

# General Medical Council

Craig BOWDITCH

Doctor

GMC reference number: 7841713



Registered with a licence to practise



This registrant has been given a warning. [View details...](#)

GP

This doctor is not on the GP Register

SR

This doctor is not on the Specialist Register

This doctor is subject to revalidation;

Designated body NHSE Education South West

Responsible officer Elizabeth Eley

Profession

Doctor

Registered qualification MB ChB 2021 University of Sheffield

Provisional registration date 21 Jul 2021

Full registration date 03 Aug 2022

Gender Male

## General information

This doctor's registration or restoration was granted subject to the requirements of our approved practice setting (APS) scheme.

You can find out what this means at [www.gmc-uk.org/aps](http://www.gmc-uk.org/aps).

[More information about employment check requirements](#)

Annual retention fee due date: 03 Aug 2027

## Registrant history

Fitness to practise history (Since 20 October 2005)

| From        | To          | Status                                          | Details |
|-------------|-------------|-------------------------------------------------|---------|
| 10 Jul 2026 | 10 Jul 2027 | This registrant has been given a warning - view |         |

**Warnings on the registrant's registration**

Warnings are issued to indicate when a registrant's behaviour or performance is significantly below the standards expected, but when restricting a registrant's practice is not necessary. [See more on warnings.](#)

**From 10 Jul 2026 to 10 Jul 2027**

On 28 November 2025 Dr Bowditch was convicted of driving a motor vehicle whilst having a proportion of alcohol in their system above the prescribed limit. This behaviour does not meet with the professional standards required of a doctor. It risks undermining public protection, specifically confidence in the profession and it must not be repeated. The required standards are set out in Good medical practice and associated guidance. In this case, paragraph 81 of Good medical practice is particularly relevant: You must make sure that your conduct justifies patients' trust in you and the public's trust in your profession. Whilst this failing in itself is not so serious as to require any restriction on Dr Bowditch's registration, it is necessary in response to issue this formal warning. This warning will be published on the medical register in line with our publication and disclosure policy, which can be found at [www.gmc-uk.org/disclosurepolicy](http://www.gmc-uk.org/disclosurepolicy).

**Registration and licensing history (Since 20 October 2005)**

| From        | To          | Status                                              |
|-------------|-------------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| 03 Aug 2022 | Present     | Registered with a licence to practise               |
| 21 Jul 2021 | 03 Aug 2022 | Provisionally registered with a licence to practise |

**Please note:**

All doctors who were registered before 20 October 2005 have their registration 'From' date set to 20 October 2005.

This is the date when the register went online.

If you need to know whether the doctor was registered before 20 October 2005 please [contact us](#).

Results of search on: 18 Aug 2026 at 00:33 BST  
The details shown are valid at the date and time of the search only.