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**Minutes of the Trafford Sub-committee
held on Weds 15th Feb 2017 at Sam Platts, Old Trafford**

PRESENT:

EXECUTIVE MEMBERS

Dr Colin Kelman (CK)
Dr Arya Prabhakaran (AP)

MEMBERS

Dr Amabel Freeman (AF)
Dr Joe Chandy (JC)
Dr Sally Johnston (SJ)
Dr Rachel Howard (RH)
Dr Dev Shah (DS)

CO-OPTED MEMBERS & OBSERVERS

Rebecca Demain (RD) CCG
Mr Christian Booth (CB)
(representing Pm's Trafford South)
Ms Deborah Darlington (DD)
(representing PM's Trafford North)
Deborah Gent (DG) Council
Dr Masud Prodhan (MP)
Dr Marik Sangha (MS)
Alison Overton (AO)
Dr Paul Jackson (PJ)
Dr Tom Earnshaw (TE) GPC Rep
Helen Smith (HS) GMLPC

IN ATTENDANCE

Mrs Kerrie Rowlands (KR)
Mrs Eve Donelon (ED)

APOLOGIES

Dr Rimma Grant (RG)

Special Business

Angie Nisbet – Head of Care Co-ordination Transformation Team attended the meeting to update members on TCC which went live on 1st Nov 2016. Her update included purpose, structure and progress to date. For more information can be found in their Flyer and Jan newsletter.

ED mentioned that the LMC had been contacted by a Practice with concerns regarding the IG arrangements for the TCC clinical service in place to support patients with high secondary care utilisation. ED confirmed the LMC was awaiting assurance from the IG lead at the CCG and would welcome LMC oversight of requests such as these going forward.

Links here;

<https://drive.google.com/open?id=0B41apCMpAlhyRU1heXRJbjM4VXM>

<https://drive.google.com/open?id=0B41apCMpAlhyNzRKcm9mT2VtdmM>

Community Pharmacy Atrial Fibrillation (AF) project

Dr Dai Roberts and Dipesh Raghwani attended the meeting to update members on the progress of the Community Pharmacy AF Project, currently under development by the Greater Manchester Academic Health Science network. This project was aimed at preventing stroke and associated costs, and outcomes for patients in Trafford.

The update included debate on how to identify patients in practices, referral to nominated pharmacies, training for pharmacists and the technical aspects of viewing records. Dr Roberts said that they had identified around 800 patients with AF that had not been treated with anticoagulation therapies and their aim was to work with a test bed of approx 10 practices, as the top 10 accounted for over half those not yet treated. The LMC offered their support in promoting the project and Dr Roberts agreed to share the data of where engagement with individual practices would be appreciated.

AGENDA - PART A

Welcome and Declaration of interest

Dr Kelman (CK) welcomed all to the meeting and no declaration of interest was made.

Approval of last month's minutes

The amended minutes of Weds 15th Feb were approved following comments from Eleanor Roaf.

Review of Actions from the last meeting

No	Subject	Action	Who
1	<u>List dispersal policy</u> Carried fwd from last meeting: A meeting had been set up to move this forward and the LMC will feedback further. There would also be a separate discussion surrounding the legacy of past closures in an attempt to resolve the issues.	Provide an update. Discussed in part B	LMC
2	<u>Firearms – BMA guidance</u> Carried fwd from last meeting: Dr Earnshaw (TE) advised all that the BMA guidance surrounding firearms had been withdrawn a there was a legal challenge against it. This being the right to say no. (TE) said that there could be a conscientious objection however the objecting GP would need to find another doctor.	LMC to highlight to all once definitive guidance is released. No further guidance released	LMC

Council Update

Deborah Gent (DG) provided an update the following initiatives the Local Authority were involved in. These were:

Homecare and the work underway to review how it was currently commissioned and how it could be developed differently in the future.

A two year early warning system for individuals with potential drug and alcohol issues. This was being developed by GMPC and involved working with local commissioning groups including GP's.

A project to understand how information could be shared across other organisations, such as the police, fire service etc to assist all when making decisions on how to deal with issues highlighted to them.

A new social workers model focusing on what can be done to assist people with the support they required.

Trafford CCG update

Rebecca Demaine (RD) gave the following update:

The bid for funding to support Clinical Pharmacists within General Practice had been submitted by the CCG on behalf of Practices and it was hoped a decision would be made in early March as to whether the bid has been successful.

List Dispersal – following comments from the LMC on the initial policy the CCG and the LMC had since met to progress this. The main area for discussion had been surrounding the funding element which had now been revised and passed back to the LMC for further review. Once the policy was agreed there would be individual conversations with those practices affected and retrospective funding applied where necessary. There was mention of the desire by NHSE to widen the quality improvement programme as part of the 5yr forward view package.

Communication & Engagement – work was underway to look at how this could be improved across the neighbourhoods.

NMOC – looking at some of the quick wins within IT

Community Phlebotomy service – issues previously highlighted had been picked up with the provider and they were to make contact with Seymour Grove individually.

There was discussion around Sexual Health services and confusion over which clinics had closed. (DG) offered to seek clarification and update the LMC **Action DG**

(RD) finished by requesting future issues to be highlighted before the meetings if possible so that opportunities could be fed into NMOC.

New Models of Care

There was a brief update on current pieces of work around blood test referrals, future booking of appointments and website. The uncertainty surrounding TPH who were running extended access Sat morning's services on two sites was also mentioned. A decision was still to be made as to whether or not this would continue.

GM Health & Social Care Partnership

(CK) said there was no update this month and reminded members of his attendance at the Assoc GMLMC's meeting in which various new models are presented and discussed.

2017/18 GMS contract announcement

Due to time constraints this was touched on briefly. (ED) asked if all had seen the letter from the GPC. A link to the letter and further information can be found here:

<https://drive.google.com/open?id=0B41apCMpAlhyQV9NZFFmRy1PRIE>

Safeguarding Adult review

(CB) raised the issue of a lack of remuneration for reviewing records, provision of reports and attendance at meetings. Dr Yarnell had written to the LMC highlighting the same. Discussion followed and it was agreed to raise this again with Mark Jarvis. **Action (ED)**

AOB

None.

2017 Meeting dates

Trafford subcommittee – 2017 Meeting dates
1-2.30pm, preceded by lunch from 12.30pm. Held at Sam Platts, Trafford Wharf Road, Old Trafford M17 1EX
Weds March 15th
Weds April 12th
Weds May 17th
Weds June 14th
Weds July 19th
No meeting in August
Weds Sept 13th
Weds Oct 11th
Weds Nov 15th
Monday December 11 TH evening JOINT FOR ALL MEMBERS OF BOTH SALFORD AND TRAFFORD COMMITTEES at Sam Platts, Trafford Wharf Road, Old Trafford, M17 1EX