

## FEES FOR PRIVATE WORK

**THIS SHEET LISTS SOME OF THE ITEMS THAT DO NOT FALL UNDER FREE NHS WORK AND ARE THEREFORE CHARGEABLE**

**NB - YOU MAY REQUEST PRINTOUTS OF YOUR MEDICAL RECORDS FREE OF CHARGE.**

### FORMS/LETTERS

PRIVATE SICK NOTE	£50
SICKNESS/ACCIDENT/PRIVATE HEALTH INSURANCE FORMS	£50
FITNESS TO TRAVEL/FLY CERTIFICATE OR LETTER	£100
FITNESS TO WORK	£100
HOLIDAY CANCELLATION FORMS	£100
FIREARMS CERTIFICATE	£50
SIGNED LETTER TO CONFIRM MEDICATION	£50
MISCELLANEOUS FORMS OR LETTERS, INCLUDING PIP	£50
CHECK OF DOCUMENTATION AGAINST MEDICAL RECORDS, e.g. Army, Police, Adoption	£100
OFSTED health declaration	£100

### MEDICALS

FITNESS TO TRAVEL, INSURANCE, PRE-EMPLOYMENT, ADOPTION, POWER OF ATTORNEY	£300
HGV, PSV, TAXI, SPORTS	£200

### VACCINATIONS

HEPATITIS B FOR TRAVEL (PER VACCINE)	£50
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**CHARACTER REFERENCES FOR INTERVIEW OR JOB**

**COUNTERSIGNING OF PASSPORT OR DRIVING LICENCE APPLICATIONS**

**FITNESS FOR EXERCISE OR GYM** – this is entirely between you and your gym instructor.

**HOUSING LETTERS** – Councils do not require GP letters even on medication grounds so we do not provide these.

**MISSING A COURT APPEARANCE OR PROBATION LETTERS** – unless we have been personally directed to provide such a letter by Court Order. Your Solicitor can assist you further.

**SICK NOTES OR LETTERS FOR EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS** – it is the responsibility of the parent or student to provide information to the school. There is no obligation on GPs to provide letter for educational institutions.

**BENEFIT APPEALS LETTERS** – DWP already has processes in place to request the appropriate information from GPs.

**APPROVAL OF DIETING** – we recommend a healthy diet in conjunction with regular exercise. This does not require a letter of permission.

**FITNESS FOR PARACHUTE JUMPS, MOUNTAINEERING, BALLOONING, TRIATHLON, RUNNING, CYCLING, ETC** – we cannot advise on fitness to partake in such activities as this is outside our level of expertise.

**FITNESS FOR DIVING** – diving medicals are a highly specialised area of medicine. Your diving instructor can advise you how to find a suitable qualified doctor.

**FITNESS FOR PROCEDURES, OPERATIONS OR DENTAL WORK** – it is the responsibility of the professional or organisation carrying out the work to determine themselves whether you are fit for any particular procedure or operation.

**WITNESSING SIGNATURE OR CONFIRMING IDENTITY** – this can be carried out by other non-medical professionals.

**WILL WRITING (TESTAMENTARY) CAPACITY, POWER OF ATTORNEY AND COURT OF PROTECTION** – this is a highly specialised area of medico-legal practice with important implications for the patient and their family. Therefore, we recommend that your solicitor seek an expert opinion, for example from a consultant psychogeriatrician.

**OTHER PRIVATE WORK** – the nature of provide work is that we are not bound by any obligations to provide it, therefore we reserve the rights to decline any private work presented to us.