

# theBulletin

Snippets for GPs from Doncaster Clinical Commissioning Group March 2016

## General

**Consultation Notebook Launched:** To access, please click [here](#). Individuals will need to use their usual system username and password to login.

**Jackie Pederson assumes role of Chief Officer:** The CCG has a new Chief Officer, Jackie Pederson.

**Dr David Crichton appointed CCG Clinical Chair:** Following GP elections, Dr David Crichton is now the CCG's Clinical Chair replacing Dr Nick Tupper.

**NHS Choices:** If you need to edit details on your NHS Choices page and have forgotten your details, email [adam.tingle@doncasterccg.nhs.uk](mailto:adam.tingle@doncasterccg.nhs.uk).

**Junior Doctor Strike:** There is a 48-hour period of industrial action currently underway, proposed by junior doctors, at DRI. More info [here](#).

**Spring Information Pack:** Essential numbers for health services. Please do not share publicly. Password: Doncasternhs1. [Click here](#).

**Weekend Dressings:** The Doncaster Same Day Health Centre is now the key provider for routine wound care on a weekend (including bank holidays) when general practice is closed. [More info](#).

**Neurological Education Day:** Monday 25 April from 9.15am to 4pm at the Holiday Inn in Doncaster. [Click here](#) for more information and to book your place.

**£5 Per Head Funds:** Please complete the short survey [found here](#).

**Primary Care Provider Engagement Meetings:** Following the recent email that's been circulated to those who put their name forward for the Primary Care Provider Engagement Meeting, please see the dates for the year. [Click here](#).

## Localities

### South East

Lee Golze, CCG lead for children's services, attended to discuss Children & Young Peoples Mental Health Local Transformation Plan. Group discussed what to expect at the upcoming Primary Care Event on 4th March 2016.

### South West

District nurses attended to give update on new ways of working. Pharmacy pilot agreed. Broad discussions took place around future of primary care.

### Central

Lee Golze attended to discuss Children & Young Peoples Mental Health Local Transformation Plan. Group discussed what to expect at the upcoming Primary Care Event on 4th March 2016. Also listed locality themes/issues raised over last 12 months. Discussed ongoing work where group used remaining homework budget to undertake diabetes review of all their patients with HbA1c of 86 or over and providing a GP patient consultation.

### North East

Lee Golze attended to discuss Children & Young Peoples Mental Health Local Transformation Plan. Group discussed what to expect at the upcoming Primary Care Event on 4 March 2016.

### North West

Hayley Tingle, CCG Finance chief, attended to give financial update. Group recapped primary care event on 4th March 2016 – locality felt they are already working together well as part of their OOH scheme. Using remaining homework budget to provide late visiting scheme. The scheme allows practices to provide GP triage and home visits to patients from 1pm to 6pm for six weeks. Group finalised and agreed to go ahead (started 14th March 16).

## GP theme leads

**End of Life:** Conference to be held for staff involved in EoL work, Tuesday 26 April.

**Intermediate Care:** Completed all 1,000+ patient reviews. Next steps presenting data and case for change with commissioning models.

**Prescribing:** Looking at developing an incentive scheme for prescribing, also reviewing minor injuries scheme.

**Dementia:** Official launch of dementia admiral nurses. Three nurses shared amongst all localities. Will support with case load and provide family support.

**Mental Health:** Out to tender on recovery house, 24/7 bed facility providing support for those in crisis.

**Urgent Care:** A&E and GP OOH performed well through out the Easter break.