

Bye-laws governing election to the fellowship

BYE-LAW 8.2 (Previously Bye-Law 39)

(1) The Council may nominate as Fellows of the College the following persons:

8.2(1) a (formerly Bye-law 39a) - Members of the College of good standing who are making relevant contributions to health and / or healthcare (*Members of the College relates to holders of MRCP(UK))

8.2 (1) b (formerly Bye-law 39b) - Persons holding a medical qualification, but are not Members of the College, who have distinguished themselves in the practice of Medicine, or in the pursuit of Medical or General Science or Literature and who have been previously nominated by the Council as specially eligible. No more than twenty such persons shall be elected Fellows in any one year

8.2 (1) c (formerly Bye-laws 39c, 39d, 39e, 39f, 39g) - Persons holding a medical qualification who are not otherwise eligible for nomination but have rendered exceptional services to the science or practice of medicine; or who occupy positions of distinction and have close connections with British medicine

8.2 (1) d - Persons not holding a medical qualification who are not otherwise eligible for nomination but have rendered exceptional services to the science or practice of medicine

BYE-LAW 8.6 (1) (formerly Bye-law 43)

Honorary Fellowships of the College may be bestowed on persons of eminence, who do not necessarily hold a medical qualification, but have rendered exceptional services to the Science or Practice of Medicine