Hugglescote Surgery

PATIENT PARTICIPATION GROUP MEETING MINUTES

Date: Thursday 13th June 2024

Time: 1:00pm

Venue: Health Promotion Room

Attendees: Peter Shelton, Joy White, Bob White, Russell Johnson, John Hudson, Colin Mason,

Rosie Ryder, Alan Ryder, David Wood, Janet Wood

For the practice: Amy (chair), Lou (minutes), Dr Patel (GP)

Apologies: None

Item	Details
1.	Team News
	 RECEPTION TEAM New: Cheryl (f) started 13/05/2024 (20 hours flexible) New: Nikki (f) started 12/06/2024 (20 hours flexible) Transferred: Lucy from Reception to Phlebotomy Vacancies: 2 x 20hrs - 25hrs, 1 x 18.75hrs NURSING TEAM Leaver: Nic (Assistant Practitioner) left on 06/06/2024 Leaver: Stacey (Phlebotomist) leaves on 20/06/2024 Leaver: Sarah (Nurse Manager) leave on 09/08/2024 Increased Hours: Libby will be full time from this month. Melissa will manage the nurse team and oversee any restructures. PHARMACY TEAM New: Tanpreet (f) started 17/05/2024
2.	Total Triage – Q&A with Dr Manish Patel Dr Patel summarised the plan for moving to the Total Triage model. He also clarified areas that the PPG queried.

3. Patient Question Time

Extension Update

No update available. Amy to ensure that management have provided a summary of the current situation for the next PPG.

Russell advised that a planning application for the remaining land needs to be submitted on behalf of the practice now.

ACTION AMY: Request summary of situation from partners and advise regarding planning application.

Parking

John raised concerns with lack of parking space and asked if staff could park elsewhere. Amy advised that most staff live outside of Coalville so have to travel in by car but agreed that parking was an issue especially for vulnerable / infirm patients.

Joy suggested patients contact Marlene Reid centre for free transport to and from the surgery.

ACTION AMY: Contact Barratts again for staff parking spaces.

ACTION LOU: Find information regarding Marlene Reid transport provisions and display on call screens.

Correspondence Management

Concerns amongst the group that paperwork from hospitals is taking too long to process. Amy advised that there was typically a 2-week turnaround, but during holiday periods, this may be a longer delay where staff are on annual leave. Amy also reassured the group that Dr Patel had been doing some significant work in this area to ensure that urgent letters are processed accordingly.

ACTION AMY: Ask for an update on the Correspondence Management protocol and bring to the next PPG.

4. Any other business

None.

5. Date and Time of Next Meeting

Thursday 18th July at 1pm