



Dr Matthew Fay

GP, Westcliffe Medical Practice and National Clinical Lead NHS Improvement Heart and Stroke

Dr Matthew Fay is a Leeds Medical School graduate, graduating in 1992, very much to the dean's surprise. He enjoyed a varied few years in hospital practice as was permitted by junior doctor training of the time, before becoming a General Practitioner at Westcliffe Medical Practice in 1999. In 2001 he established a GPwSI cardiology service for North Bradford PCT with his friend and colleague Dr Andreas Wolff. They took this under the wing of Westcliffe Medical Practice and expanded the services to local people in 2006 and established further locality service in Ilkley in 2010 and Queensbury in 2011. He is currently the National Clinical Lead for Atrial Fibrillation for NHS Improvement Heart and Stroke, an Executive of Atrial Fibrillation Association, STARS and Arrhythmia Alliance along with the West Yorkshire Stroke Research Network.

As a father of four, he insists that he is first and foremost a family doctor, spending the majority of his time seeing people in the setting of a GP.

Dr Fay will be the medical lead for the Bradford Arrhythmia Support Group