

## Fellowship Portfolio Role – General Practitioner (GP) Fellow Role Description

<b>Job Title:</b>	GP Fellow
<b>Portfolio Area:</b>	Care Home Service
<b>Pay Range:</b>	Pro-rata reimbursement calculated at the Fellow's actual salary cost
<b>Location:</b>	Opportunity to work at one of the eight care homes in Southwark
<b>Hours of Work:</b>	One or two sessions (4 - 8 hours per week)
<b>Responsible to:</b>	Clinical Lead GP, QHS GP Care Home Practice

Quay Health Solutions CIC (QHS) looks after three nursing homes and five residential homes in the London Borough of Southwark. The nursing homes are Tower Bridge, Queen's Oak and Camberwell Lodge (opening in May 2022) care homes. The residential homes are Bluegrove, Greenhive, Rose Court, The Elms, and Waterside care homes.

QHS provides routine, proactive and urgent care to support care of patients in the homes and avoiding unnecessary hospital admissions. We work closely with a large multidisciplinary team, including pharmacists, geriatricians, advanced nurse specialists, nurses and apprentice nurse associates, who all support our work within the homes. This is an exciting opportunity for a newly qualified GP in Southwark to join the team and deliver all elements of primary care including geriatric medicine in a supportive and developmental environment. We are looking for a GP with a passion for elderly/palliative care to help our team support these patients.

This is a 24-month fellowship position in line with the educational support offered by NHSE.

- Date of commencement: Immediate
- Date of review: At 6 months

### Principal Duties & Responsibilities:

- To provide excellent clinical care to residents and to meet resident healthcare needs
- To provide medical assessment and management where needed
- To work closely with the multidisciplinary team in delivering clinical care
- To arrange and chair debrief sessions to manage patient case load
- To promote continuous improvement by delivering responsive, safe, patient-centred and effective care and support to elderly, frail and palliative care patients

## Other General Responsibilities:

### 1. Mobility

The Fellow will be based at one of the care homes in Southwark.

### 2. Confidentiality

You will have access to confidential information relating to patients and staff. You are required to exercise due consideration in the way you use such information and should not act in any way, which might be prejudicial to the interests of QHS. If you are in any doubt regarding the use of information in the pursuit of your duties, you should seek advice from QHS IT Manager.

### 3. Information Governance

You must keep up to date with the requirements of Information Governance and ensure that information you have access to is dealt with legally, securely, efficiently and effectively. You must appropriately manage all of the Information you handle during the course of your contract making the information available for sharing in a controlled manner and subject to statutory requirements.

### 4. Equality and Diversity

You will be aware of and support the equality, diversity and rights of patients, carers and colleagues and be aware of and support equity of opportunity for all, appreciating and supporting the role of other professionals by:

- Acting in a way that recognises the importance of people's rights, interpreting them in a way that is consistent with practice procedures and policies, and current legislation.
- Respecting the privacy, dignity, needs and beliefs of patients, carers and colleagues.
- Behaving in a manner that is welcoming to and of the individual, is non-judgmental and respects their circumstances, feelings priorities and rights.

### 5. Health and Safety

You must be aware of the responsibility placed on you under the Health and Safety at Work Act (1974) to maintain a healthy and safe working environment for both staff and visitors.

### 6. Infection Control

You are responsible for protecting yourself and others against infection risks.

### 7. Acceptance of Gifts and Hospitality

The conduct of members in the public service should be scrupulously impartial and honest. In this context, any offers of gifts or hospitality should be discussed with QHS Executive Director.

## Contact

For information about this role and to arrange an informal visit to the practice please contact Rebecca Dallmeyer, Executive Director, Quay Health Solutions (QHS) on [rebecca.dallmeyer@nhs.net](mailto:rebecca.dallmeyer@nhs.net)

