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Dear Colleagues

Please see attached a Secondment Opportunity Notice from the Department of Health seeking to recruit medical practitioners to undertake the role of part-time Independent Medical Examiners as part of the Department's current Independent Medical Examiner Prototype.

These secondment opportunities are open to those who meet the eligibility criteria set out in the attached Secondment Opportunity Notice. It is anticipated that the secondments will last for an initial period of one year, with the potential for extension beyond this.

The positions are being offered on a part-time basis to provide the successful candidates with the flexibility to maintain his/her other professional roles.

The closing date for applications for the above vacancies is 15.00 on Friday 10 July 2026. It is anticipated that the interviews will take place via Microsoft Teams with dates to be confirmed following the closing date.

This secondment opportunity notice will also be advertised on HSCNI Jobs and GPNI Careers in the coming days.

I would be grateful if you would disseminate this notice widely to help ensure that all relevant medical practitioners are made aware of this secondment opportunity.

Yours sincerely

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Chief Medical Officer