

## biddulphdoctors Patient Participation Group

## Minutes from Meeting held in biddulphdoctors Health Centre on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> Jun 2024 at 10.30

Present:	Jo Lawson	JI	
	Peter Price	PP	
	Ann Lally	AL	
	Diana Oliver	DO	
	Peter Stanway	PS	
	Oliver McGuinnes	OM	
	Susan Findlow	SF	
Apologies:	Carole Goodwin		
	Alan Smith		
	Melanie Smith		
	Simon Taylor		
	Chris Whardle		

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3	Covid Vaccinations had gone well. They included 127 home visits, and 62 in care homes. Also, there were 76 given to people with their immune system suppressed as well as the 770 over 75 vaccinations.  The planning for the winter campaign in October is vague as the PCN has not made any decisions.  It's proposed to run another App Training Session on 20 <sup>th</sup> June. Apex is being used to measure capacity and demand. Chairs in the waiting room are to be recovered.  Quotes for raising the check in screens are being sort.	
4	After a successful first session of NHS App training, a second one is planned for the 20 <sup>th</sup> of June.	
5	The fact that results from blood tests etc could not be passed on directly to biddulphdoctors was discussed and it was resolved initially that JL would contact various people to ascertain why?	
6	PP reported that he had attended an online meeting for Staffordshire PPGs facilitated by the ICB. It was a techy affair only attended by 27 of the possible 114 PPGs. There was great frustration that the ICB seemed to be ignoring PPGs as a method of consulting with patients!	
7	AOB  PP is to contact Support Staffordshire.  OM outlined a trial that he participates in called Embrace.  JL asked for the next meeting to have an AGM element to it.	
8	Date of the next meeting is Wed 14 <sup>th</sup> August at 10.30am in the Health Centre	