Kiveton Park Primary Care Centre Patient Participation Group Meeting Wednesday 16 September 2015

Attendees: Dorothy Bradley (Chair), Susan Weitscher, Micheal Brabbs, Becky Clowes, Barry Winterbottom, Chloe Sarginson, Alicia Higgins, Marilyn White, Jean Hirst, Georgia Ody, Sandra Williams, Alicia Higgins, Joanne Cross, Stephen Bradley (minutes)

Apologies: Keith Emsden, Ron Law, Katrina Fletcher, Brandon Fletcher, Mari Gabbitas, Helen Greer-Waring

Previous Minutes: Agreed by the meeting.

Matters arising: None.

Guest Speakers: Barry Knowles & Marion Martin from the Rotherham Social Prescribing Service explained the role of the Social Prescribing Service in supporting patients, within the community, who are considered by the GP to have the highest risk of hospital admission because of long term health issues. The aim is to facilitate patient access to voluntary & community services as part of a targeted care plan within GP case management.

Barry can be contacted at barry.knowles@varotherham .org.uk for further information.

Awareness Day on 26 September: postponed. Possibly include on line service provision as part of the Health Promotion day on 26 November.

News from the Surgery

- MacMillan Coffee Morning on 18 September, 09:30 to 11.00.
- Flu jab days at Kiveton are 10/17 October and letters will be sent out shortly.
- The practice nurse is retiring and a replacement will be appointed in due course.

Any other business: None.

Date of next meeting: 21 October 2015 starting at 6.00pm