





Here at Darwen
Healthcare, we are
proud to support those
who are serving or have
served our Armed





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My name is Dave Carter; I am clinician & Veteran Lead here at Darwen Healthcare.

As a Military Veteran myself I can understand some of the difficulties faced by those in the forces family.

At Darwen Healthcare we have worked to ensure all our registered veteran patients and their family are supported as best as we can in accordance to the Armed Forces Covenant.

We are keen to hear from our extended forces family and proud to support in any way we can. So if you, your spouse or partner have ever served in the British Armed Forces, please let us know.

We also have set up a dedicated email address where you can contact us with questions, queries or requests for support should you need. This is only monitored during office hours. <a href="mailto:armedforces@darwenhealthcare.nhs.net">armedforces@darwenhealthcare.nhs.net</a>

If you require advise or support any other time please contact the Veterans' Gateway 24/7 on 0808 802 1212 or visit

www.veteransgateway.org.uk











## CERTIFICATE of ACCREDITATION

Awarded to

## **Darwen Healthcare**

for meeting the standards required to become an Armed Forces veteran friendly accredited GP practice and supporting the health commitments of the Armed Forces Covenant

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