

**Royal Pharmaceutical Society – Elections to the National
Pharmacy Boards 2019**

17 May 2019

Turnout

In total, 25,117 ballots were issued, and 2,882 individual members voted. The turnout was therefore 11.47% - a slight increase on the 2018 figure of 11.12%.

English Pharmacy Board

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| Number of ballots issued: | 21,499 |
| Number of individuals who voted: | 2,121 |
| Turnout | 9.9% |

Welsh Pharmacy Board

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| Number of ballots issued: | 1,373 |
| Number of individuals who voted: | 278 |
| Turnout | 20.2% |

Scottish Pharmacy Board

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| Number of ballots issued: | 2,245 |
| Number of individuals who voted: | 483 |
| Turnout | 21.5% |

Voting by Channel

Voters were allowed to vote using one of two methods:

1. Postal ballot, completed and returned to Mi-Voice using Royal Mail
2. Online, accessed through an e-mail

In addition, a SMS was sent reminding individuals to vote online. On the day the text message was sent, which was a Sunday, 92 votes were received for the English Pharmacy Board Election, 17 votes were received for the Scottish Pharmacy Board Election and 8 votes for the Welsh Pharmacy Board.

Individual Votes Cast by Channel

| Channel | England | Wales | Scotland | Total |
|-----------------|--------------|------------|------------|--------------|
| E-Voting | 2,004 | 261 | 478 | 2,743 |
| Postal | 117 | 17 | 5 | 139 |
| Total | 2,121 | 278 | 483 | 2,882 |

In summary 95.2% of votes received were through the online channel and 4.8% via postal ballot.

Results

English Pharmacy Board

| Candidate | No. of Votes | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|----------------|
| Andre YEUNG | 941 | Elected |
| Tracey THORNLEY | 914 | Elected |
| Sibby BUCKLE | 897 | Elected |
| Duncan PETTY | 719 | Elected |
| David CARTER | 705 | Elected |
| Brendon JIANG | 616 | |
| Jonathan CAMPBELL | 607 | |
| Graeme HOOD | 565 | |
| Fatema MAMDANI | 510 | |
| Adebola TOJUOLA | 472 | |
| Amira SHAIKH | 438 | |
| Total Number of Votes Received | 7,384 | |

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| Number of individuals eligible to vote | 21,499 |
| Total number of individuals who voted | 2,121 |
| Turnout | 9.9% |
| Total number of votes | 7,384 |
| Total number of online ballots received | 2,004 |
| Total number of postal ballots received | 117 |
| Number of returned voting papers which were spoiled or otherwise invalid | 0 |

Open/ Click Through Rates from E-Mails

| Communication | Sent | Opened | Click |
|-----------------|--------|-------------|------------|
| Ballot mail | 21,440 | 5,860 (28%) | 1,001 (5%) |
| Reminder | 20,631 | 4,762 (24%) | 417 (2%) |
| Second reminder | 20,211 | 3,997(28%) | 474 (2%) |
| Final reminder | 18,928 | 3,048 (16%) | 277 (1%) |

Please note that open/click through data should only be used as a guide because not all browsers will report back on activity. Further, we do not track how many click throughs result in an actual vote.

Welsh Pharmacy Board

| Candidate | No. of Votes | |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| Jamie HAYES | | |
| Any Sector | 166 | Elected – Any Sector |
| Adam MACKRIDGE | | |
| Primary Care/Any Sector | 112 | |
| Total Number of Votes Received | 278 | |

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| Number of individuals eligible to vote | 1,373 |
| Total number of individuals who voted | 278 |
| Turnout | 20.2% |
| Total number of votes | 278 |
| Total number of online ballots received | 261 |
| Total number of postal ballots received | 17 |
| Number of returned voting papers which were spoiled or otherwise invalid | 0 |

Open/ Click Through Rates from E-Mails

| Communication | Sent | Opened | Click |
|----------------------|-------------|---------------|--------------|
| Ballot mail | 1,373 | 424 (32%) | 164 (12%) |
| Reminder | 1,202 | 268 (23%) | 50 (4%) |
| Second reminder | 1,165 | 210 (19%) | 36 (3%) |
| Final reminder | 1,086 | 176 (16%) | 21 (2%) |

Results

Scottish Pharmacy Board

| Candidate | No. of Votes | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|----------------|
| John MCANAW | 242 | Elected |
| Brian ADDISON | 227 | Elected |
| Kathleen COWLE | 217 | Elected |
| William BISHOP | 156 | |
| Omolola DABIRI | 141 | |
| David HENRY | 104 | |
| Total Number of Votes Received | 1,087 | |

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| Number of individuals eligible to vote | 2,245 |
| Total number of individuals who voted | 483 |
| Turnout | 21.5% |
| Total number of votes | 1,087 |
| Total number of online ballots received | 478 |
| Total number of postal ballots received | 5 |
| Number of returned voting papers which were spoiled or otherwise invalid | 0 |

Open/ Click Through Rates from E-Mails

| Communication | Sent | Opened | Click |
|-----------------|-------|-----------|-----------|
| Ballot mail | 2,244 | 717 (33%) | 302 (14%) |
| Reminder | 1,981 | 489 (26%) | 93 (5%) |
| Second reminder | 1,886 | 353 (20%) | 69 (4%) |
| Final reminder | 1,733 | 248 (14%) | 35 (2%) |

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