

# Minutes

## Hadwen Medical Practice

### Patient Participation Group Meeting

27<sup>th</sup> April 2017 at 7pm

**Members present:** Pat McCann (Chairperson) , Judith Coney-Jones, Diane Howitt, Deborah Ssenabulya, Chris Rogers. Sam Dunn.

**In attendance:** Ian Robertson (Management Partner) Joyce Yhnell (Patient Services Manager)

**Apologies** were received from, Cheryl Charsley, Michael Liddell, Graham Wightwick, Swetha Venkatanarayanan, Trevor Light, Cheryl Charsley, Julie Darwin and Suzanne Donnelly

1	<p><b><u>Previous Minutes.</u></b> There was nothing to discuss from the previous minutes</p>
2.	<p><b><u>Gloucestershire Carers</u></b> Becky Hartwell from Gloucestershire Carers gave a very informative presentation of the help which they can provide to Carers throughout Gloucestershire. It was noted that Gloucestershire Carers GP awards were imminent and Becky will send Joyce a copy of the nomination form to share with carers of our practice. There is a link to the Gloucestershire Carers website on the Hadwen medical practice website</p>
3	<p>Building Update</p> <p>Ian confirmed that the builders were on schedule and should therefore complete the building on time. As it was still light the group were able to view the new build from the first floor window to see the progress first hand.</p> <p>Ian said that we would be conducting a survey of the patients who attend St Michael's surgery to try to ascertain, after the surgery closed, which patients would stay with the practice and travel to Glevum Surgery and which would prefer</p>
4	<p>Cluster Working Update</p> <p>We continue to work with Rosebank medical practice and Quedgeley medical centre in our cluster allowing the cluster to receive funding for over 30,000 patients. Funding has allowed us to recruit a Clinical pharmacist, Reehana who works three days a week and has been In post for 2 months. This is already having a positive impact on the medication we issue. Reehana works closely with the GPs and the prescription advisers.</p> <p>The cluster are also involved in a pilot scheme to have a mental Health Nurse, Mark Elliott working alongside the on call team two days a week, this has taken the pressure off the on call team as dealing with acute mental health issues is a time consuming area within an on call session</p>

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8	<p><b><u>AOB</u></b></p> <p>Ian informed the group that Dr Sarah Cardew has left the practice but had been replaced by Dr Alex Ferguson had replaced her with the same hours. Both of these GPs had been former registrars at Hadwen</p> <p>Pat informed the group that Michael Liddell had sadly resigned from the group and also Graham Wightwick had stood down. Pat wanted to express his thanks to both members and particularly to Graham who had been chair of the group at the formation and had been in post for four years</p> <p>Pat gave a copy of an email which he had sent to Richard Graham MP regarding elderly care funding which is attached to the email</p>
9	<p><b><u>Date of next meeting</u></b> 20<sup>th</sup> July 2017 at 7pm</p>