

Skeleton Argument Template

In the fitness to practice procedures of the General Medical Council

GENERAL MEDICAL COUNCIL vs DR _____

SKELETON ARGUMENT OF _____

Background (set out a brief summary of the case)

- ▶ This section should only contain information that is brief, concise and will assist the tribunal

Submissions (outline your main arguments)

- ▶ You should refer to anything that is relevant and relates to the issues you want to put before the tribunal, making reference to documents in the hearing bundle.
- ▶ You should also set out any legal authorities or guidance you are relying on to support your arguments.

Summary

- ▶ You should set out exactly what you are asking the tribunal to do.

Skeleton argument prepared by (your name) _____ acting in-person.

Signed _____

Dated ___/___/___