**PATIENT PARTICIPATION GROUP**

**FAIRFIELD SURGERY**

**PLANS FOR 2021**

To continue to promote the patients’ group to patients and identify more effective ways of representing all patients’ views

* Regular articles in Burwash Broadsheet, Etchingham and St Philip’s magazine and the Etchingham and Burwash e-bulletins. This information will also be circulated to virtual members
* Notice Board in surgery
* Publicise the patients’ group in patient surveys

To promote key public health messages (both national and local) identified with the surgery, e.g. flu vaccinations etc. using local publications. The next 12 months will include a particular focus on the everchanging information about Covid 19 and vaccinations.

To share posts with the Burwash Community Group Facebook page

To carry out a patient survey including issues raised by the pandemic. This will give an opportunity for learning points for the future such as the increased use of telephone consultations.

To consider how we can improve our role as a ‘critical friend’ to the practice

To continue to identify specific health topics on which to focus, to achieve positive health benefits.

Develop our collaborative working with local organizations

To ensure the patient group is represented at meetings with CCG and/or Primary Care Network to influence local provision of health and social care.

To ensure that the patient group is represented at meetings of the PPGs from the rural Primary Care Network and that our group benefits from this informal collaboration

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