

## Aspley Medical Centre

### Patient Participation Group

#### Minutes of meeting held - Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2019

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| <b><u>Present:</u></b>   | Valerie Morley | - | Practice Manager     |
|                          | CC             | - | Secretary (Minutes)  |
|                          | JR             | - | Patient (PPG Member) |
|                          | SP             | - | Patient (PPG Member) |
|                          | PS             | - | Patient (PPG Member) |
|                          | BP             | - | Radford Care Group   |
| <b><u>Apologies:</u></b> | JJ             | - | Patient (PPG Member) |
|                          | PF             | - | Patient (PPG Member) |
|                          | TW             | - | Patient (PPG Member) |

#### **Agenda Items:**

1. Introduction/welcome and sign in/apologies
  2. Last meetings minutes to be agreed
  3. Strelley Surgery closure.
  4. Saturday opening
  5. Bev from Radford care group
  6. Any Thoughts on agendas for 2019?
  7. AOB
  8. Next meeting TBA:
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1. Valerie thanked PPG members for attending and explained that she would only be able to attend part of the meeting, because she would be attending another meeting to discuss the recent surgery closures in the area. Valerie will feedback following the meeting.
  2. Previous minutes were agreed
  3. Valerie told members that our patient list was now closed to out of area patients, but we would be keeping the out of area patients that we have registered already.

Members of the meeting felt that a big map of the catchment area in the reception area would be useful.

Valerie confirmed that other services within Strelley Health Centre had not been affected only the GP service.

SP said as it is difficult to get an appointment already she was concerned whether the closure would have a big impact on patients already at the surgery. Valerie said from the 1<sup>st</sup> July 2019 we have a new full time GP joining the practice which would help with the workload. Valerie told the group the practice would continue to monitor our patient registration numbers but felt at this time the practice can manage patient capacity.

4. From July there will be two in-house Saturday clinics per month. This will be for services such as flu jabs, dressings, medication and annual reviews.

Valerie left the meeting to attend another meeting and thanked everyone for attending.

5. BP did a brief induction of the services provided by the Radford Care Group. She said their services are open to anyone in Nottingham City that meet the criteria. BP explained that a carer can be anyone that is hands on and goes above and beyond regular duties. She handed out information leaflets.

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6. SP said PPG meetings should take place more often. Members would like feedback re other surgery closure. Possible fund raising events. Updating surgery notice boards with more information
7. Members have asked if we can find out where patients can leave sharps boxes as there seems to be some confusion.

Meeting ended at 1:30 next meeting will take place on Tuesday 6th August 2019 at 12pm