

## **Waterfoot Medical Practice**

## **Private Reports & Fees**

## About charging fees:

The NHS provides most health care free of charge. However there are a number of other services for which fees can be charged. These are mainly for services not covered by the NHS, such as medical reports for insurance companies.

Doctors are involved in a whole range of non-medical work, largely on the basis that they occupy a position of trust within the community, and are in the position to verify the accuracy of information. If a GP signs a certificate or completes a report, it is a professional duty that the GP checks the accuracy of such information. This may involve examining the patient's entire medical record.

Certificates and Forms	Who Pays	Fees
Straightforward certificate of fact / To Whom It May Concern	Patient	£20
More complex certificate of fact	Patient	£45
Private MED 3	Patient	£30
Holiday cancellation form	Insurance	£45
Fitness to travel certificate	Patient	£30
Straightforward pro forma	Patient	£30
Cremation Form	Arranged via funeral director	£82

Examination and Certificates		
Examination and certificate (for example for driving / flying / motorbike / employment)	Patient	£110

Adoption and Fostering		
Initial Health Assessment Form	Fostering Agency	£58.12

AH Health Assessment Form	Fostering Agency	£73.86
AH2 Update Health Assessment Form	Fostering Agency	£24.36

Medical Reports		
Medical report, no examination *	Company	£133
	Government Agency	£94.15
Report on pro forma, no examination	Company	£89.50
	Government Agency	£61.90
Supplementary Report	Company	£30
Medical examination and report	Company	£165
	Government Agency	£135.20
Lasting Power of Attorney / Court of Protection assessment of capacity form (COP3)	Patient	£135.20
Further SAR if lost or misplaced	Solicitor/Insurance	£50

Department for Work and Pensions		
GP factual report	DWP	£33.50
DS1500	DWP	£17.70

DVLA		
VOC GP certificate	DVLA	£12.50
GP series 2	DVLA	£40
GP examination	DVLA	£85

Administration charge for sending by	Company	£8
recorded delivery		

\*This could include:

- Accident or sickness insurance to support a claim for payment of benefit under accident or sickness insurance policy
- Employment report pre-employment, or report on an employee, requested by an employer
- Fitness for education to attend university, college, teacher and nurses training and, for dentists, completion of the form of application for first registration of a dentist issued by the GDC
- Pharmaceutical trials report on suitability of patient to take part as non-patient volunteer
- Private medical insurance: report on prospective subscriber to a private medical insurance (PMI) scheme (eg BUPA, PPP, WPA, etc)