

# PPG Communications

## What's going on at St Peter's Medical Centre

Meeting Date: 24<sup>th</sup> January 2023

**St Peter's Representatives:** Christine Bushell. Advance Nurse Practitioner & Partner  
Deborah Harvey. Partner, Practice Manager

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### St Peter's Medical Centre's practice partners:

- Dr Mohan Seevaratnam (Senior Partner)
- Dr Eleanor Worthington
- Dr Gillian Dale
- Christine Bushell (Advance Nurse Practitioner)
- Deborah Harvey (Practice Manager)

<p><b>Leavers / Starter Employees'</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Leavers:</u> Ruth Lovelace left us on 13<sup>th</sup> Jan after 7 years' service</li> <li>• <u>Have recruited:</u> New GOP - Dr Irene Asamoah – working 4hrs on Wednesday evening New clinical pharmacist Saijal Chauhan – working 3 days each week New receptionist. Salam &amp; Jemimah. New admin assistants. Ethan, Isabella, Nathanael &amp; Hana. New General Practice Assistant. Nadhira Munasinha.</li> </ul> <p>Please see copy of our organisational chart for full practice staffing compliment, or you may wish to view via our website at: <a href="https://stpetersmedicalcentre.org.uk/team/">https://stpetersmedicalcentre.org.uk/team/</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Looking to recruit / vacancies</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ 18.75hrs General Practice Assistant</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p><b>New operating Systems. Soft /Hardware</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Patient self 'blood pressure and weight monitoring'</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ In the process of updating our 'blood pressure check' service and currently reviewing options available within our contract. We are still reviewing options</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Checking in screen</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Is currently is now operational</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p><b>New Patient equipment or works carried out/on-going</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• We have applied for an improvement grant and are currently awaiting approval / rejection from NHS England. If approved, we will have 9 clinical rooms on the ground floor, with another 2 on the second floor. Subject to approval, it is likely that building works will begin in January 2023. Final submission has been forwarded to the improvement Grant team and we now await a decision.</li> <li>•</li> </ul>

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<b>What's going on at Practice Level in Harrow</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• From 30<sup>th</sup> November 2022, patients can apply for access to their GP medical records via the NHS App. Application forms will be available at reception and via our website from 30<sup>th</sup> November 2022. No historical data, only health records from his date forward will be accessible.<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ The has been suspended pending further trials until further notice</li></ul></li></ul>
<b>What's going on at Primary Care in Harrow</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Total re-structure of Harrow CCG</b> (Clinical commissioning Group). Has taken place and as from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2023, the changes below become effective:</li><li>• North West London (NWL) Clinical commissioning Group CCG will be called, 'North West London Integrated Care System'</li><li>• Harrow CCG (Clinical commissioning Group) will be known as, Harrow Borough or Integrated Care Partnership (ICP)</li></ul>
<b>Practice patient list size</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 8352</li></ul>
<b>Waiting times for routine appointments</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• It has become apparent that our online consultation requests have increased dramatically. We are however endeavouring to managing these requests to see a clinician within the structure of St Peter's medical centre</li></ul>
<b>Other business</b>	<b>Infection Control &amp; Face Mask:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Infection control measures are still in effect &amp; patients are still required to wear face masks when entering this surgery.</li></ul>

NB: No Acronym's / Abbreviations where possible