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## PPG Meeting – 10<sup>th</sup> March 2014

<b>Present:</b>	Drs Bendelow and Dickson. Karen Iliadis, Pamela Mennell, Bob Hamil, Tony Turnbull, Vicki Guillory, Jim Barnes, Rebecca McIntyre and Tina Trowbridge
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<b>Apologies:</b>	Margaret Hakin
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<b>Minutes from Previous Meeting</b>	<b>Action</b>
Previous notes agreed	

<b>Mental Health Survey</b>	<p>Results had been sent out to all before the meeting. It was drafted by Dr Foxen who had the following comments to make:-</p> <p>poor response, possibly more likely to have been completed by service users or sufferers so qu1 and 2 and 3 may not be representative figures</p> <p>Most useful info relates to qu7. There were a lot of services identified and user's reports were very positive. Negative aspect was waiting list size which we all know confirms these services are underfunded.</p> <p>Qu 5 confirms lack of awareness of services ie 50% of responders had no idea what services were available, this could affect if a person asks for help or not.</p> <p>Qu 7 also highlighted desire for more education on what is a mental health illness with autism and ADHD mentioned, we could possibly provide leaflets in surgery or direct to websites for those with internet access.</p> <p>We agreed to follow up with information on the website and a big display in the surgery highlighting awareness of mental health issues and local services, self help leaflets and charity organisations</p>	
<b>Annual Meeting</b>	<p>KB reported that he was a bit disappointed by the turnout and that he felt we could have done more to actively encourage patients to attend during surgeries. A lesson to be learned for this year coming. It was agreed that this year's meeting would be better targeted and perhaps include some specific health promotion and awareness in chronic disease areas.</p>	
<b>Succession</b>	<p>KB is retiring at the end of the year and in preparation for this, FD will take over as leader for the PPG from 1<sup>st</sup> April. PF and CEF will be involved too.</p> <p>The group thanked KB for his hard work and enthusiasm in</p>	

<b>NT PPG Group</b>	<p>setting up the group and keeping it motivated</p> <p>TT still attends this, though it has been quiet of late. She will send the information to KI to distribute to everyone.</p> <p>The group did get involved with promoting the 'Stay Calm' campaign and we had a big display with posters and leaflets in the surgery.</p> <p>TT attended the NHS Innovation conference in Manchester and brought back some interesting information on use of websites etc.</p>	
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<b>ANY OTHER BUSINESS</b>		<b>Action</b>
<b>NAPP</b>	<p>KB informed the group that the annual conference this year will be in Leeds on 6<sup>th</sup> or 7<sup>th</sup> June. KI and TT to attend</p>	<p>KI to register</p>
<b>Awareness Week</b>	<p>This is the week before the conference – we need to promote our group – ideas on a postcard?</p>	<p>All to think about</p>
<b>PPHC Triathlon Teams</b>	<p>We have entered 4 teams from the surgery and would welcome suggestions of local charities that we could support</p>	<p>All to send suggestions</p>

<b>DATE, TIME &amp; VENUE OF NEXT MEETING</b>	<b>Action</b>
<p>16<sup>th</sup> June 2014 6pm at PPHC</p>	