

***Pharmacy: Delivering a Healthier Wales* Delivery Board**

27th January 2022

Communique



The *Pharmacy: Delivering a Healthier Wales* Delivery Board met on 27th January 2022. Chaired by Darren Hughes (Director of the Welsh NHS Confederation) the Board continues to play a key role in shaping the progress of the Pharmacy Vision.

The Chair welcomed new student representative Jessica Newman to the Board. Jessica is looking forward to working with the Board and thanked everyone for welcoming her.

P:DaHW Website: Update

The Board considered the work that had been carried out in preparing the *Pharmacy: Delivering a Healthier Wales* Delivery website. A Beta version of the website had been shared prior to the meeting for the Board to consider.

The feedback received from the Board was very positive. The Board found the site engaging, informative, and easy to use. There were a few suggestions on how the site could be improved which were noted and will be considered as the site nears completion. The aim is to launch the website on Tues 1 March 2022, St David's Day.

Spring Engagements Events

The Royal Pharmaceutical Society have kindly offered to facilitate a series of engagement events in the spring of 2022. These events will provide an opportunity to celebrate success and showcase some examples of what the profession has achieved to date. It will also provide an opportunity to invite the profession to be involved in developing the next set of interim goals and corresponding success measures.

Elen Jones provided an update which included a proposed schedule of events, both face to face and virtual, to engage with the pharmacy profession. The Chair encouraged Board members to participate in, and help facilitate, these events.

In terms of celebrating success, the Board were asked to consider if there were any particular pieces of work which they believe should be included. The Board agreed a dashboard created from robust data would be a useful tool to help demonstrate progress to the profession. It was recognised that this would be a significant piece of work to collate and therefore the Board will endeavor to create a high level overview utilising data that is readily available.

The next meeting of the *Pharmacy: Delivering a Healthier Wales* Delivery Board will take place in February, date tbc.

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