

Registering as a doctor or general practitioner

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Applying for medical practitioner registration

You must be registered under Jersey law before you start working as a doctor or general practitioner, regardless of whether it's on a long term, short term or locum work basis.

It's an offence to work as a general practitioner without being registered.

To apply to register as a doctor or general practitioner, you need to complete all sections of the application form below and send it to Jersey Care Commission with:

- photographic ID
- a copy of your UK General Medical Council (GMC) certificate of registration
- £150 registration fee

Cheques should be made payable to 'Treasurer of the States'.

[PDF of application form](#)

[PDF guidance](#)

Performers list for approved general practitioners

All registered general practitioners are required to apply to be on the performer's list.

Applying to appear on the performer's list

To be included on the list, you first need to be registered. If you are currently a registered medical practitioner, then you must apply to the Primary Care Team for the application form, at but if you are not already registered you must complete the application form below and send it to Jersey Care Commission with:

- photographic ID
- a copy of your UK General Medical Council (GMC) certificate of registration
- £150 registration fee

And the following documents must be provided, though they will not be retained by Jersey Care Commission, but will be passed on to the Primary Care team with the application form once you are registered

- suitable medical indemnity insurance
- a criminal record certificate that's been issued within the last six months
- a completed registration form for doctors and general practitioners

As a GP in Jersey, you're required to confirm in writing that the information held about you is correct and up to date every two years.

PDF application form registration and performers list

A list of the current approved general practitioners can be found on <https://www.gov.je/health/doctordentist/doctors/pages/registeringdoctormedicalpractitioner.aspx>

Revalidating your General Medical Council (GMC) licence

Each doctor will be assigned a local responsible officer who will make a recommendation to the GMC.

Responsible officers will be assigned according to the following classes:

- general practitioners
- doctors employed by Health and Social Services Department
- independent medical practitioners
- medical practitioners with a prescribed UK connection

If you practise partly in Jersey

If you practise partly in Jersey but have a connection with a UK designated body, your UK responsible officer will make the revalidation recommendation to the GMC.

A Jersey responsible officer will be assigned to you but their responsibilities will be limited to the investigation of any 'fitness to practise' issues that might occur while you're working in Jersey.

What the law requires

The law requires all doctors or medical practitioners to:

- hold a current licence to practise with the GMC
- provide more detailed information about qualifications, employment details and anything that may be relevant about your ability to practise
- verify any personal information held about you regularly. If you don't respond to a request for verification, your name will be removed from the register, so please keep us updated with any changes to your contact details

Legislation

The registration of doctors or medical practitioners in Jersey and the requirements for the performers list are based on the following legislation:

[Medical Practitioners \(Registration\) \(Jersey\) Law 1960 on the Jersey Law website](#)

[Medical Practitioners \(Registration\) \(Amendment No 4\) \(Jersey\) Law 2011 on the Jersey Law website](#)

[Medical Practitioners \(Registration\) \(General Provisions\) \(Jersey\) Order 2014 on the Jersey Law website](#)

[Medical Practitioners \(Registration\) \(Responsible Officer\) \(Jersey\) Order 2014 on the Jersey Law website](#)

[Health Insurance \(Performers List for General Medical Practitioners\) \(Jersey\) Regulations 2014 on the Jersey Law website](#)