

27 Beaumont Street Medical Practice

Inspection report

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This report describes our judgement of the quality of care at this service. It is based on a combination of what we found when we inspected, information from our ongoing monitoring of data about services and information given to us from the provider, patients, the public and other organisations.

Ratings

Overall rating for this location

Good 

Are services safe?

Good 

Overall summary

This practice is rated as Good for providing safe services. (Previous inspection May 2018 – Good)

At our last inspection in May 2018 we identified risks related to the monitoring of medicines and other risks related to staff checks and the premises.

At this inspection we found the practice had taken action to mitigate the risks we identified.

The relevant key question is rated as:

Are services safe? – Good

We carried out a focussed follow up inspection at 27 Beaumont Street on 14 December 2018 as part of our inspection programme.

At this inspection we found:

- The practice had systems to monitor patients taking high risk medications.
- Recruitment checks were routinely undertaken.
- There had been improvement to the premises.

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Our inspection team

An CQC inspector undertook the inspection.

Background to 27 Beaumont Street Medical Practice

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- The practice is situated in Oxford city centre. The practice occupies a building which was constructed in 1932. The premises has not been modified extensively due to planning restrictions. Some adjustments had been made to the rear entrance for patients with mobility issues. The practice is accessible by public transport (bus and train). All patient services are spread over the three floors. The practice comprises of seven consulting rooms, one treatment room, three patient waiting areas and administrative and management office and meeting spaces.
- There are five GP partners, a salaried GP and an Advanced Nurse Practitioner partner at the practice. GP trainees also work at the practice. There was a mixture of male and female GPs. The practice employs two practice nurses. The practice manager is supported by a number of administrative and reception staff.
- The practice has a patient population of approximately 7,000 including a high proportion of students based at local Oxford University colleges. The

practice is linked with four colleges at the University of Oxford and the staff were aware of the needs of this section of the population. The practice population of patients aged between 15 and 34 years are higher than average and there are a lower number of patients over 60 years old.

- The practice has opted out of providing out of hours services to their patients. There are arrangements in place for services to be provided when the surgery is closed and these are displayed at the practice, in the practice information leaflet and on the patient website. Out of hours services are provided after 6:30pm, weekends and bank holidays by calling NHS 111.

The provider is registered to provide the following regulated activities:

Diagnostic and screening procedures

Family planning services

Maternity and midwifery services

Surgical procedures

Treatment of disease, disorder or injury