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Your Local Pharmaceutical Committee

THE 130th METING OF THE COMMITTEE WAS HELD AT LPC OFFICE, COTGRAVE BUSINESS HUB, CANDLEBY LANE, COTGRAVE WEDNESDAY 17TH JULY 2019 AT 9.30AM

Present

In the Chair: Rob Severn (RS)
Chief Officer: Nick Hunter (NH)
Secretary: Alison Ellis (AE)

Members: Mandip Bassi (MB), Linda Ferguson (LF), Dave Fernley (DF), Luke Hallahan (LH),

Mike Jones (MJ), Saikiran Koneru (SK), James Sutcliffe (JS)

Attending

Garry Myers, PSNC Regional Representative

Apologies

Sam Travis, NHS England

- Mindy Bassi, Chief Pharmacist, Greater Nottingham Clinical Commissioning Partnership
- Nathan Hutchinson, Healthwatch Nottingham & Nottinghamshire
- Ankish Patel, Senior Clinical Pharmacist
- Jon Such, LPC Member
- Vijay Pujara, LPC member
- Raza Ali, LPC member
- Linda Ferguson (pm)
- Mandip Bassi (am)

1 CLOSED MEETING

1.1 Apologies for absence

- Jon Such
- Vijay Pujara
- Raza Ali
- Linda Ferguson (pm)
- Mandip Bassi (am)
- Randeep Tak

Reminder to members that apologies need to be given in a timely manner

Welcome and introductions were given to new member Sai, representing the CCA and working for Lloyds Pharmacy.

NH to contact RT after missing 3 meetings in a row and ask the reasons why and also if still wish to be a LPC member.

Action: NH to contact RT regarding missing 3 meetings

1.2 Acceptance of the minutes from 15th May 2019 - Attachment 1A

The minutes were agreed as a true and accurate record of the meeting held on 15th May 2019 after the following correction:

When using GP abbreviation make sure it is in capitals and also be mindful in meetings when use GP (as in doctor) and general practice correctly.

1.3 Action points from 15th May 2019 – Attachment 1B

1.3.1 Write to MPs

RS has written to all the local MPs – Chris Leslie is wishing to visit a pharmacy and Ken Clarke has agreed to meet RS at the LPC office

1.3.2 Contractor visit template

GH still to add the template to the Survey Monkey – forward action and also look into renewing the Survey Monkey contract.

Action: GH to add contractor report template to survey monkey and renew the contract. Link added to the members area for members to access

1.3.3 Finances

Reviewed the costs and risks for opening a separate LPC account and decided that this was not the best thing to do at the moment.

1.3.4 NHS England services

Newsletter article highlighting that there is a pre-populated form that can be printed of and sent through to the general practice. Article also giving information on BP/AF project. RS decided that the information on flu vaccinations needs to go out in the September newsletter.

1.3.5 Care Home Policy

The carers policy still has not been updated by the County Council so not been able to include this article on the newsletter yet. Problems all over the country – worth looking at the research papers appended to the LPC meeting agenda for evidence that against patient rights to put in MDS for carers.

Action: Newsletter update on County Council carers policy once this has been updated – explain to the pharmacies that there has been a change and do not need to give out MDS – requirement is to undertake their own need assessment for each patient under the Equality Act and "reasonable adjustment"

1.3.6 HLP

Included in the newsletter stating declaration date and advised to keep the portfolio up to date and complete health zones.

1.3.7 Short dated stock

Newsletter article included advising pharmacies to check their stock dates due to short dated stock coming through from the wholesalers.

1.3.8 PCNs

Action: September agenda item under PCNs – workforce issues and wider impact

1.4 Declarations of Interest for any item on the agenda

If any member has any personal or pecuniary interest whatsoever in any matter, they should declare it or not actively contribute to the discussion unless asked by the rest of the committee to provide factual information to aid their understanding. In either case they should not vote on the item

2 Governance Items

2.1 Declarations – all members to complete for 2019/20 – Attachment 2A

Outstanding from MB, JS, RT, SK,

Forms were completed at the meeting by MB and JS – still outstanding from RT and SK

2.2 Independent member vacancy – discuss and approve new member

(nomination forms to be shared at the meeting)

Received 3 nominations – details redacted in open minutes

- Nishant Patel Vantage Pharmacy, Aspley, Nottingham (previous LPC member)
 Supported by Vijay Pujara and Ketan Chandi
- 2) Raza Yarkhan Medone Consortium (Church Walk Surgery), Eastwood (Distance Selling) Supported by Nuthall Pharmacy and Brinsley Pharmacy
- 3) Dhiren Raval Bingham Pharmacy
 Supported by Vijay Bujara and Girish Lad Lo

Supported by Vijay Pujara and Girish Lad, Lowdham Pharmacy

Discussed and felt that as there were a number of apologies and only one independent member present at the meeting it would be better to ask independents to vote.

Decided to go out to the vote of all independent contractors – write to all 3 applicants and explain the reason why and process. AE to send out voting forms to all independent contractors.

2.3 AGM 2019

It was agreed that the AGM should be held @ 2pm on Wednesday 18th September 2019 Annual reports – need from NH, RS and GH by 18th August 2019

Action: AE to send out invites to the AGM on 18.09.19 @ 2pm to all contractors – send out on 18.08.19

3 NHS Contract Matters

3.1 New contracts-Routine

None received

3.2 New contracts-Excepted

3.2.1 No significant change relocation (DAC)

By: Countrywide Supplies Ltd

From: No 5 Brisbane Court, Balderton, Newark, NG24 3PS

To: Newark Beacon, Beacon Hill Office Park, Cafferata Way. Newark, NG24 2TN

Closing date: 8th August 2019

Patients do not actually attend DAC so no real change to patients

No comments needed on the application

3.3 Litigation

None received

3.4 Decisions

3.4.1 Consolidation application

By: Boots Pharmacy

At: 52-54 High Street, Hucknall, NG15 7AW Closing: 55 High Street, Hucknall, NG15 7AX

Approved

3.4.2 Application offering unforeseen benefits

By: Lakshmi Healthcare Ltd

At: best estimate - in the vicinity of Candleby Lane, Cotgrave, NG12 3JG

Nothing received back from PCSE yet

3.5 Responses received

Nothing received

3.6 Amendments to the list

3.6.1 List of amendments received - Attachment 3B

PCSE are moving to electronic portal for applications which will make the process quicker and easier for applicants.

Garry Myers, PSNC regional Representative

➤ Confidential update for members — Garry was not able to detail current negotiations. Also discussed NHS long term plan and PCNs.

4 Finances – GH

4.1 Finances May/ June 2019 – Attachment 4A, 4B and 4C

May 2019

Exceptional spend in May includes

- extra amount for payroll company due to producing P60's
- Insurance for the office £170.67
- Equipment for MAS bought this will be reimbursed by NHS England
- Office cabinets and storage
- Treasurer meeting expenses

Income received = £17, 600.02 - contractor levy

Total expenditure = £9,629.01

Balance = £125,710 carry over

June 2019

Income received = £17,600.06 – contractor levy

Expenditure includes

- Expenses from members for previous meetings attended
- Office cupboard, first aid kit and acetate for map

Well expenses are being sorted – problem with invoicing – RS is chasing this up.

Total expenditure = £9,282.72

Balance = £134,305.52

Cash flow

£8,095.00 – underspent - Well invoices will lower this amount when sorted.

Discussion around Mid Notts funding – GH to speak to Sam Travis

4.2 Annual accounts 2018/19

Draft accounts

Total income - £249,359.32

Expenditure – £224,177.68

Extra income for the year - £25,181.64

Total in bank - £160,417.92 March 2019 (this extra is equal to £100 per contractor)

Budget is set as spending more than income for 2019/2020 (due to anticipated work with the PCNs) so will lower the reserves.

4.3 Treasurers meeting - 15.05.19 (GC and JS) - Attachment 4D

Treasurer dashboard – good to show contractors where the LPC sits compared to others

Reserves. Most treasurers felt that 6 months was too high an amount – felt that should be planned according to local need.

PSNC levy will be increased next year 2020/2021

Employment laws

- Happy with the current working
- Secretary, chief officer, treasurer employed so the tax is PAYE.

- CCA – pay company not the member

No additional actions noted than those already captured on the business plan.

4.4 <u>Lloyds bank – LPC account manager changes</u>

New account manager - no bank charges for 2019

4.5 Re-enrolment for employee pensions

Fulfilled legal requirement – re-enrolled NH and AE.

5 STRATEGY, DEVELOPMENT AND WORKPLAN

Stakeholder map – Attachment 5A and 5B

Reviewed what was decided and written up from the May 2019 meeting and determine how often to revisit and update priorities - Forward to the September 2019 meeting for further discussion with all members and consider considering any developments with PCNs.

6 Sub groups

Need to provide written reports to ensure that the whole committee is informed

a) Service Development

Training academy MOU 2019/20 – signed – Attachment 6A

Print and include in filing cabinet for office documents.

b) Finance - Attachment 6B

Already covered in finance section

c) Media / Communication

Written to MPs,

Newsletters produced fortnightly

d) Governance update

Not had any meetings recently as no governance issues

e) Virtual Outcomes usage – Attachment 6C

DMIRs module – need to advertise this to contractors

7 Contract development

- Quality Payment Scheme update
- Healthy Living Pharmacy update
- CPAF Attachment 7A

Only one not competed – will have to compete the full questionnaire

DMIRS update

DMIRS reference group 19.06.19 - Some problems around the DMIRs and NHS 111 – not been as helpful because they are at capacity for current contract. Being sorted at national level.

GP DMIRS

Referral process to help general practice to be involved and to cover liability of who is responsible for the patients. Referral will be immediate from referral at the practice to attending the pharmacy. Pilots are being done at PCN level.

eRD

GH update

This needs to be taken off the agenda as no updates needed – business as usual now

Brexit

SSPs - waiting further detail

Open meeting 2pm - 3pm

Ankish Patel, Senior Clinical Pharmacist

Apologies received – forward to September 2019

Transferring into GP alliance – holding the PCN budget

Ankish is involved in the recruitment of clinical pharmacists for the PCNs – will start September 2019. Some from secondary care, community pharmacy and out of area.

8 Tenders and bids / Consultations / Service Opportunities

➤ AF / BP pilot stats

Ongoing - ICS aware of community pharmacy providing this pilot service – MB to mention at ICS meetings

➤ ENT / UTI testing pilot

Training has been completed - service went live 01 July.

Funding is not recurrent so once it has been used then the service will be stopped. If pharmacies have completed the number of interventions allocated then can talk to Sam and she will consider further allocation.

Nottingham Needle Exchange tender consultation – Attachment 8A, 8B, 8C

Observed and noted – Level 1 and level 2

25 pharmacies have expressed interest.

9 9.1 PSNC Events

9.1.1 LPC conference London – 25.09.19

RS, DF, NH are attending – AE to book places

Action: AE to book places on the LPC conference for DF and RS (NH already booked)

9.1.2 Provider company workshop London – 24.09.19

If needed to have a provider company then can help the contractors to do this or approach existing company to take the tender bid on. Members also noted that a lot of other pharmacy provider companies are struggling to stay viable due to lack of services to bid on and some have already been closed. Let AE know if wish to attend the workshop

10 Integrated Care System / Primary Care Networks

Members to have read through PSNC briefing LPC News: Helping you to engage with Primary Care Networks

PSNC website - https://psnc.org.uk/the-healthcare-landscape/primary-care-networks-pcns/

Future of animation - https://psnc.org.uk/psncs-work/future-of-pharmacy-

animation/?utm source=PSNC+Newsletter&utm campaign=a7a7583541-

EMAIL CAMPAIGN 2019 04 26 03 07&utm medium=email&utm term=0 b5ca69e1d1-a7a7583541-26287005

Summary of the updated network contract DES guidance

NHS England and the BMA have published 29 pages of <u>guidance</u> to the network contract DES. This is an updated version of the document first published in April. PCC has distilled the guidance to a couple of pages, highlighting the key points ...

https://www.pcc-

cic.org.uk/sites/default/files/articles/attachments/countdown to pcn live date 24 days to go.pdf

a) Primary Care Networks (30mins)

Need to look at members and who is in which PCN and how support contractors

i. Guidance for LPCs on how to help contractors get involved with PCNs

https://www.england.nhs.uk/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/guidance-for-lpcs-how-to-help-contractors-get-involved-with-pcns.pdf

- ii. think pharmacy prospectuses https://psnc.org.uk/our-news/pcn-support-think-pharmacy-prospectuses-relaunched/
- iii. PCN engagement routes Attachment 10A
- iv. Confirmed PCNs and clinical leads Attachment 10B

- vi. Training workbook for the PCN Pharmacy Lead Attachment 10C
- vii. PSNC PCN webinar 29.05.19 Attachment 10D recommended to members as a useful summary
- PCN lead pharmacist (Ankish Patel) liaison link with LPC postponed to September LPC meeting
 - b) ICS update Nottinghamshire
- i. ICS meds optimisation programme board verbal update from RS
- ii. ICS draft clinical Strategy Attachment 10E For information
- iii. ICS Board summary briefing May 2019, June 2019 Attachment 10F and 10G
- iv. North Regional Talent Board Launch Event Attachment 10H and 10I
- v. Pharmacy leadership meeting 18.06.19 Attachment 10J and 10K
- vi. Designing integrated care systems Attachment 10L
- vii. Updated community pharmacy guide for GP's

https://psnc.org.uk/our-news/psnc-and-bma-publish-community-pharmacy-guide-for-gps/

- vii. ICS Partnership Forum draft minutes 23 May 2019 Attachment 10M
 - c) ICS update SYB
 - i. SY ICS UEC 20.05.19 Attachment 10N
- ii. SYB ICS Primary Care Networks The Journey to 2020/21- 22.05.19 (NH)
- ii. SYB ICS CVD meeting 04.06.19 Attachment 100
- iii. SYB ICS 5-year plan refresh workshop 09.07.19 very different to Nottinghamshire ICS mainly talking with PowerPoints rather than being interactive
- iv. SYB ICS Development Event 06.09.19

Alex Ball – director at the ICS suggested that the LPC needs to be involved at ICP level – Greater Notts, Mid Notts and City – RS and NH writing to the 3 ICP leads to ask for involvement

ICS – strategic overarching organisation

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ICP – support organisation, overseeing governance

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PCNs – local groups and services

Each practice in a PCN has to be signed up to the Network DES

7 points that they have on their plans Asthma, dementia, care homes, mental health, diabetes, CVD Members discussed how the LPC can explain what pharmacy can do.

Collect data for each PCN and explain what pharmacies are already doing and maybe could deliver. Start the work off and then pass onto the local contractors to continue to engage with local GP practices (pharmacy teams not just pharmacist) – LPC members

Action: LPC members to go away look at the services that are being provided by pharmacy in each PCN

Who are members going to target before September 2019

NH - LMC and Ankish Patel

RS – write to the 3 leads of ICPs

GH and MJ – contact Dr Abbott

JS – speak to Alex Ball

RS and AE to work through which PCNs contractors are in and send the information out to all with lead members allocated

Need to set up meetings for each PCN and pharmacies in the area – physical meeting, webinars, Reminder – AE to contact all members to see if sticking to commitments

Actions: AE to send out updated member / contractor allocation list with PCNs and lead members

Action: AE / NH / RS to set up meetings for each PCN

Action: AE to contact members and remind them of the actions that they have agreed to

11 Chief Officer / Chair reports –

11.1 Chair report – Attachment 11A

For information

11.2 Chief Officer conference – Attachment 11B, 11C, 11D, 11E, 11F, 11G, 11H

For information

- 11.3 Joint PH / LPC / LMC meeting 27.06.19
- 11.4 DMIRS update
- 11.5 Axe the fax Attachment 11I (15 mins discussion)

Discussion about faxes pharmacies are sending and receiving

Need to work out what services use faxes and have an alternative system before taking out the fax machines -

Faxes send – surgeries, wholesalers, specials and Epipen

Faxes receive – GPs, care homes, internal,

11.6 ERS update

NH detail discharge summary pilot in Doncaster with NHS Digital

11.7 Wholesaler issues

Members outlined current wholesaler challenges

11.8 Summary of Guidance and Evidence for use of Multi-Compartment Compliance Aids (MCCAs) -

Attachment 11J

For information – already discussed

11.9 Meeting with Alex Ball from the ICS 05.07.19 (NH/RS)

already discussed

12 MEMBER UPDATES

12.1 Member / contractor allocation contact

Ask contractors

- 1) If they know about PCNs?
- 2) Do they know which PCN they are in?
- 3) Would they attend a workshop if LPC organise?
- Visit report Attachment 12A (previously sent via email)
- Allocation list Attachment 12B (previously sent by email)

12.2 Meetings attended

- respiratory steering group meeting (MB) Attachment 12C
- Optimisation of Respiratory MURs & NMS in Community Pharmacy 09.07.19 (MJ)

12.3 NUH Hep C screen and treat proposal (MJ)

Nothing further to add – Hep C service decommissioned in Leicestershire

13a LOCAL AUTHORITY REPORTS

PUBLIC HEALTH COUNTY

Solutions4Health update

Stopped pharmacies providing the service in April 2019 – now only have 4 pharmacies working with Solutions4Health on Champix PGD.

Public health aware S4H have decommissioned the smoking service in both pharmacy and gp practices

HWB meeting 05.06.19

Noted

PUBLIC HEALTH CITY

> HWB meeting 29.05.19 – Attachment 13A

For information

- HWB COUNTY http://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/dms/Meetings.aspx
 - Summary
 - Next meeting date 4th September 2019 2pm @ County Hall
- HWB CITY http://committee.nottinghamcity.gov.uk/ieListMeetings.aspx?CommitteeId=185
 - Next meeting date: 25th July 2019 2pm @ Loxley House

13b NHS England Area Teams

- > N Mid flu meeting
- ➤ CD LIN Meeting 12.06.19 Attachment 13B
- ➤ LPN meeting 28.06.19
- LPN funding meeting 31.05.19 Attachment 13C

(summary of AF / BP and MAS ENT service, Virtual Outcomes)

SYB LPC meeting – 10/07/19

Report to follow.

13c CCG updates

- Nottingham City CCG board meeting
- GP Surgery closures the Boulevard Medical Centre, 635 Western Boulevard (02.07.19),

Mid Notts

- De-prescribing meeting 12.06.19 Attachment 13D and 13E Next meeting 16.07.19
- Prescribing subgroup 26.06.19 Attachment 13F (DF)

Greater Notts

- NHS Greater Nottingham: Prescribing Hints & Tips Newsletter May and June 2019 Attachment 13G, 13H And 13I
 - Greater Nottingham MOC 23.05.19 Attachment 13J
 - Next meeting 25.07.19

Area Prescribing Committee

➤ 18th July 2019 – MJ attending

Members reminded that If they have been to any local meetings then let Alison know and send a report through to be added to the meeting agenda

14 Information received from various sources

If members wish to discuss any of the items below at the LPC meeting then please let the chair know before lunchtime and this will be discussed under AOB.

Members are advised that many PSNC communications are now communicated electronically and repeated on the PSNC website. It is recommended that members regularly visit the PSNC website 'LPC members' area to access the latest information available on www.psnc.org,uk

14.1 **PSNC** briefings / newsletters

14.1.1 List of PSNC newsletters received since the last LPC meeting – Attachment 14A Link to the PSNC webpage - https://psnc.org.uk/ - briefings found on each drop down section of the website

14.2 PSNC Pricing audit reports

Nothing received

14.3 PSNC Regional Meeting -

PSNC East Midlands and SY plus PSNC Yorkshire and Humber 16.05.19 – Attachment 14B

- Provider companies discussion

14.4 NHS Digital

Nothing discussed

14.5 **Healthwatch Nottinghamshire**

Nothing discussed

14.6 **CCA / AIMp Communication**

Nothing discussed

	14.7 CPPE						
	Nothing received						
	14.8 LMC Nothing discussed 14.9 LPF – update						
	Nothing discussed						
	14.10 Health Education England						
	Nothing discussed						
	14.11 PCSE						
	Nothing discussed						
15	Any other business (raised by lunchtime)						
	No further items were raised						
16	Strategy Plan review						
	Postponed to the next LPC meeting						
	Details of future meetings Bi-monthly						
	18 th September 2019	9.30am – 5pm	Office at Cotgrave, Candleby Lane, NG12 3JQ				
	20 th November 2019	9.30am – 5pm	Office at Cotgrave, Candleby Lane, NG12 3JQ				

Next meeting is on Wednesday 18th September 2019 @ LPC office, Candleby Lane, Cotgrave

Minutes agreed as true and accurate record of the LPC meeting held on Wednesday 17th July 2019

Signed:	original signed by Rob Severn	Date	18/09/19	
Rob Severn, Chair	. Nottinahamshire LPC			