS should offer formal, accredited expedition medicine training programmes to their medical staff?

- Yes
- No

If you are involved/have interest in the field of expedition medicine, have there been any barriers which you have faced relating to this?

- Yes, specify
- No
- N/A

Do you think expedition medicine should become a formal/accredited specialty in the UK by the General Medical Council?

- Yes
- No
- General comments on why you feel this way