

# Meet your GP Practice Clinical Team!

Did you know that your GP Practice has a qualified team of clinical and non-clinical professionals who work together with your GP to ensure you get the best healthcare possible? Get to know the great team of professionals in general practice, who are qualified to look after your health needs.

## General Practitioner (GP)

General Practitioners are medical experts and treat all common medical conditions. They focus on health, combining physical, psychological and social aspects of care.



## Physicians Associate (PA)

A PA provides a broad range of healthcare services including physical examination, diagnosing and treating, ordering tests, preventive health care, patient education, surgical assisting, and writing medical orders and prescriptions.



## Practice Nurses

Practice Nurses are qualified in a range of specialities however in practice they administer injections, provide wound care, handle cervical screening and deliver childhood immunisations amongst other things.



## Healthcare Assistant (HCA)

Healthcare Assistants (HCAs) provide vital services within your practice including taking blood, giving ECGs, administering vaccines, dressing wounds and removing stitches.



## Clinical Pharmacist

Clinical Pharmacists can provide quick and effective solutions to prescription queries as well as carrying out medication reviews for patients with ongoing health problems.



## First Contact Physiotherapist

NHS Physiotherapists give advice on new bone, joint and muscle pain and offer treatment for those with injury or illness through movement, manual therapy and exercise.



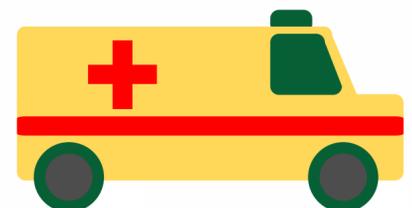
## Advanced Nurse Practitioner (ANP)

An ANP carries out a range of clinical work including examine, assess, diagnose, treat, prescribe and refer patients who have an undiagnosed condition.



## Paramedic

A Paramedic provides specialist care and treatment to patients who have been involved in accidents, emergencies, or other crises. They can also offer minor ailment clinics and home visits.



## No 'I' in TEAM

Your GP cares about your health, that's why all members of the practice team are integral to ensuring you get the best healthcare. GPs are not the only professionals who can handle your health needs, they have a team to help too.

