

David Clarke

Self Employed Management Consultant



David joined the NHS in 1972 and has held a variety of positions in nearly all of the different 'levels' of the organisation.

In terms of management issues, his interests include organisational development, business planning methods and frameworks, and assessing the impact that current policy initiatives create for established business strategies – a general aim of trying to 'join up the business', and keep it in touch with its different 'clients and customers'.

David has been involved with the primary care mental health network for Wales (WaMH in PC) since 2003.

A move to part-time working in 2000 followed a decision to develop independent work that would be conducted on a not-for-profit basis; David had established a Charity in 1998 (to assist in the relief of poverty in South India) which secured registration by the Charity Commission in 2000. All income from independent work in the period to 2007 has been paid to that charity, and a significant proportion of income since then has been donated for charitable purposes.

Independent commissions have come from Pharmaceutical Companies, NHS Organisations in Wales and England, and non-NHS sector bodies. The main areas of engagement have been in analytical assessments; training and development packages in mental health; and business planning and strategic planning exercises; typically conducted by means of structured, facilitated workshops.

