

Job Vacancy

General Practitioner

6-8 sessions per week commencing April 2019

We are looking for a highly motivated GP to join our medical practice on the Leeds/Wakefield border. We are seeking an individual who is able to provide 6-8 sessions per week for continuity of care for our patients. At present we are flexible with working arrangements and would consider a minimum of 6 sessions, but would prefer up to 8 sessions per week. We could potentially accommodate flexible working hours. There may be partnership opportunities in the future.

Our practice operates out of a single site in purpose built modern premises in the pleasant residential area of Tingley/East Ardsley near Leeds. We sit between the M1 and M62 motorways, making the area popular with commuters and our practice easy to get to. Our patients primarily favour Wakefield referral routes, though we sit officially within the Leeds boundaries. The practice is part of Leeds Clinical Commissioning Group.

We have a dedicated team of administration staff and nursing colleagues and have engaged in many enhanced services and new projects, working closely with practices in the Morley neighbourhood. We feel that we have a reputation for delivering an efficient and quality service and we encourage continuity of care. Patients have a named GP and each GP has their own personal list. Our attached staff team who work in-house include the Midwives, Podiatrist, Ultrasound and Physio and we have space for accommodating further services over the coming years.

The list size is around 16 500 patients, with no nursing homes in our catchment area, although we do cover a few specialist learning disability homes. There is a total of 11 GPs - 7 partners and 4 salaried GPs. We have a wide range of skills and experience and would be happy to accommodate for GPs with specialist interests. We are experienced in teaching and used to be a training practice, although we currently do not have GP registrars. We are happy to support and mentor newly qualified GPs.

We try to keep paperwork to a minimum and have a team of administrative staff who will type letters and complete forms on your behalf. We also have a dedicated prescriptions clerk who deals with the majority of repeat scripts, TTOs and queries to help reduce the time spent dealing with prescriptions. We try to be as fair as possible with sharing work out – you will not be expected to take on any additional work without prior agreement, and the partners will share out the visits equally amongst all the doctors on the day. On average there are 1-2 visits per doctor each day. On average GPs are on call once every 2 weeks. We do offer extended hours appointments, but you are not expected to take part if you do not want to. We meet for coffee every morning after surgery to have a catch up and an informal chat. There is a weekly clinical meeting every Thursday morning.

We offer a competitive salary and employment terms based around BMA guidance depending on skills and experience. Feel free to contact us for an informal visit or if you would like more information.

Please send a CV with a covering letter to:

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