**LPC Meeting – Wednesday 16th November 2022**

Via Zoom

9am – 1pm

Present: Richard Brown, Lisa Fisher, Alan Smith, Imran Ahmed, Heather Blandford, Philip Bush, Ramesh Yadav, Ali Hashemian, Matt Courtney-Smith, Morag McMeekin, John Wilson, Isabel Diaz-Franco.

Apologies – None

Declarations of Interest – None

CCA nomination for report – Alan Smith

Review of October Minutes & Action Points.

Minutes agreed and will be posted on the website.

Treasurers report

Matt shared an up to date report of the accounts.

TAPR Update

The committee discussed TAPR.

Lisa met with the chair Chris Shields of Swindon and Wiltshire LPC to discuss this.

Richard shared the outcomes from the recent Chief Officers meeting.

Review of new proposed PSNC Constitution

The new model addresses some of the issues that were picked up in the RSG. Richard shared the slides produced by the PSNC to show the RSG Recommendations for the new constitution. This constitution only covers the LPC as it currently stands and does not take into account any future changes.

Richard shared the new document with the committee. The committee went through the document and made the necessary amendments for Avon.

One of the changes is a name change from Avon LPC to Community Pharmacy Avon from the formation of our next committee.

Richard has been advised that there is another version of the document due to be released shortly, with a few minor amendments. The committee have agreed that when Richard receives the final version he will share this with the committee via email and get sign off that way.

An EGM will be scheduled for January to get the new constitution agreed.

VirtualOutcomes (VO) Update

VO provides training to GP colleagues for GP CPCS, Avon has had over 300 views and shows it is being used a lot to help with the. CPCS and PGD referral process.

Chief Officers Update

BNSSG ICS are working towards an Otomize PGD. Looking for trainers to train pharmacists to carry out ear examinations. ICS will fund the Otoscope once the pharmacy have proven they are actively taking part in the service.

The new UTI PGD in BNSSG has been released allowing pharmacists to dip test urine if two symptoms are not present.

The ICBs are looking at having an Anchor Pharmacy in each locality. The idea of this is to be a 7 day pharmacy to provide all of the services all of the time. There is a payment to allow this to happen from the ICB. The plan is for this to be a reality ready for Christmas and run to the end of Easter. If this is successful there may be a case to continue it going forward. The bank holiday system is separate and not included in this.

The Primary Care committee is going well, the terms of reference will change shortly and will include all professionals going forward.

Training Topics for 2023

Richard highlighted that we have had to cancel the face to face event in November and run it online due to low numbers of people attending in person. Lisa asked the committee if they would attend face to face training, a consensus is that in the winter months most would prefer online. We will not run face to face training for the beginning part of next year.

January – Contraception Supply Service

March – Depression

May – Vaccinations

June/July - ENT

AOB

None.