

SETT VALLEY MEDICAL CENTRE
PATIENT PARTICIPATION GROUP

Meeting at Sett Valley Medical Centre Wednesday 25th September 2015 6.00 pm

Present : Pam Cohen (chair), Dr Douglas , Andrew Pollitt (Practice Manager), Nicola Fryers (PPG Secretary,) Godfrey Hutchins , Alison Worthington, Ian Mason , Lance Dowson , , Graham Boardman , Denise Hall , Josephine Longson, Dawn Holmes, Dr Judith Bailey

- 1 **Apologies /Introduction:** No Apologies. New Members Introduced.
- 2 **Minutes of previous meeting:** Lance Dowson deleted from “present “List. Minutes then approved.
- 3 **Matters Arising:** Pam suggested there should be a strategy for contacting those who no longer attend .After discussion it was left in abeyance. Graham presented the latest results from the Friends and Family test in which 97% of respondents were positive about recommending the practice.
- 4 **Terms of Reference:** Various documents were passed round the room and the Chair opened a discussion during which differing views were expressed. The chair was unhappy with the tone of the discussion and after announcing her resignation, left the meeting. The Vice – Chair took the chair and continued the discussion. It was agreed that the group must have some Terms of Reference and Ian agreed to present a draft for circulation in good time to be considered at the January meeting which would be the Annual General Meeting with the election of Officers
- 5 **Doctor’s Report:** There was a discussion about the Deep Vein Thrombosis service offered by the surgery, which has been given notice to cease at the end of March .Members hope there might be a way to keep the service locally and Dr Ward might pursue this at the Locality Meeting of the CCG .Members welcomed the addition of a centrifuge at the surgery, which will give more accurate blood test results .Dr Douglas explained that the Map of Medicine facility provided by the CCG and NHS did not work with the practices emis system There was a question about patient representation within the ccg.. Dr Douglas and the Vice-Chair explained the current arrangements and who the representatives are.
- 6 **Practice Manager’s Report:** Report had been circulated. Andrew thanked Graham for his work with the Friends and Family Test .Flu vaccinations are slightly down this year but it was noted there seem to be different providers of vaccinations this year. Members gave positive feedback on the flu clinics. Ian complimented the practice on its use of Blue Stream on –line training facility .He also showed a leaflet on the 21st Century project-copies to be circulated in due course.
- 7 **Shared Care Records:** There was some confusion about the different patient records, their availability and options for opting out. Ian agreed to seek some clarification which might be available for patients.
- 8 **Book Sale :** Patients have been donating second hand books which patients have been giving a donation which has raised for Blythe House Hospice in Chapel en Le Frith £103.17 which they are extremely grateful for from the support.
- 9 **AOB:** Dr Royle sent a card to the group thanking them for the picture that was presented to Dr Royle for her retirement which patients donated monies to , she added to planned to continue to work for the CCG and in an advisory role at Stepping Hill Hospital, and her support for the High Peak Patients will continue , she is looking forward to playing golf and her garden. It was mentioned there is a problem for disabled patients parking outside Hayfield Surgery; Lance will contact the borough Council to see if anything can be done. Also the rail near the clinic at New Mills needs extending again Lance will look into .Healthier together services, Wythenshawe Hospital are paying for a judicial review which that court

has ruled. Ian passed round Information for males over 70 about a NHS Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm Screening Programme- Derbyshire for further details please ring Tel no 01332789859 the nearest centre for us is at Sett close New Mills. **The Next Meeting will be on 27th January 2016 at New Mills Town Hall , 6pm start Agenda, Patient Participation Group Annual General Meeting**
Close 8.10 pm