



## Strand Patient Participation Group (SPPG)

SPPG was established in September 2015 and membership is open to all patients registered at the Practice.

Our Mission Statement is: **“Strand Patient Participation Group aim to act as representatives of the practice population, to get feedback from patients and to support the practice.”**

We will be working with the practice to help them develop services and to participate in specific areas of work such as the Annual Patient satisfaction survey.

The Committee will hold at least 6 meetings each year and currently aims to meet at 6 weekly intervals. One of the GPs and the Practice Manager attend meetings by standing invitation.

We need new members to make sure that we are a representative sample of the patients that are registered at this practice; we are particularly interested in reaching out to groups of patients which are, currently under-represented: young parents, working age patients and patients from minority ethnic groups.

We are interested to hear from patients who may not wish to attend meetings but who wish to participate in giving their views through a virtual PPG.

If you would like to join the group or have any ideas that you would like the group to discuss, please email our Secretary [anita.nutt@nhs.net](mailto:anita.nutt@nhs.net) or ask at reception for a form.

### **GDPR / personal data**

*New regulations come into force on the 25<sup>th</sup> May 2018. By signing up, members permit the PPG leads and the practice to use this data to communicate*

*information that is felt to be appropriate. If patients do not want their details used, they should inform the PPG Secretary, Anita Nutt.*