

Item 08**Action Summary – General Practice Provider Development Group
Held on 14th September 2018 at 12.30 - 2.30, at Cromwell Primary Care Centre**

Items Discussed	Actions:
<p>Electronic Repeating Dispensing(EPS) Steve Ogle, a representative from the Business Services Agency attended to explain to the group about the support they are able to offer to practices for EPS to achieve a higher level of sign up.</p> <p>The CCG agreed to introduce Steve Ogle by circulating contact details to the federation leads so that they can then get in touch to attend each federation meeting. Also Steve’s details to be shared with the Patient Participation Group Chairs to raise awareness with them.</p>	R Singyard
<p>GP Safeguarding Audit: Sharon Humberstone attended the meeting to update on the recent GP safeguarding Audit, which had been undertaken by 22 practices. Each practice rated their safeguarding on a scale of 1-4, with 4 being best practice. Sharon confirmed that that they have developed safeguarding policies that the whole of Primary Care can use, and each practice would be able to personalise. These will be shared with practices.</p>	S Humberstone
<p>Prescribing Issues</p> <p>The group were asked to consider whether there are ongoing issues around the prescribing of Lithium that need to be considered by the CCG. It was suggested that correspondence be sent to all practices asking them to vote either YES or NO as to whether practices are experiencing issues.</p>	R Singyard
<p>GP Bypass Numbers Following a request from the SPA to share practice bypass numbers with them, the group were asked if they agreed that these numbers are also shared with partner organisations, such as care homes. It was agreed that the CCG should check with each individual practice before doing so.</p>	R Singyard

<p>Care Navigation Dashboard Sophie Hudson gave an overview of the information that can be accessed for the care navigation programme and it was agreed that this be shared with individual practices</p>	<p>S Hudson</p>
<p>Communication Channels with practices Sarah Dawson highlighted that it has been raised by practices and a federation that there is duplication in respect of communications received by practices. The group felt that the some of the CCG communications could be streamlined and all included into the weekly bulletin to practices. Action: Rachel Singyard/Sarah Dawson to review streamlining emails sent out to prevent duplication.</p>	<p>R Singyard/S Dawson</p>
<p>Walk in my shoes project Rachel Singyard explained that there is a project called “Walk in my shoes” that is being facilitated by the Local Pharmaceutical Committee whereby GP Practices and Pharmacies shadow each other to gain a better understanding of issues faced by each of them. It was agreed to share the information more widely with practices who may be interested in taking part in the project.</p>	<p>R Singyard</p>
<p>Any Other Business It was agreed that it would be beneficial to establish a small working group to work up in advance ideas and plans to be prepared for when funding pots become available. A discussion took place around Direct Access to Diagnostics whereby the CCG have had communications from the Trust around subject access requests from patients to view their reports and images. Under new GPDR DPA regulations NLAG are the data controller so they have to be the ones to decide, rather than them asking the GP. If it is the consultant requesting the test, then the data is the hospitals and the GPs could not approve for sharing, it would need to be the hospital decision. The group felt if the GP practice has requested the test, the request from the patient should be to them. It was agreed to clarify if NLaG are referring to consultant requesting a test or are they referring to when GP request the test.</p>	<p>S Dawson S Dawson</p>