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| PRACTICE PEN PORTRAIT FOR EDUCATIONAL SUPERVISOR APPLICATIONS |
| **Practice Name**  Homefarm Dental |
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| **SUMMARY OF PRACTICE** | | | | |
| The practice is based in a high needs area which means that the FDs at our practice will often treat patients requiring treatment ranging from extensive restorative work to multiple extractions. As well as giving the FD plenty of experience in devising and executing large treatment plans, they are also able to make a huge difference to the patient’s outlook on dental health by frequently reinforcing preventative advice.  Our practice also offers orthodontic treatment to patients both on the NHS and privately. The practice principal, Dr Harai Virdee holds a NHS ortho contract and I myself provide private orthodontic treatment which includes Six Month Smiles, Invisalign and Inman aligners.  At our sister practice Dental Art, we hold an MOS contract and have 3 visiting MOS specialists. We actively encourage the FDs to shadow these sessions to improve their oral surgery skills.  **Range of Services:** | | | | |
| 2 Ground floor surgeries  **Number Of**  **Surgeries:** | | | | |
| For 3 sessions of the week, Dr Virdee will supervise the FD. He has himself been an ES for the last 15 years and has a wealth of experience which he shares with the FD.  FD dental chair that can accommodate a left handed user  Wifi facility throughout the practice including the staff room  BDA Expert available online  Staff room stocked with latest dental journals and books  Wheelchair friendly reception (low level reception desk) and surgeries with hard flooring for patients  **Extra Facilities in the**  **Practice(e.g. Education Rm):** | | | | |
| BDA Good Practice Silver Award since 2007  Investor in People Award in 2000  **Awards Achieved by**  **The Practice:** | | | | |
| **DETAILS OF STAFF EMPLOYED AT THE PRACTICE** | | | | |
| 4  **Dentists:** | 0  **Hygiene/**  **Therapist(s):** | 5  **Dental**  **Nurse(s):** | 2  **Receptionist(s):** | **Practice**  1  **Manager:** |
| Dr Virdee, the practice principal will supervise the FD for 3 sessions a week, and whenever else required. He has himself been an ES for the last 15 years and has a wealth of experience which he shares with the FD.  3 MOS specialists at the sister practice Dental Art where the FDs will observe complex surgical procedures being carried ou  **Additional Staff in The Practice**  **(give details of visiting Specialists also):** | | | | |
| Privately Owned  **Is the Practice Privately owned**  **or Corporate?**  NHS – 90% Private – 10%  **Percentage Mix of NHS / Private Patients** | | | | |

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| **LOCATION OF PRACTICE AND AREAS OF INTEREST** |
| We are located in the heart of Leicester within the vibrant Homefarm shopping complex in Beaumont Leys which has ample car parking space. The shopping complex includes a supermarket, chemist, newsagent and various other shops and community centres. Our practice is only a 5 minute drive away from the Postgraduate Centre at Glenfield Hospital. We are served by excellent public transport links, within easy reach of the M1 motorway and just 2 miles from the City Centre.  **Description of Location**    We are situated very near to the Beaumont Leys Shopping Centre, close to the National Space Centre (2 minute drive), not far from the famous ‘Golden Mile’ on Belgrave Road, and 10 minutes from the actual City Centre where we have the vibrant Highcross Shopping Centre. Other attractions not far from the practice include the Curve theatre in the City Centre and the De Montfort Hall which showcases world renowned performances.  **Surrounding Areas**  **Of Interest and Local**  **Amenities**  Local Bus Service – Bus stop 1 minute walk from practice  Local taxi rank situated in the shopping centre  Train station 10 minute drive  M1 motorway 5 minute drive  **Access and Public**  **Transport Links**  Staff from both Homefarm and the sister dental practice, Dental Art regularly go out for practice meals and team building activities such as bowling etc. We have our yearly Christmas meal and other get togethers like barbeques arranged by the practice principal.  **Social Life Offered**  **By the Practice** |