

Gosport In-Patient Out of Hours Service

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Proposal to provide Medical Cover for Elderly Service beds in GWMH and Elderly Mental Health beds in Gosport from 1st October 2004.

Present situation:

The Elderly Service beds (Dryad, Daedalus & Sultan wards) are currently covered by Primecare between 1900 and 0700 on weekdays; 1200 Saturday to 0700 Monday and Bank Holidays. The remaining 25 hours outside normal working hours (0900-1700) are covered by Drs Beasley, Brigg, Knapman and Collins. Dr. Donal Collins is a Fareham GP, who covers approximately one Saturday every three months.

The Elderly Mental Health beds are covered by Drs Grocock, Morgan and Lynch, who subcontract the use of Primecare in the same manner.

Both of the above arrangements include a Saturday morning Ward Round on the respective wards to sort out any problems the nurses have identified. We understand that the nursing staff and the medical staff do appreciate this support, and that they would like this to continue.

From 1st October 2004:

The PCT will be providing out of hours cover from 1830 to 0800 on weekdays, and 1830 on Friday to 0800 Monday, and cover for Bank Holidays.

Dr. Knapman will not, from this time, wish to continue his involvement. This leaves just Dr. Beasley and Dr. Brigg to provide any agreed cover. Likewise, Dr. Lynch will wish to withdraw from this date, leaving Dr. Grocock and Dr. Morgan.

Suggested solution:

Given that each of the two teams of GPs are going to number just two doctors from 1st October, there would be merit in combining forces. This would create a group of four doctors (five with the occasional involvement of Dr. Collins), who would be prepared to provide necessary cover and a Saturday Ward Round, to both groups of patients. A Bank holiday Ward Round would also be offered.

Partners:

Drs. Peter Beasley, Michael Brigg, Donal Collins, John Grocock, & Stuart Morgan

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Service Provision:

- Weekday cover out of hours between 1700 and 1830 (when PCT cover takes over)
 - Weekday cover out of hours between 0800 (when PCT cover ends) and 0900
- The fee for this provision would be £15,000 per annum.

- Saturday morning Ward Round and cover from 0800 to 1200
- The fee for this provision would be £24,000 per annum.

- Bank Holiday Ward Round to include Christmas and Easter holidays
- The fee for this provision would be £8,000 per annum.

The total fee for the above arrangements would be £47,000 per annum, with the costs to be shared between the Elderly health and Elderly Mental Health teams as they agree. Payment would be monthly, in arrears, by cheque or Bank Draft to the Gosport In-Patient Out of Hours Service's account.

The doctors would agree to undertake appropriate CPD, and would meet the respective Clinical Directors and Service Managers on a quarterly basis, for Clinical Governance purposes

*20-07-04 1.30pm Telephone call
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meeting to practice to discuss details*

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