**Balint Society of Australia and New Zealand**

**Template for supervision reports to the BSANZ Accreditation Committee**

**Document C**

THE ACCREDITATION COMMTTEE REQUIRES THE FOLLOWING:

1. Dates and number of sessions since the last six monthly report

2. Comments about the supervisee’s progress and development in the following areas:

* maintenance of appropriate boundaries for Balint group work
* creation of a safe environment conducive to trust and learning
* understanding of the importance of the clinical relationship
* facilitation of group members to participate in the group
* the development of the co-leader relationship
* helping the group to avoid solutions and didactic teaching
* protecting the presenter
* awareness of group processes, unconscious factors and group development that can influence and affect the task of the group and its members
* understanding and maintenance of the ‘Balint frame’
* understanding and maintenance of confidentiality
* facilitation of the work of the group, including speculation, themes, keeping the group focused on the doctor-patient relationship
* ability to reflect on leadership skills, including the capacity to identify and critique his or her own contributions to the work and processes of the group
* introduction of Balint group work to participants in a group for the first time, including the history of the Balint movement

3. Other comments, ideas and suggestions that will encourage and facilitate the supervisee’s development, competence and creativity as a Balint group leader

Endorsed by the BSANZ board on 2 May 2017