

# A year on

## are the Register changes making a difference?

In June 2024 we made changes to our registration processes and the qualifications and skills our registrants need. These changes are designed to make registration simpler and easier.

A year on we're seeing the difference the changes are making to improving registration.

### Being registered is simple and easy to understand

Before

**55,910**

people on more than one part of the Register

After

**3,251**

people on more than one part of the Register

### As a percentage of the Register

Before

**18.5%** of total unique individuals on multiple Register parts

After

**1.8%** of current registrants on multiple Register parts

### Improve public protection by reducing the time it takes to assess a registrant's fitness to practise

Before



days to process an application

After



days to process an application

### Improve public access to information on qualifications held

Before No specialist qualifications shown on public Register

After 67 Mental Health Officer and 66 Practice Educator awards shown on the public Register

### Social workers returning to practice are fit to practise

Before no requirements for social workers to return to practice

After 20 social workers met the return to practice requirements

### The Register is more accurate and up to date



Before

**74,000**

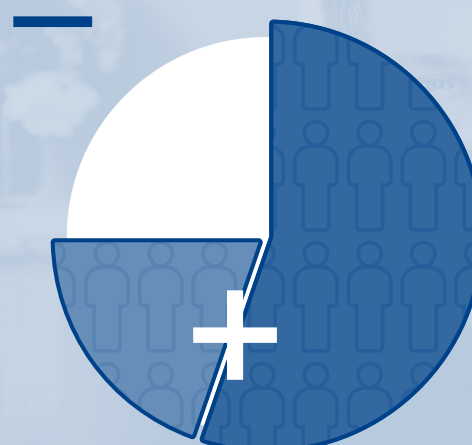
changes of details made every year

After

**112,411**

changes of details made over 6 months

### Our Register reflects the professional identity of the workforce



Before

**55.4%**

say registration means they are recognised as a professional

After

**75.1%**

say registration means they are recognised as a professional