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Press Cuttings Summary

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Direct Mentions

Print and Online Mentions

GP magazine

- An article cites *Good Medical Practice* in advising doctors how to deal with disruptive patients, telling them that a doctor-patient relationship should be ended only when their “*bond has irretrievable broken down.*”
- Clare Gerada has been elected the new Chair of the Royal College of General Practitioners

Revalidation

Two letters to the *Jersey Evening Post* from concerned readers question the ‘cash injection’ of £1.5 million ‘to bring (Jersey doctors) up to GMC revalidation standards’, asking whether their doctors are good enough, and demanding that doctors failing to meet the required standards have their licences revoked and their details published.

Fitness to practise

The following cases are mentioned in local media:

- Code A (issued with a warning)
- Dr Jane Barton (following the outcome of the CHRE’s review of the case; the CHRE did not appeal the GMC Panel’s determinations)
- Code A (a fitness to practise case is scheduled for June)

Broadcast Mentions

There are no relevant broadcast mentions to note.

Letters

There are no relevant letters in the national media today.

Other News

The Daily Express features the story of Amber Fox, a ‘straight-A’ student who hopes to become a doctor, but who has been turned down for a place to read medicine at three universities. The article notes the rise in admissions to UK universities from students from the EU, linking this to Amber’s fate.

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