



Secretaries' Report

Membership

Membership numbers as at April 2006: 170 members
30 new members have joined the forum since May 2005.

Members join exclusively through the website and hear about the forum via

- 22 from a forum member
- 1 from the conference
- 6 internet search
- 1 other

10 members have updated information on the database
6 members have left the forum

The membership list has been updated to make as current as possible, reasons for removal from list include:-

- No longer contactable
- No longer in practice development posts or working in the NHS

Meetings

Attendance at meetings 37 individual members attended at least one meeting in 2005-2006

AGM 05 = 16; July 05 = 11; Oct 05 = 17; Jan 06 = 21
Average attendance = 16; between 11 and 21 at each meeting

However, some members are active virtually or support working groups. Some members who do not wish to be actively involved in the forum choose to join the mailing list instead.

Data Protection Act

PPDNF is exploring the best approach to managing database. At present, members make contact via secretary or website

Action Learning

Monthly action learning is now an opportunity available to PPDNF members. More details and dates are available on the website.

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