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Extended Primary Care Medical Services Update

This update is to demonstrate where the contracts approved by the Primary Care Commissioning Committee are in the commissioning cycle.

1. Extended Primary Care Medical PCN Commissioned Services.

SERVICE	PCN PARTICIPATION
Ring Pessary Fitting Service	3 out of 5 PCNs are delivering this service, 1 PCN is delivering on behalf of another.
Secondary Care Generated Interventions	1 PCN not signed up, another delivering on their behalf
Adult Fostering & Adoption Medicals	All PCNs are signed up and delivering
Minor Surgery	1 PCN not signed up, another delivering on their behalf
12-Lead Electrocardiogram	Only 1 PCN has returned the EOI
PSA Monitoring	Only 1 PCN has returned the EOI

2. Notes on the above results

- a) The contracting team continue to chase the PCN/Practices for the return of the Expression of Interest for the PSA Monitoring and 12 Lead ECG contracts before a piece of work can be undertaken to ensure any gaps in delivery are filled.
- b) A separate piece of work is about to commence to look at the delivery of Minor Surgery in Primary Care as new practices come on board following staff training. It is felt that some areas of the specification such as cutting procedures are currently not provided.
- c) Due to the PCNs yet to inform the CCG which practices are to deliver PSA Monitoring and the cessation of the iQudos software contract and interim service has been developed to ensure patient safety and continuity of service provision. East Hull family practice have been contracted to continue as the main Hub until the end of the calendar year. Patients will be managed in two categories,

1. Patient PSA reviews due prior to the 31st of December 2021.
2. Patient PSA reviews due post 31st of December 2021.

Patients that are in category 1 will be managed by East Hull Family Practice, this will include adding the patients as a temporary resident to their SystemOne unit as 'Immediate and Necessary' this is irrespective of which practice they are registered at within Hull Primary Care. This list will be recalled for review by the EHFP nursing team at the suggested appointment date. The process for phlebotomy remains the same and responsibility is that of the patients registered practice. Review of results will be added to the S1 clinical system for which the registered practice will be able to view. For those practices that use the EMIS Web clinical system the Hub will send a letter to the registered practice to be added to the patient's clinical record.

Patients that are in category 2 will be filtered out to the registered practice or the chosen practice(s) within the PCN delivering on behalf over the course of 3 months. EHFP Hub will continue to receive all discharges from Urology up until the end of the year which will be managed and sent out to the providing practices (please see section 5)

A communication went out to the practices delivering this service under the previous contract arrangements on the 17th of September to confirm until such time that all PCNs had returned the expression of interest the service will be managed by the main hub (EHFP) until the 1st of January 2022 or practices come on-line with the new contract arrangements and it is deemed safe to transfer patients.

3. Recommendation

It is recommended that the Primary care Commissioning Committee note this update of the Hull Extended Primary Care Medical Services.