



Patient Participation Group 4.00pm 30/01/2020

Minutes

Apologies- KS, AHamp. CY, MT Present - AH,LB,ST,TG, MB, MW, JK, AD

Visitors:	Joan Woodhall from Wetherby in Bloom
Andrea Vickers:	Social prescriber from Linking Leeds
New members:	John Kettle
	Aileen Dunlop

1. 2.	Introductions and welcome Andrea Vickers	All Andrea gave an outline of what her job involves. She has wide connections throughout Leeds and sees appointments in Wetherby on Thursdays or if needed in the patient's home. She looks at a patient's social problems and gives them contact and services information. She doesn't recommend anywhere specific, but the patient can choose where to go if they want to. She can also give them a list of activities if that is appropriate. There is a mental health group, set up by patients which is a social meeting once a month on Mondays. We are welcome to go along and join in and they meet at Morrison's café every second Monday of the month from 2-3pm. Mental health could be a subject for the board sometime. Joan came to see if Andrea thought it was feasible for patients to help with Wetherby in Bloom. She explained what was involved. Andrea is willing to add any groups to her list of contacts, but it is up to patients to use the service or not.
3.	Minutes of last meeting	Accepted as correct
4.	Surgery update	Anita was unable to attend the meeting today. For the next agenda Notices and folder, diabetic letter, new ways of attending repeat clinics.

7. Noticeboards 8. Newsletter AOB	 There has been an email from a patient about all the notices. This has been passed on to Anita. MT also heard a conversation about it in the surgery. The spring newsletter is due and so any items you wish to be considered need to be forwarded to Liz. Sue will take photographs for those who want one.
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