

Patient Participation Group Meeting Minutes

Date/Time	25 th April 2024 4pm	Venue	Priory View, Meeting room
Attendees PVMC	Helen Walker (HW), Dr Foster (CAF) Lynsey Franks (LF)		
Attendees PPG	BD, KA, HS, SH		
Apologies	LM, DL, BB, NP, EB, AY		
Guests			

Item	Agenda Item	Action By	Action Date
1	Review of Previous Minutes		
	All actions were completed from previous meeting		
2	Overview of new PPG Facebook page LF gave the group a demonstration of the new PPG Facebook page. The Priory View Facebook page currently has 553 followers and the recently launched PPG page has 14 members. You have to be a patient at Priory View to join and the group is to be used to gain feedback on changes the practices would like to make. Action: LF to send link to PPG members to invite them to register		
	if they wish.	LF	End May
3	Accessibility HW mentioned that the practice was looking to improve how we make the practice more accessible to patient groups with a disability, such as deaf, blind, wheelchair users or patients with ADHD for example. HW advised that the first step was to ensure the patients notes is clearly coded so we can communicate changes that may impact on their experience in the practice and to flag to staff if assistance is needed. One area we are looking to develop is a quiet and calm area for patients with ADHD/Autism. This area will be on the first floor and will have softer lighting, quieter music – patients will be offered this space whilst waiting. It will be signposted and reception can make patients aware if they have specific needs.		
4	Newsletter LF wrote the quarterly newsletter and was interested in any feedback from the group. The Spring 24 newsletter was shared and it was felt that the newsletter was "wordy" and the content could be reduced and made clearer. Possible articles for Summer newsletter: Carers information Veteran information Using more pictures		



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	Shingles – who is eligible, why and what happens if you missed		
	your vaccination date.		
	Action: LF to incorporate articles and suggestions into Summer	LF	Jun 24
	newsletter		
5	PPG Member changes and Welcome to new members		
	No change to the PPG membership.		
6	Suggestion Box		
	No suggestions had been left.		
7	АОВ		
	Accessibility to Online records (BD)		
	BD was interested in any feedback since the practice offered		
	online record access in Oct 2023. HW advised that 53.8% of		
	patients had access to Patient Access and 59.2% had access to		
	NHS App. HW advised that patients requesting online access are		
	provided with information on the risks. ID is required before		
	access is given. On the whole, CAF advised we had not many		
	issues arising since access was granted to patients.		
	Action: HW to provide numbers of patients that have online	нw	May 24
	records access. Following the meeting HW confirmed 3,101 have		- /
	full record access (34% of patients)		
	Shingles		
	BD and SH wanted to know how Priory View were progressing		
	with Shingle vaccinations. HW confirmed that invitations were		
	being sent however will provide a summary of where we are and		
	how the Shingles invitations work at Priory after discussion with		
	the Nurses.		
	Summary of Shingles (from Priory View nurse)		
	Historically Shingles was a live vaccine given once to patients that		
	turned 71 or 79 in that year. You get one dose and doesn't need		
	to be repeated.		
	This then changed and moved to patients that were 72 and 78 in		
	the year. Currently it is if you turn 65 or 70 in the year. The		
	vaccine has changed to an inactivated vaccine so that patients		
	indicated immunosuppressed can received it. Patients now should		
	have two doses 6 months apart.		



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	Patients that are aged 80+ should not be receiving the vaccine as the evidence shows they are less responsive. Priory send invitations to patients that turn 65 or 70 in that month and we are currently up to date with invitations. For detailed information you can check the Green Book <u>here</u> .		
8	Next Meeting agreed: SH asked if the meeting could be moved to a Wednesday. The group didn't have any problems with this. Proposed next meeting: Wednesday 23 rd October 2024 at 4pm		