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Table 1: Focus groups with male pre-registration students - number and location of focus groups and students

	Total number of pre-registration students in each institution 2018 (% male)	Number of Focus Groups	Number of Students in focus groups
Tayside	1,129 (7.4%)	3	12*
Lothian	129 (8.5%)	2	7
West of Scotland	2077 (8.7%)	2	8
Grampian	915 (3.6%)	1	6

\* Including one focus group with 5 MSc students