

The Dower House Surgery

A training practice situated in Newport town centre in a beautiful listed building, with modern treatment rooms, The Dower House GP Surgery is dedicated to providing an outstanding service to its patients. With a friendly, experienced clinical and non clinical team they are at the forefront of GP services in the local community.

About the Local Area of Newport

Newport is the principal town of the Isle of Wight, which is located in the centre of the Island and often referred to as its capital.

This historic town centres on two idyllic squares with Georgian and Victorian architecture surrounding them, with the town's quay a short distance away.

The Isle of Wight Festival takes place every June in Newport, which runs adjacent to the River Medina.

Newport offers plenty of things to do and is a great place for shopping with a number of well-known chain stores mixing with smaller independent shops across the two main squares, Newport High Street and the side streets.

As well as being famous across the island for hosting the annual music festival, it is an idyllic place to both live and work and compared to many other areas of the United Kingdom, extremely affordable.

Practice Profile

With a diverse patient list totalling 12,800 split across 4 GP Partners, a Salaried GP & a long term locum, Dower House is a stable practice rated as good overall by the CQC with exceptional patient feedback.

There is a possibility of a practice merger with Carisbrooke Surgery, meaning collaborative working and a larger clinical team are definitely a possibility in the not so distant future. It is certainly an exciting time to start work at The Dower House.

With a traditional Salaried GP job on offer or a Salaried to Partner position with no mass buy in also an option, the practice are committed to flexible working for all their clinical staff.

With a multi disciplinary team consisting of 3 ANP's, practice nurses & HCAs the surgery are in the midst of creating an acute hub to support on the day appointments in partnership with Carisbrooke Surgery which will aid GPs time tenfold.

The practice is looking for a GP who is keen to commit to 6-8 clinical sessions per week. The Dower House is a family focused surgery who can offer flexibility to working clinicians by way of early/late starts and early/late finishes to fit in with school drop offs etc. The flexibility on offer is a true representation of the great morale amongst the staff. The Dower House are also happy to work to plan your sessions with you on a yearly basis, meaning extended periods of leave are a distinct possibility.

Salary & Package Information

The Dower House Surgery is offering Salaried GPs a fantastic package of £10-10,500 per session plus MDU and Pension. A Tier 2 Visa is available for candidates who require sponsorship also.

Like all the GP practices involved in the I.O.W. GP recruitment scheme, a relocation package of £12,000 is also offered to GPs. The Partners & Practice Manager are very flexible on interview times and dates, so please do not hesitate to register your interest with The Dower House Surgery & Dream Medical.

For further information, please do not hesitate to contact Peter Arrow-Smith, Practice Manager at The Dower House on p.arrowsmith@nhs.net or Joshua Browne, Director, Dream Medical Limited on josh.browne@dream-medical.net