

PEOPLE'S COUNCIL

The People's Council is the patient representative group of the CCG (Clinical Commissioning Group). We belong to the NNE (Nottingham North & East) CCG. It comprises representatives from practices across the area and some officers of the CCG. The group meets once a month to discuss developments, receive presentations and give a patient perspective on the issues raised. We can also take items to the group for consideration.

In the August meeting we covered:

- Patient Transport Survey
- Gluten Free Survey - **Have your say** online at: www.surveymonkey.com/r/NHS-gluten-free or call 0800 028 3693 to request a printed version.
- Partners in Health Project Group feedback
- Shared Decision Making – No Decision About Without Me – launch.
- Prescriptions –costs, safety and waste
- Phlebotomy Services – cost and availability
- South Notts Transformation Partnership & Urgent Care Vanguard Status
- World Suicide Prevention Day – 10th September
- GP Surveys
- National Self Care week – 16th-20th November
- NNE CCG AGM – 22nd September

From time to time we are asked to promote surveys or events. These can be a useful way to involve more patients. Details of these will generally be sent out via the surgery through the newsletter, posted on the website and placed on noticeboards in the waiting area.

If you would like to know more about any item or to receive copies of the agendas please contact me through kathryn.ppg@gmail.com If you prefer to talk face to face or by telephone please contact me via email or a message at the surgery in the first instance. I can only contact you directly if you give me your contact details; I cannot use the details you have given to the surgery without your permission.