**PRACTICE HISTORY:**

**Welcome to Portland Medical Practice**



Portland Medical Practice is incorporated within the Anchor Meadow Health Centre which has been purpose-built to offer a comprehensive range of healthcare services. The Practice comprises Seven GPs, four nurses, two Healthcare Assistants, along with Care Coordinators and Administration Staff. The Practice is also a training practice for GPs and medical students and is linked to Birmingham University Medical School. Within the Health Centre you will also find services such as physiotherapy, chiropody, psychology, dentist, maternity, counselling, district nurses and health visitors. The doctors work in a non-limited partnership as a group. You do not have to consult the doctor with whom you are registered but it is advisable to follow the same problem through with one doctor whenever possible.

**DOCTORS:**

Dr Colin Kerboston Flenley (Male) MB ChB Birmingham 1980 DRCOG FRCGP DFSRH

Dr Julie Michelle Harrison (Female) MB ChB Liverpool 1993

Dr Ranjit Sagoo (Male) MB ChB Leicester 2006 Diploma of Obs & Gynae (2009) MRCGP DRCOG

Dr Lisa Finnikin (Female) MB ChB Birmingham 2007

Dr Mohammed Saeed (Male) MB ChB Manchester 2011

Dr Bilal Ladak (Male) MB ChB Birmingham 2012

**PRACTICE NURSES:**

Sallyann ward is the lead Practice Nurse she also has responsibility for the day to day management of the nursing team. The team comprises Laura Husselbee, Pam Zabawa (prescriber) and Amelia Powell-Nelson, they work independently and liaise with the doctors where necessary. They hold relevant recognised professional qualifications and run various health promotion clinics including asthma, diabetes, well women/men, coronary heart disease, and anti-coagulation monitoring etc.

**HEALTHCARE ASSISTANTS:**

Jackie Hopkins (Level 3 HCA) and Katie Friend (Level 3 HCA) take bloods, undertakes dressings, performs blood pressure checks on patients and conducts ECGs, checks samples, performs some injections, deals with stock control & ordering. They both also conduct health checks and assisting the team with other duties.

**PRACTICE STAFF:**

Strategic Business Manager: Mr Christopher Blunt Practice Manager: Ali Brain

Administration/Maintenance Manager: Adam Noble Office Manager: Angela Kelly

Manager: Sabrina Ruffles Medical Secretary: Christine Bailey

Care Coordinators: Sarah Cambridge, Lisa Allen, Sabrina Ruffles, Linda Hood, Abigail Coombes & Karen Durrant.

Pharmacy Technician: Laura Parton Senior Administrator: Karen Hewitt

Summarisers: Sheena Williams, Julie Macey

**PRACTICE OPENING TIMES:**

**WEEKEND AND NIGHTCOVER:**

**Out of Hours** we are covered by **PRIMECARE**. If you need to see a doctor outside normal surgery hours **telephone: 111**. Your details will be taken and passed to a relevant clinician.

We run a full appointment system. The surgery is open from 8:00am

-6:00pm Monday – Friday. The GPs Surgeries run from 8:30-11:30am

and 3:00-5:30pm. We also offer an extended hours surgery on a

Wednesday morning when GPs, a Practice Nurse and HCA offer

appointment 7.00am-8:00am, these surgeries are ideal for patients

**HOME VISITS:**

Patients are asked to telephone before 10:00am if a visit is requested that day. Please give the receptionists as much information as possible to enable the doctor to allocate priority to house calls.

who are at work during normal surgery times.

**REPEAT PRESCRIPTIONS:**

Repeat prescriptions will be issued at the doctor’s discretion.

Requests for repeat prescription can be made at Reception or online.

 We are also part of the Electronic Prescription Service – please ask

at Reception or your local Pharmacy for details.

**Portland Medical Practice**

**Anchor Meadow Health Centre**

**Westfield Drive**

**Aldridge**

**WS9 8AJ Telephone: 01922 450950**

***All patient queries should be directed to the Reception Manager.***

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