

THE FUTURE OF COMMUNITY PHARMACY Primary Care Networks & neighbourhood working in Greater Manchester

What difference will primary care networks make for patients?

(Source: The King's Fund Primary Care Networks Explained March 2019)

Primary care networks have the potential to benefit patients by offering improved access and extending the range of services available to them, and by helping to integrate primary care with wider health and community services.

Previous research on the impact of larger scale general practice on patient experience found mixed views. While some patients prioritise access above all else and are interested in the potential of larger collaborations to improve that access, others are more concerned about continuity and trusting relationships and are concerned these may be lost. Practices will need to work with their patient participation groups and the wider local community if they are going to address the needs of their local population.

The LPC will continue to provide updates on the PCNs via these bulletins and our newsletter, we will be providing local/ neighbourhood-based resources and information, so please watch this space and save our website to your favourites!

THE FUTURE OF LOCAL WORKING FOR COMMUNITY PHARMACY

Primary Care Networks & neighbourhoods in Greater Manchester

As part of our ongoing support to our Community Pharmacy Contractors in Greater Manchester, GMLPC are hosting a number of events regarding the emerging Primary Care Networks & neighbourhoods across Greater Manchester - especially YOUR role going forward.

These events are tailored to each locality, and will provide:

- A general overview on PCNs – The who, what, when and where
- What they look like in your locality
- How you can engage in YOUR PCN
- How to work collaboratively with fellow contractors
- Area of opportunity – How we secure our futures
- What the LPC will do to support YOU

Please secure your attendance by booking onto an event in your locality NOW.

Manchester - 2nd October 2019

The Hough End Centre

<https://pcn-manchester.eventbrite.co.uk>

Tameside - 16th October 2019

Stanley House Function Rooms

<https://pcn-tameside.eventbrite.co.uk>

Rochdale - 24th October 2019

The Royal Tony Hotel

<https://pcn-rochdale.eventbrite.co.uk>

Bury - 29th October 2019

Red Hall Hotel

<https://pcn-bury.eventbrite.co.uk>

Oldham – 7th November 2019

Victoria Hotel

<https://pcn-oldham.eventbrite.co.uk>

Stockport – 13th November 2019

Alma Lodge Hotel

<https://pcn-stockport.eventbrite.co.uk>

Salford – 21st November 2019

Copthorne Hotel

<https://pcn-salford.eventbrite.co.uk>

Trafford – 26th November 2019

Trafford Hall Hotel

<https://pcn-trafford.eventbrite.co.uk>

Wigan – 10th December 2019

Holiday Inn Express – Leigh Sports Village

<https://pcn-wigan.eventbrite.co.uk>

All events are registration and light
buffet available from 6.30pm.

Training 7pm – 9pm.