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Action Plan Drawn Up From Results Practice Patient Surveys

2015/2016

Action Point	Action To be Taken By The Practice	<u>Timescale</u>	Person(s) Responsible	<u>Outcome</u>
Waiting Times	Ensure patients are aware that they are able	Ongoing	Reception and clinical staff	
	to book a double		ota	
	appointment should			
	they need one			
		Ongoing		
	Reception staff to		Reception staff	
	ensure they inform			
	patients if clinical staff			
	are running late,			
	apologise and try to give			
	a reason if at all			
	possible	Ongoing	Olivinal Ota#	
			Clinical Staff	
	Clinical staff to also			
	apologise to patients if			
	he keeps them waiting			
	and try to run as on time			
	as possible	Quarterly		



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			Practice Manager	
	Continue with entries in			
	the Newsletter			
	explaining why			
	clinicians can			
	sometimes run late			
Misuse of A&E	Educate patients by	Ongoing	All Practice Staff	
	displaying information			
	regarding the correct			
	use of services; i.e.			
	Pharmacy First, 111,			
	Practice, Out of Hours			
	Ensure patients are	Ongoing	All Practice Staff	
	aware that A&E is an			
	ACCIDENT AND			
	EMERGENCY			
	DEPARTMENT			
		Ongoing	PRG and Practice Staff	
	Continue to review			
	availability of			
	appointments at the			
	practice			
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Missed Appointments	Display up to date	Ongoing	Practice Manager	



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information regarding numbers of patients who fail to attend their appointments on the Jayex board and in the Practice Newsletter			
Continue to send text message reminders to patients and ensure that we have the correct mobile numbers for patients to receive them	Ongoing	All Practice Staff	
Explain in the Practice Newsletter the impact of not cancelling appointments and how important it is so that appointments can be used for other patients	Ongoing	Practice Manager	
Ensure staff thank patients when they do ring and cancel their	Ongoing	All Practice Staff	



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appointment	ts Ongoing	Practice Manager	
Send letters to re offenders	epeat	a control was a superior	