

The Glenfield Surgery

Patient Participation Group



Welcome to the May 2018 edition of the PPG Newsletter

Practice news

Verity Swan, Mental Health Nurse and Richard Woods, the Extended Scope Physiotherapist, have both joined the Practice and have started holding their appointment clinics. We wish them every success with us.

Rai Hansrani, apprentice, has finished their apprenticeship and left the Practice on 25th May to take up a position elsewhere.

Building works

The plans submitted to the council have been approved.

This includes the replacement of the existing entrance doors to the surgery and Building B with automatic doors and the conversion of the attic room into a formal training and education room.

It is anticipated that the door replacement work will commence end of July/beginning of August and be completed before the flu vaccination programme begins.

The attic conversion – builders are being contacted to provide quotations for this work.

Private Prescription Charges

There had been some confusion over private prescription charges. The charge for a Private Prescription is £10.00.

Dementia Friendly

The surgery had now signed up to be a dementia friendly practice. Dementia Friends will be at the surgery in September to show us what things we could be doing for our patients. The PPG will see if this is an 'open' event or just for practice staff.

Healing Little Hearts (HLH) Charity Fund Raising

The first fund raising event held was a Bike-a-Thon which raised £380. The next event is to be held in June, keep your eyes open for details

PPG news

Week commencing 4th June is PPG Awareness week. Your PPG only has 4 members and would like to recruit several more patients who have the desire to help 'up the ante' for the patients at the Glenfield Surgery. The GPs have kindly offered to handout information to patients who they feel would bring something extra to the PPG.

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