

Hanging up my stethoscope and what it means for you



As recently advised to my patients, I'm announcing my retirement after being in Practice for over 36 years. I thought the following FAQ's might be helpful.

When will you be retiring?

I will be in Practice up until and including Friday 28th April this year. I will then be joining GP at London W1 (GPW1*) as a patient.

Can we still book appointments with Dr Stephanie?

Yes, I am able to see registered patients up to and including Friday 28th April – please call via the usual telephone number - 020 3006 8474 or e-mail via sally@drstephaniegoodwin.co.uk

Please be advised that these contact details will not be in use after April 28th.

Can you tell me a little about GP at London W1 (GPW1)?

I'm really happy for my patients that I've found another GP Practice whose values align with mine.

GPW1 has been running since 2010 and they are in the same premises as ourselves. Information about the Practice and their fees can be found on the website <https://gpatlondonw1.com/>

Drs Payne, Setchell and Wall will be happy to see you.

Do I need to register with GPW1?

As my patient – unless you advise us to the contrary- you don't need to register as your records will be automatically transferred to the secure system of GPW1 where they will be retained in line with the regulations of the governing bodies.

What should we currently do about booking appointments for after April 28th?

You should currently continue to use our contact details - 020 3006 8474 or e-mail via sally@drstephaniegoodwin.co.uk – so that Caroline or Sally can book you in to the new Practice and ensure a seamless transition.

They will continue to work for GPW1 after my retirement.

What should I do about my prescription?

I will prescribe for you until 28th April and then GPW1 will continue to prescribe for you. It's a good idea to make sure that you have enough of everything to last until the end of June.

Will you still get in touch to remind me of any recall appointments?

Yes, we will and should the appointment is for after April 28th you will automatically receive a reminder from GPW1

I am a menopause patient with Dr Stephanie, does the new Practice have menopause expertise?

All the doctors at GPW1 have significant expertise and experience, and both Dr Setchell and Dr Payne have menopause qualifications.

PLEASE DON'T HESITATE TO GET IN TOUCH IF WE HAVEN'T ADDRESSED YOUR QUERY IN THE ABOVE.