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Blaenavon is a World Heritage site near the summit of the Blorenge mountain, south of Abergavenny and on the edge of the Brecon Beacons National Park. We are the only doctor's surgery in Blaenavon and provide clinical services for the whole of the local community.

We are a Health Board run practice with a stable team of staff. We have a list size of 6,600 patients. There is a strong ethos of teaching in the practice. As well as nurturing GP trainees, the practice provides undergraduate teaching for medical students from Cardiff University. 2 of our GPs were former trainees at the practice and have joined the team in following CCT. There are wonderful opportunities for learning and teaching within the practice and a great enthusiasm for teaching. We have three excellent Practice Nurses who run chronic disease clinics, wound care services and womens health clinics. The Practice Nurses will be involved in your teaching programme.

We work in a new, state of the art, purpose built building on a hillside location with lovely mountain views. This is a new Primary Care Resource Centre which we share with Social Services, Police, Dentist, Pharmacy, third sector organisations and the Local Health Board. There are numerous allied health services onsite including; dietetics, podiatry, Health Visitors, mental health, District Nurses and School Nurses. These will provide excellent learning opportunities for you as well as improving liaison and integrated patient care.

We have regular clinical and quality improvement meetings. You will be able to attend all these meetings and get involved in audit and other quality improvement processes. We are a fully computerised practice and use EMIS web clinical system and Lexacom.

There is a dedicated trainee room in the practice and you will be encouraged to take a full and active role in all aspects of practice activities.

We aim to offer a supportive environment to our GP trainees as you progress through your training. We are a friendly team who enjoy working together and providing excellent patient care to our close-knit community.

Please get in touch if you would like to visit us.