

## Dr Bartlett and Partners

### Patient Participation Group Annual Report 2015/16

#### Group Members:

Leo McGrory (Chair), Julie Janes, Robert Peacock, Keith Taylor, David Porter, Kay Stockill. Meeting also attended by Pam Saltmer (Practice Manager)

There are several vacancies on the group at the moment and we are advertising those in waiting rooms and on our website.

The group is particularly under-represented by members of working age, members with young families and those still in full time education.

The group meets every eight weeks and has fed back to the CCG about issues regarding services provided to patients of the practice by secondary and community care.

Two members of the group are also active members of Healthwatch and are part of the wider SRCCG Patient Participation Group. These members feed back any issues raised at the SRCCG meetings and in particular about the commissioning maze exercise carried out at one meeting.

On the 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2015 the group organised a Health Information Day entitled Keep Well – Stay Well in conjunction with the Practice and Derwent Valley Bridge Community Group. The day was extremely well attended and offered advice from 12 community health groups and Nurses from the practice were kept busy taking blood pressures, weights and blood sugars along with giving advice on healthy living. The group are planning another event in 2016.

The group are extremely interested in maintaining high quality services for patients of the practice and are proactive in taking on initiatives e.g. working to ensure that patients access the correct service.