

## Queens Road Surgery Practice Profile

The Queens Road Practice is a partnership of six full and part time GP partners catering for approximately 13,000 patients from two purpose built surgeries. The Practice is located in Shotley Bridge, a village in the Derwent Valley, adjoining the town of Consett in County Durham. Shotley Bridge was once the heart of Britain's swordmaking industry.

The GP's are supported by a clinical team of four Nurse Practitioners, four Practice Nurses and two Healthcare Assistants, as well as a team of managers and support staff.

The Practice provides the full range of general medical services as well as additional services such as Chiropody and Physiotherapy, and plays host to local hospitals to deliver their services within the community, such as Dermatology, ENT and Ophthalmology. The Practice is constantly looking for ways in which it can offer a wider range of health services to its patients. The practice is actively involved in research in general practice and undergraduate teaching.

The partners and business manager are actively involved with both the CCG and the GP Federation.

The practice is on EMISWeb, with electronic prescribing and is paper light with all incoming patient correspondence being scanned and coded prior to GP's reviewing it, if required.

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