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Patient Participation Group News

Staff News

We wish Graham Symonds a happy retirement as he has left Kensington Partnership after being with us as Business Manager for the last 3 years. Tracy Burton has now taken on extra responsibilities and will be our new Business Manager.

Building Bridge Project

A drop off donation session was held at the Kensington Site on 8th July. Patients, staff and community members came to donate. Here is Angela Vyas, West Yorkshire Community Fundraiser, gratefully receiving all the donations.



Message from Angela:

'We would like to say a huge thank you to all the patients and staff of the Kensington Partnership in Bradford for donating their unwanted clothing and shoes at our recent recycling drop off day.

It costs £12,000 a day to keep both of Yorkshire's air ambulances maintained and in the air and since our recycling scheme began, we have received more than £2.8 million in donations. Donations from our recycling scheme give us sustainable income that we can rely on to keep our service flying across the region and saving lives across Yorkshire.'

Covid 19 Pandemic

The vaccination programme is continuing. Now all adults can have their vaccine. We have had a number of walk-in clinics at different times to suit patients. The government has now announced that from July 19th all restrictions will be lifted.

However, in Bradford the infections are still rising, as a result, we still have to be careful.

Face masks and social distancing

The restrictions in general were eased on 19th July. We have appreciated support from all our patients so far in the pandemic. We are request that Patients continue to attend surgery wearing a face mask. Appointments will continue to be via phone assessment first, to keep staff and patients safe as the infections rates are increasing in Bradford.

The infographic features the NHS logo at the top right and a calendar icon for July 19th in the center. On the left, a blue box titled 'OUTSIDE... THERE ARE BIG CHANGES' lists updates to social distancing rules. On the right, a yellow box titled 'WHEN USING HEALTH SERVICES ACROSS BRADFORD DISTRICT AND CRAVEN... IT'S NO CHANGE' lists ongoing safety protocols. At the bottom, icons represent 'HANDS', 'FACE', and 'SPACE'.

LET'S KEEP WORKING TOGETHER
TO PREVENT THE SPREAD OF COVID-19

NHS

JUL 19

OUTSIDE... THERE ARE BIG CHANGES

- Meet as many people as you are happy to see
- 'One metre plus' rule scrapped
- Face coverings advisory indoors
- Mass events restart and no limit on the numbers at weddings and funerals
- Voluntary to scan QR codes
- Work from home 'where possible' scrapped

WHEN USING HEALTH SERVICES ACROSS BRADFORD DISTRICT AND CRAVEN... IT'S NO CHANGE

- Our services look after the MOST vulnerable people
- Community infection rates are rising
- If our staff have to self isolate, we have to reduce our services
- If we have more people with COVID-19 in hospital, we have to postpone other services including operations

HANDS **FACE** **SPACE**

Our Next Drop-in Vaccination Clinic



Aged 18+

GRAB A JAB

**Saturday
24 July
12-5pm**

**Whetley Medical Centre,
2 Saplin Street, Manningham,
Bradford, BD8 9DW**

First & second doses



Courses

**Up coming courses
managing my Anxiety Online
Course**

**Wednesday 16th June 10am
Thursday 22nd July 10am
Tuesday 27th July 1.30pm
Wednesday 11th August 6pm**

Call us on 0300 555 5551 or visit our
website
www.bmywellbeingcollege.nhs.uk for
more information on how to join.



PPG Meetings

It has been a long time since the PPG has met in person due to the Pandemic. We are considering planning meetings from September onwards. I wanted to find out what your opinions are about attending PPG meetings. I am attaching a form with this document to choose your preference of days and times for meetings.

Please can you complete and return it to me by 7th August. We will go ahead with the majority decision.

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Patient Engagement and Public Relations Officer