

Hospital Expert Advisory Group Agenda with outcomes

Thursday 18th May 2023 14:00-16:00 to be held virtually via MS TEAMS

1: Welcome, apologies and matters arising Led by Chair (10mins)

Progress review	
Description	<p>Recommendations agreed at last meeting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HEAG asked to provide examples of good practice to Alwyn re: Clinical hospital service – Wales • HEAG asked to provide examples to Team England re: RPS Vision • Invite Sue Ladds to present on aseptic services and commission - September

APOLOGIES

Melanie Bryan, Stuart John Evans, Roger Fernandes, Steve Gage, Benjamin Hannan, Ellis Rahill, Graeme Richardson

Josh Miller
Neville Carter

IN ATTENDANCE

Matthew Prior (Deputy Chair), See Mun Wong, Susan Gibert, Ravijyot Saggu, Melinda Cuthbert, Tracy Rogers, Nicola Greenhalgh, Ahmed Al-Nagar, Rahul Singal, Holly Stokes, Oweikumo Eradiri, Richard Bateman

Brendan Jiang, Jill Swan, Rhian Lloyd-Evans
Claire Anderson, Heidi Wright, Jennifer Allen, Wing Tang, Rebecca Braybrooks

2: Introductions to National Board representatives and CEMO Led by Chair (20mins)

Purpose	To make introductions with all attendees
	Introductions were made to the new Board representatives, unfortunately Neville Carter was absent but will be invited to the next meeting in September.

3: Use cases for secondary uses of medicines data from EPMA Led by Rahul Singal (20mins)

Purpose	To introduce the topic and update HEAG and benchmarking metrics.
	<p>The group were given an update on the digital medicines programme of work that is being worked on currently – governance and legal requirements plus other challenges have caused about a year’s delay. Looking towards getting a national collection of prescribing data that is in a useable format for all – to be able to compare hospitals across the country.</p> <p>The output-based specification for e-prescribing for homecare integrated with EPS is due to be approved imminently. Hopefully this will be a starting point for system suppliers to work through.</p> <p>A lot of discussion around what use cases would be best and how best to approach gathering data, what data being used currently, how to educate/ culture /language change, benchmarking metrics and model hospital work.</p>

	ACTION – define priority metrics for national use – keep same methodology – RS/SL bring back to next meeting
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4: RPS Standards Update Led by Wing Tang (20mins)

Purpose	To provide an update on all RPS standards currently being worked on.
	<p>There's a lot of work being completed currently, some of this has been funded. Four pieces of work being covered:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Homecare standards currently looking to appoint a lead writer, set up task and finish group meetings. - Error reporting standards is in the consultation stage, APTUK collaboration. - Interim Virtual Wards standards lead author appointed, rapid publication as required for use quickly. - Greener pharmacy standards plus quality accreditation. RPS won a tender from NHS England. Have appointed a sustainability expert. Descriptors to be written first and technology to follow, policy piece to be completed and then implementation. <p>ACTION – HEAG asked to volunteer for task and finish groups to help prepare this work.</p>

5: Pharmacist Independent Prescribers – separation of prescribing and supply/dispensing Led by Heidi Wright (20mins)

Purpose	To introduce topic and discuss.
	The group were shown a presentation on the topic – slides to be shared. Date for the diary is the 7 th June for Prescribing 'The Big Debate'

6: National Overprescribing Review: Repeat Prescribing toolkit Led by Jennifer Allen (10mins)

Purpose	To provide overview.
	The group were shown a presentation on the topic and timelines for work going forward – slides to be shared.

7: Summarising Key Actions Led by Chair (10mins)

Purpose	To summarise key action points and ask for any agenda items for next meeting. <i>Date of next meeting: Thursday 21 September 2023</i>
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8: The following information has been shared with HEAG Chair or members in 2023

What	When
Your Feedback on Health Committee inquiry topics – Team England	27.04.23
Reminder - Outpatients Recovery and Transformation Programme - Summit and Clinical forum details	26.04.23
Health and Social Care Committee roundtables on pharmacy, 4 and 15 May	25.04.23

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Request - Outpatients Recovery and Transformation Programme - Summit and Clinical forum details	06.04.23
Published - Assurance of aseptic preparation of medicines	23.03.23
RPS Professional standards for the reporting, learning, sharing, taking action and review of incidents - steering group invitation	01.03.23
HEAG Agenda with outcomes and presentations and Future of Virtual Wards Survey	27.02.23
For Action: Review of Antibiotic Guardian Pledges	27.02.23
Comments on sector interest in the HSJ (Health Service Journal)	01.02.23
HSIB report and summary on Detection of jaundice in newborn babies	26.01.23

Relevant upcoming events and webinars

<https://www.rpharms.com/events>