Private Charges at Albion Surgery

Most of the services provided by Albion are free of charge under the NHS. However, there are some services which are not covered by the NHS and therefore attract a private fee.

Examples include (but are not limited to):

- Completion of medical reports or forms (e.g. insurance, driving, employment, fitness to travel)
- Private medical examinations (e.g. HGV, taxi license, pre-employment, adoption/fostering)
- Letters requested for housing, schools, or gyms
- Holiday cancellation certificates
- Certain vaccinations not funded by the NHS

Why are there charges?

NHS funding covers medical care for your health needs. When you request documents, reports, or services that fall outside of NHS work, GPs and staff must complete this in their own professional time. This involves reviewing medical records, ensuring accuracy, and often providing a signed legal statement. For this reason, a fee is charged.

Our fees

We aim to keep our fees fair and transparent. A list of our current charges is available below and can also be obtained from reception.

Important information

- Requests for letters, forms, or reports can take up to **6 weeks** to complete.
- Not all requests can be fulfilled for example, GPs may decline to complete forms if they feel it is outside their professional remit.
- Payment is required before collection of completed documents.

Thank you for your understanding. These charges allow us to provide these non-NHS services while continuing to focus on providing high-quality NHS care for all our patients.

Private Charges – as of September 2025

Certificates/Letters	
Private sick note	£30
Vaccination certificate	£30
Fitness to travel certificate	£30 - £50
'To whom it may concern' letters	£15 - £30
Holiday cancellation certificate	£50
Reports/Medical Examinations	
HGV/Taxi medical	£75
Adoption/Fostering medical	£75
Other medical with examination	£75 - £100
Medical report without examination	£50 - £100
Report for insurance	£150
Report for solicitor	£150
Questionnaire	£50 - £100
Power of Attorney form	£120
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