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Hi,

I'd like to suggest the following requests that the existing practitioners from non-English speaking background should have the English language competence assessed as follows:

- self-assessment of competence based on a signed statutory declaration
- conduct of the practitioner's Chinese medicine practice primarily in English should be sufficient evidence of English language competence for grandparenting purposes;
- community/academic/professional engagement where the language of communication is English should be sufficient evidence of English language competence for grandparenting purposes;
- where a practitioner has passed a Chinese medicine examination conducted in English should be sufficient evidence of English language competence for grandparenting purposes.

Where a practitioner conducts his or her practice in a language other than English and is otherwise unable to provide sufficient evidence of English language competence, then conditions may apply.

Regards

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