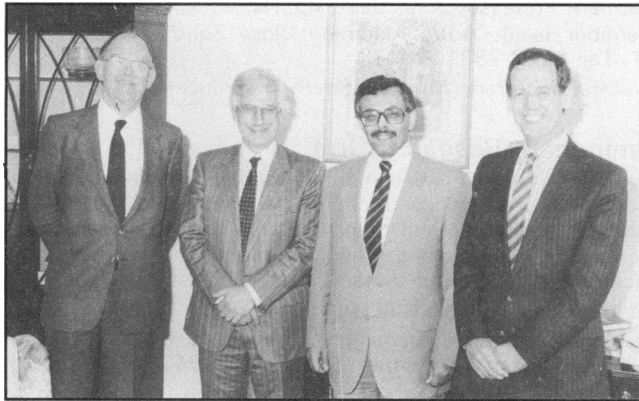


### Primary care in Kuwait

The College were recently very pleased to welcome Dr Abdullah Al-Refai, Secretary General of the Kuwait Institute of Medical Sciences, on a visit to 14 Princes Gate. He was welcomed by Professors Michael Drury, John Walker and Robin Fraser. Recently the Kuwait Institute of Medical Sciences and the Royal College of General Practitioners have been cooperating in the establishment of a training system in primary care in Kuwait, and an RCGP – Kuwait Diploma in Family Medicine is being established, and a formal period of vocational training is being undertaken by young Kuwaiti doctors leading to an attainment of this diploma.



Dr Abdulla Al-Refai (second from the right) with (left to right) Professors Drury, Walker and Fraser.

### Hands together across the Great Wall

On 13 February 1986 a delegation from the Chinese Academy of Medical Sciences visited Princes Gate as part of a programme arranged by the DHSS on behalf of the Foreign and Commonwealth Office.

A very friendly two-way exchange of views took place with the President and the Chairman of the Education Division learning more about the Chinese system of primary care. The Chinese delegation were keen to hear about the College's general practice statement. Visits of this nature allow for useful discussions on the practical implications of 'Health for all by the year 2000'.



Those in the photograph: Prof V.W.M. Drury (President, RCGP), Dr M.A. Varnam (Chairman, Education Division, RCGP), Prof G.U. Fangzhou (President, CAMS), Dr D.A.L. Yuhua (Vice President, CAMS), Prof W.U. Min (Chairman, Department of Cell Biology, Cancer Institute), Mr. T.A.O. Jiaqi (Department of Foreign Affairs, CAMS).

The news editors would appreciate members' comments on how they would like to see this section of the *Journal* develop.

Please send your comments to Janet Fricker at 14 Princes Gate, London SW7 1PU.

### Report from Council

The fourth meeting of the 1985/86 Council took place on Saturday 14 June 1986, under the chairmanship of Dr John Hasler.

#### *Quality initiative*

*General practitioner services available to patients.* Council considered a paper outlining the basic range of services that should be available in every general practice. Before considering matters of quality of service to patients and the level of performance of doctors Council recognize that there is a need for agreement about the range of services that should be available to people through general practice throughout the United Kingdom. The paper considered not only clinical services, but also factors such as accessibility, practice arrangements, and the work of the primary health care team. A list of basic facilities and services would provide a base-line against which performance might be measured. Much of what was included in the document was already College policy and had been covered by many of the College publications. Council felt it was important to include in the paper the importance of the general practitioner acting as a personal family doctor.

*The Council quality initiative.* Dr Bill Styles reported a telephone conference that had been held with Drs Ian McNamara, Michael Pringle and Edwin Martin, to make proposals for the next step of the Council quality initiative. It was felt important that Council members should continue to promote performance review as part of their everyday general practice. This activity should be carried out within their own practices and promoted in the faculties they represented. Council members confirmed their support for the quality initiative, and agreed to report individual progress to the Council at the study day in December. It was decided that in order to encourage faculty involvement faculty secretaries or quality initiative coordinators would be invited to the study day to share their experience of performance review within the faculties.

*Quality in general practice.* Dr John Hasler, Chairman of Council, gave a report on activities that were taking place in the College to implement the statement on quality recently published as *Policy statement 2*. Dr Hasler pointed out that with the interest that the Government's green paper on primary health care was generating, there was a danger that these activities might be put on one side temporarily. He described the many developments that were taking place at Princes Gate to assist general practitioners and members of the primary health care team to produce high quality general practice. These included the computer and management appreciation courses, the development of clinical and practice information folders, as well as the organization of several fact-finding meetings with other organizations. The adoption of written objectives by practices, and the monitoring of their achievement was the first step towards improving the quality of general practice. Many practices were now sending copies of their annual report to Princes Gate, and these were most welcome and were being lodged with the Information Service.

*Professional development and entry to the College.* Dr Hasler introduced a report which looked at the need for a credible entry standard to general practice, the establishment and development of higher training for doctors during their early years as principals in general practice, and a review of the route to membership and fellowship of the College. He reminded Council of its policy that vocational training should be supplemented by a subsequent period of higher training, and also of its commitment to fellowship by assessment. It was pointed out that it would not be possible for Council to decide on fundamental changes to the methods of entry to the College as this would have to be considered by faculties, and eventually would need to be taken to a general meeting of the College.

Council debated the need for the assessment of vocational training and whether or not this should remain linked to assessment for membership of the College. Dr Hasler explained that a working party of the Joint Committee on Postgraduate Training for General Practice was also considering the assessment of vocational training. Council agreed that this matter should be reconsidered at a later date, and that in the meantime the membership division executive should continue to examine methods of assessment, and in particular the assessment for fellowship.

*'Primary health care — an agenda for discussion' and 'Neighbourhood nursing — a focus for care'*

Dr Hasler outlined the timetable for the College's response to the Government's discussion documents. It was hoped that the faculties would be able to report the results of their deliberations and local meeting in a written report sent to Princes Gate by 31 July 1986. Individual members of the College were also invited to write to the Honorary Secretary if they wished. These responses would be considered by the General Purposes Committee at its August meeting, and a draft response would be put to September Council. A further opportunity for discussion of this matter by the Council would be available at the December meeting. The Honorary Secretary circulated a paper which highlighted areas for discussion and general principles relevant to formulating a response to the green paper. Dr Hasler reported that he had heard many unfavourable comments regarding the good practice allowance, specifically because it was believed that no new money would be made available, and the allowance would be awarded only to those who had reached a defined standard. Council debated the basic principles upon which a performance sensitive contract might be based. These included matters such as making the application for a good practice allowance voluntary, awarding allowances to practices rather than individuals, and awarding them for a specified period of time. Council agreed that it was important that any good practice allowance should recognize progress made by practices, and movements towards standards. Practices who were improving should be rewarded as well as those who had reached defined standards. Specific attention should be paid to the practice environment, for instance inner city areas, as well as to the need for capital investment.

Council also considered the matter of capitation fees, and decided that it did not wish to return to pre-charter arrangements where a system based heavily on capitation fees had acted as a disincentive to good practice. However the Council agreed that the proposal for a retirement age of 70 years was acceptable. It was emphasized that Mrs Julia Cumberlege, Chairman of the Community Nursing Review, was visiting many parts of the country and organizing open meetings to discuss the report

*Neighbourhood nursing.* It was important that College members attended these meetings and made their views known. The Honorary Secretary reported that when dates for these meetings, and for the meetings with the Health Ministers were made available to the College he would inform the faculties.

*Mental Health Act 1983, draft code of practice*

Council considered a revised draft response to the DHSS's invitation to comment on this code of practice. The response indicated among other things the danger that this code would limit the ability to conduct clinical research in general practice. Council agreed that the Honorary Secretary should include a reference to the excessive length of the code of practice.

*Health Call*

Council considered an invitation to collaborate with Aircall plc in producing health education tapes for the general public. The service would be contacted through British Telecom's premium link line service, and the tapes would respond according to the numbers dialled by the caller. Each tape was of two to five minutes duration. Drs Colin Waine and Douglas Garvie had met with Dr P. Gregory, the Medical Director of Aircall, and discussed the possibility of a collaboration. Council agreed that the College would explore further possible collaboration with Aircall.

*WONCA*

Council congratulated Dr Douglas Garvie, Chairman of the host organizing committee for the great success of the WONCA 1986 Conference. The final figures were 1526 registrations, with 334 guests. Dr Garvie thanked Dr Hasler, Chairman of the scientific programme for the quality of the programme. The social programme had also been well received, and in particular many delegates had written and spoken about their enjoyment of their visits to the College headquarters at Princes Gate. They congratulated the staff on their efficiency and their welcoming approach.

*Trainee conference*

Council received a written report from Dr Styles on the trainee conference held on the 29 April 1986. The conference had been most successful with 23 faculties represented. The two trainee representatives on Council and several officers of Council were also present.

The trainees had said that they found it extremely helpful to meet with others and to learn about common problems. The trainees had been invited to discuss with their colleagues matters that had been raised at the conference and inform the College in writing of local views. There was a possibility that a second conference might be organized this year.

*Medical assessment of elderly people prior to a move to residential accommodation*

Dr Styles introduced a paper from the General Purposes Committee and gave Council background information on this matter. For some years an attempt had been made to issue a joint statement with the British Geriatric Society, the Royal College of Psychiatrists and the Association of Directors of Social Services. Agreement with the British Geriatric Society over a statement had not been possible. Council agreed that the College should issue a statement on this matter and that it should be sent to faculty secretaries.

## RCGP Annual Trainee Conference



The photograph shows some of the participants at the first RCGP Annual Trainee Conference held at Princes Gate on 29 April 1986. Trainee representatives from each faculty were invited to attend. The meeting was chaired by Dr Bill Styles, the Honorary Secretary of Council and several other College Officers were also present, including Dr R.L.K. Colville (Vice Chairman of Council) and Dr J.A. Lee (Chairman, Membership Division).

## MRCGP examination results

The following candidates were successful in the membership examination of the Royal College of General Practitioners in June/July 1986 (\* denotes distinction).

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## DIARY DATES

### College Summer Party

The President is holding an evening summer party for members and guests at the College on Thursday 25 September 1986, from 18.30 to 22.30 hours. Music will be played by students from the Guildhall School of Music and there will be an art and sculpture exhibition. Supper, with wine, will be at 19.30 and the concert from 20.45 hours.

Tickets are £12.50 each and can be obtained from Mrs Janet Smith at the College. As numbers are limited it is advisable to book early.

### Consumer/patient information for health

The five North of England regional associations of Librarians in the Health Service are planning a one-day meeting on 'Consumer/patient information for health' for Wednesday 10 September 1986 in the University of Leeds Medical and Dental School.

Although this meeting is being organized by librarians the issue of patient and health promotional information is of great importance in today's consumer-conscious world and the meeting is open to all who are professionally involved with the health and welfare of the public, including hospital and community medical and nursing staff, health educators, community health councils and public librarians.

The course fee is £15.00 (which includes lunch) and bookings should be made to: Mrs S. Thompson, District Medical Librarian, Airedale General Hospital, Steeton, Keighley, W. Yorks BD20 6TD.