# Pembroke Medical Group, Pembroke House Surgery, 266-276 Torquay Road, Paignton, Devon, TQ3 2EZ

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#### **OPENING TIMES**

Mon: 08.00 – 18:30 Tue: 08:00 – 18:30 Wed: 08:00 – 18:30 Thu: 08:00 – 20:00 Fri: 08:00 – 18:30 Sat: 08:00 – 12:30

Closed

Sun:

#### **TELEPHONE NUMBERS**

**Appointments & General Enquiries** 01803 553 558 01803 212 489

#### **PRACTICE STAFF**

Alison Brewer ........ Business Partner
Jayne Newell ....... Practice Manager
Trudie Blackburn......HR & Operations Manager
Sally Rankin...... Admin & Estates Manager
Karen Rundle ....... GP Rota Manager
Oliver Haytread .... Digital & Communication Lead
Marie Metcalfe........Practice Nurse Staff Lead
Donna Hart .............Reception Manager

Nurse Practitioners: Yvonne Chadwick

Andrew Holmes, Lizzie Box.

Paramedic: James Hoyle

Visiting Clinician: Samantha Power

Practice Nurses: Ali Tickner, Pauline Giddings, Julie Hughes, Cheryl Williams, Kelly Oates, Ali Pentney, Victoria France, Holly Redman, Nicky Pascoe, Demi Broome, Samantha Adcock, Lisa Teesdale.

Assistant Practitioner: Helen Critchlow

Health Care Assistants: Alex Taylor, Linda Haddon,

Laura Davies, Julia Norris, Marta Shaw.



## PRACTICE CHARTER

Information for Patients

#### **DOCTORS**

Dr Andrew Thornton
Dr Helen Bishop
Dr Ginny Cunliffe
Dr Bethany Beddoes
Dr Katharina Jaeschke
Dr Ben Offa-Jones

Dr Saad Abdullah

Dr Sarah Parkin

Dr Victoria Lanary

Dr Flora Adonkie

Dr Emily Clapham

Dr Mohamed Ahmed

Dr Humera Sultan

Dr Sarah Bell

Dr Alex Bogle

Dr Kate Austin

Dr Hannah Wright

Dr Clare Macadam

Dr Rachel Gaywood

Dr Julia Brice

Dr Gloria Hayibor

Dr Kareem Zaki



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### Patient's Rights to General Medical Services

- To be offered a health check on joining a doctor's list for the first time.
- To have appropriate drugs and medicine prescribed.
- To be referred to a Consultant acceptable to them when they and their GP thinks it is necessary, and to be referred for a second opinion if they and their GP think it is advisable.
- To have access to their health records, subject to any limitations of the law, and to know that those working for the NHS are under a legal duty to keep those records confidential.
- To choose whether to take part in research or medical student training.
- To receive a copy of their doctors practice leaflet, setting out the services that he or she provides.

#### **Pembroke Medical Group Philosophy:**

Our aims are to offer the highest standard of health care and advice to our patients, with the resources available to us.

We have a team approach to patient care and endeavour to monitor the service provided to patients, to ensure that it meets current standards of excellence.

We are dedicated to ensuring that Practice staff and Doctors are trained to the highest level and to provide a stimulating and rewarding environment in which to work.

#### **Our Practice Charter**

- You will be treated with courtesy and respect by all Practice personnel.
- An urgent appointment with a Doctor or Nurse Practitioner will be available on the same day or advice will be given to contact the most appropriate service.
- ❖ A non-urgent appointment with a doctor will be offered within a clinically appropriate timescale
- Our standard is to see 80% of patients within 20 minutes of their appointment time. If you have waited longer than this please ask the Receptionist for an explanation.
- An appointment with a Practice Nurse will be offered within a clinically appropriate timescale.
- Requests for routine repeat prescriptions will be dealt with within 72 working hours. This can be via the NHS App, by email (prescriptions.pembroke@nhs.net), post or if none if the above options are possible, by phoning the practice on 01803 553558.
- If you have a complaint, please submit a complaint form via our website or speak to a member of staff. Your complaint will be dealt with in a professional and efficient manner, and you will receive a full and prompt reply.
- We wish to make the Pembroke Medical Group as accessible as possible. If you have hearing, visual or physical difficulties please let the receptionist know so that we can enable you to fully use our services.

#### **Patient's Responsibilities**

- If you are unable to attend for an appointment please let us know so that we can offer it to someone else.
- ❖ If you are late for your appointment you may be asked to rebook at another time. Try to let us know in advance if you are going to be unavoidably delayed, so that we can make alternative arrangements to help you.
- ❖ A home visit should only be requested for those who are unable to come to the surgery because of serious illness or infirmity. Please ring the surgery or fill in an online consultation before 10am if at all possible.
- An urgent appointment is for an urgent medical problem. Please fill in an online consultation or speak to the Receptionist if you require a sick note or repeat prescription.
- We would ask you to be patient if the Doctor is running late. This is often due to unforeseeable emergencies but please ask for an explanation from the Receptionist.
- Make a separate appointment for each patient that needs to be seen. This allows the Doctor enough time to treat each patient with the time that they deserve.
- Please act in a responsible and courteous manner whilst on the Practice premises for the safety and comfort of others.
- Please treat all surgery staff, fellow patients, carers and visitors politely and with respect. Violence or verbal harassment will not be tolerated or accepted, you may be asked to register at another surgery if this behaviour occurs.