

## **Faculty of Forensic Psychiatry**

## Dr Charles Smith 2018 Essay Competition

The Faculty of Forensic Psychiatry of the College of Psychiatrists of Ireland invites submissions for the 2018 Essay Competition entitled:

# "It behoves psychiatrists to break the Goldwater rule where to do so would be in the public interest". Discuss.

The winner will receive a monetary prize of €1,000 together with a commemorative medal

#### Rules of the competition

- Open to all NCHDs in Psychiatry working/ residing in the Republic of Ireland
- Entrants must be fully subscribed members of the College of Psychiatrists of Ireland
- The essay must be in the region of 3,000 words and be accompanied by a 300 word abstract
- The essay must be fully referenced
- Please send an electronic version to hmurray@irishpsychiatry.ie

### Deadline For Submission - 12 noon, Friday, 26<sup>th</sup> October 2018

The winner will be announced on Friday, 16<sup>th</sup> November at the 2018 College of Psychiatrists of Ireland Winter Conference in Killarney.