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That is exactly what I was looking for, thanks so much. It was good to see the recommendation and it has definitely caused interest in social work education circles.

Much appreciated

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Thank you for your email.

The advice provided in our Plan Guidance document was approved by our Board of Commissioners and was provided to the Minister for Vocational Education and the Minister for Universities for their review prior to release (although it is important to note that Ministerial approval is not required for the release of this guidance).

As discussed in our previous meeting, the new three-year social work degree pathway strongly aligns with our wider investment priorities for health provision, so it was great to be able to hold this up as an example to the sector as to what we're looking for.

I hope this information is helpful, and please let me know if you have any further questions.

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Can you please just give me a quick heads up on which Minister this advice went to, re the social work 3 year degree as priority? We are needing to respond to the sector and it would be helpful to know whether this landed with one Minister or with several.

Thanks in anticipation

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