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All Stakeholders

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Public and patient engagement strategy for the Vale of York Clinical Commissioning Group.

Your opportunity to comment

Vale of York Clinical Commissioning Group (VoYCCG) is a new organisation developed in response to the Health and Social Care Bill. It will be responsible for working with other health and social care organisations to commission health care services for its population.

One of the core values for VoYCCG is public and patient engagement. A Public and Patient Working Group was created to develop a strategy. The draft strategy (attached) is now being circulated widely for comment.

This strategy is a living document which will develop as VoYCCG



Vale of York Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) commissioning services on behalf of North Yorkshire and York Primary Care Trust (PCT)

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develops and will be reviewed annually. We would therefore greatly appreciate your views and comments at this initial stage. Please forward them to:

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Any feedback received by 16th January will be incorporated into the strategy to be discussed at the 1st VoYCCG Public and Patient Congress to be held on 7th Feb 2011 at Priory Street, York. (see flyer attached). We would encourage you to attend the Congress as it will provide you with an opportunity to meet the VoYCCG Board and discuss how public engagement can influence the development of health services in our community.

The final strategy will be agreed after feedback and discussion at the Congress.

Please feel free to circulate this document widely.

Thank you for your interest and help in developing this strategy.

Yours Sincerely

Dr Catherine Snape
Chair of the VoYCCG Public and Patient Engagement Working Group

The Working Group consists of:

Dr Catherine Snape – VoYCCG Board member & York GP
Christopher Edmondson – Public lay member
Polly Griffith – Public lay member
Rex Negus – Public lay member
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Pat Sloss – NHS North Yorkshire & York
Andrew Bucklee – NHS North Yorkshire & York

**Vale of York
Clinical Commissioning Group's
1st Public & Patient Congress**

**7th February 2012 , 10am – 3pm,
Priory Street, York**

By attending you will be able to:

**Have a say concerning how the public and patients can influence
the development of health services.**

**Meet the Vale of York Clinical Commissioning Group Board and
hear about their progress and their intentions for the future.**

Name:

Address:.....

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Organisation (if appropriate):

E-mail:

Telephone/mobile number:

Dietary/Special requirements:

**To book a place on the congress complete the above and return to
Susan Lattaway by 1st February 2012**

By e-mailing:

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