

Case Study

Health Centre

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MEDICAL RECORDS FILING Railex Projects adds to its Fleet of Records Storage Successes

The Fleet Medical Centre in Hampshire could be seen as the primary hub of a location that also incorporates a pharmacy, dental service and community

hospital. And the Centre has recently enhanced its administration facility with the installation of a specialist Railex Projects Rollastore mobile storage system - adaptable for either Lloyd George or A4 files.

This large practice takes pride in its team of nine doctors with highly skilled nurses and allied health professionals aiming to meet the needs of chronic and acute medical conditions with emphasis on continuity of care. There is also a focus on training with up to three qualified doctors in education posts at any one time.

Practice Manager James Perrin had previously to rely on a combination of three different types of storage unit spread over two floors which was simply not practical and took up a lot of floor space. Railex Projects are the acknowledged experts in this sector and the Rollastore mobile design guarantees the optimum combination of easy installation and operation, freeing up considerable floor space in excess of 50% for extra staff and intrinsic compliance with the requirements of the Care Quality Commission (CQC). The compact Rollastore layout consists of a relocatable plinth measuring 3675mm long by 2648mm wide and is fitted with tracks along which 14 bays are opened or closed by a simple handwheel operation. The system is lockable and therefore secure. The total capacity within the Rollastore System at Fleet is approximately 16,000 Lloyd George medical records. The system is also designed to accommodate A4 medical records or other media.

James is delighted with the tangible numerous benefits "We used to have a mixture of steel shelving which took up the entire room, now half filled by the Rollastore System, as well as cabinets and a carousel which made staff dizzy to handle! The new system is easy to operate and adds light and a professional touch to the area. We have been able to add two desks and a scanner in the

ground floor area and upstairs has become a consultancy revenue stream in its own right. It is a major asset to have all of the records in one place and to be able to convert the shelving to our needs such as for second volume, plus situations where some patients need several A4 files. It's a great investment".





