



6 March 2019

FAO: Rachel Singyard – NELCCG  
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## Application to Change the Practice Boundary

Please provide the information below to the Commissioner no less than 28 days before the requested contract variation.

1. Affix practice stamp:

B81656  
Raj Medical Centre  
Laceby Road  
Grimsby DN34 5LP  
Tel: 01472 752300  
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2. Provide full details of the proposed practice area:

The Practice area would be based on current electoral wards.  
Included would be –  
Freshney, Park, Scartho, South, Waltham, West Marsh, Yarborough, Croft Baker, East Marsh, Haverstoe, Heneage, Humberston and New Waltham, Sidney Sussex,  
Excluded would be –  
Immingham, Holton le Clay, Wolds and other outlying village wards. Locations outside NELCCG area.

Please see map below. Proposed area is highlighted in Green.

3. Explain the reasons for the change of practice area:

The two GP Partners at the Practice are under pressure to meet contractual requirements including home visits, and with recruitment very difficult, we feel this is not going to change in the foreseeable future. Our current Practice area covers the whole of the North East Lincs area including outlying villages and beyond. New applications for registration would only be accepted if the applicants resided within the new boundary.

Without this change in boundary, the practice will have to consider applying to close its list.



4. Provide any additional supporting evidence that may be relevant:

Existing patients who live outside the boundary would be given notice that they would need to register at another nearer Practice. This would affect approx. 100 patients. We would offer information as to nearer Practices. The process of removal would be staged beginning with those farthest away.

Timescale - We would like the proposed changes to take place as soon as possible

Signed by Dr Rakesh Pathak  
GP Partner

Date

