## **Biography**

Qualifications: BSc (Hons) MB ChB MRCGP DCH DRCOG

Alex initially studied for a Bachelor of Science Degree in Anatomy and Developmental Biology at University College London in 1996.

Following this he studied Medicine at The University of Aberdeen, qualifying in 2001.

After working in Aberdeen for a year he moved to the South West and joined the Exeter GP vocational training scheme, completing his GP training in 2005.

He joined The Mid Devon Medical Practice in 2008.

Alex's clinical interests include paediatrics, gastroenterology and palliative care.

Outside of the practice he has previously worked for the Devon Clinical Commissioning Group which is responsible for the commissioning of healthcare services across Devon. He has recently taken up the post of Primary Care Medical Director for Devon. Through this role he hopes to influence and improve health care provision for all patients in Mid Devon and the wider area.

Alex is married to Clare who was previously an occupational therapist but now works as a dog hydrotherapist.

In his spare time he can usually be found on the golf course and also enjoys skiing and travelling.