

Claim Forms:	
Holiday Cancellation	£135
Student University questionnaire inc	
Camp America (work abroad)	£95

Medical Report WITH examination:

HGV (<i>Eye test to be done@Opticians prior to exam</i>)	
Full examinations inc OFSTED	£195
Adoption / Foster Medicals: Can pay or invoice company	£73.86

Medical Report NO examination

Inc Shotgun licence questionnaire (summary limited to medical facts and compiled from the records)	
OFSTED / other etc	£155

RTA

- if 1 st Clinician seen following a Road Traffic Accident for Insurance	£21.30
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NO FEE

Copy of records	ONLINE
Subject Access Request	ONLINE
Immunisation List (other than excessive paper / printing costs)	ONLINE

IGPR

GP Report for Insurance Applicants	£185
GP Supplementary Reports	£60

Private consultation/Overseas Visitors

Each consultation	£100
Private Referral if duplicate NHS letter	£25

**PRIVATE MEDICALS THAT REQUIRE
PATHOLOGY/MICROBIOLOGY TESTS
AS PART OF THE PROCEDURE OR
DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURES SUCH AS
XRAY**

The Practice WILL NOT perform the diagnostic part of the medical therefore you will need to refer to an outside Private Provider for these tests. Eg: Ramsay Healthcare.

A Charge will be invoiced for the medical performed at the surgery and the Private Provider will invoice a separate charge for the Diagnostic Test

This will also include IVF blood test requests

Payment method by:

**BACS TRANSFER PRIOR TO COMPLETION
OF NON-NHS WORK to be made to:**

**DRS ANSARI, CARRADUS &
FARNDELL**

- **ACCOUNT NUMBER –
07037775**
- **SORT CODE 01-67-14**

**We do not accept cheque or card payments
& cash is not held on premises**

LONGTON HEALTH CENTRE

NON-NHS WORK FEES & WHY WE CHARGE

WE WILL NOT COMPLETE FORMS FOR:

**GYM MEMBERSHIP
HEALTH CLUB / FITNESS CLASS
SLIMMING CLUB LETTERS
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN
PRESCRIPTION CONFIRMATION
LETTERS FIT FOR TRAVEL or
for AIRLINES**

**(PLEASE NOTE FORMS WILL
TAKE UP TO 1 MONTH TO
PROCESS ONCE PAYMENT
RECEIVED & ONLY IF CLINICAL
CAPACITY AVAILABLE OUT OF
CORE NHS WORKING HOURS)**

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Why do GPs charge fees?

The Government's NHS contract with GPs covers medical services to NHS patients, including the provision of ongoing medical treatment.

In recent years, however, more and more organisations have been involving doctors in a whole range of non-medical work. Sometimes the only reason that GPs are asked is because they are in a position of trust in the community, or because an insurance company or employer wants to ensure that information provided to them is true and accurate.

Surely the doctor is being paid anyway?

It is important to understand that many GPs are not employed by the NHS. They are self-employed and they must cover their costs - staff, buildings, heating, lighting, etc. - in the same way as any small business. The NHS covers these costs for NHS work, but for non-NHS work, the fees charged by GPs contribute towards their costs.

What will I be charged?

Patients will be informed in advance if they will be charged, and what the fee will be.

Keeping in line with EU legislation UK General Data Protection Regulation GDPR 25th May 2018 - there will no longer be a

fee levied for copies of your computerised or manual records and you are advised to sign up for GP online services for access to your health record

Fee Guideline

Guidelines on fees charged are taken from the British Medical Association (BMA) however the

Examples of non-NHS services for which GPs can charge their own NHS patients:

- accident or sickness certificates for insurance purposes
- school fee and holiday insurance certificates

Examples of non-NHS services for which GPs can charge other institutions:

- life assurance and income protection reports for insurance companies
- reports for the Department for Work and Pensions (DWP) in connection with disability living allowance and attendance allowance
- medical reports for local authorities in connection with adoption and fostering

Do GPs have to do non-NHS work for their patients?

- *With certain limited exceptions, for example a GP confirming that one of their patients is not fit for jury service, GPs do not have to carry out non-NHS work on behalf of their patients. Whilst GPs will always attempt to assist their patients with the completion of forms, for example for insurance purposes, they are not required to do such non-NHS work.*

I only need the doctor's signature - what is the problem?

When a doctor signs a certificate or completes a report, it is a condition of remaining on the Medical Register that they only sign what they know to be true. To complete even the simplest of forms, therefore, the doctor might have to check the patient's entire medical record.

Carelessness or an inaccurate report can have serious consequences for the doctor with the General Medical Council (the doctors' regulatory body) or even the Police.