

Notes of the meeting of the South and West Devon Formulary Interface Group

Friday 19th April 2013, 9:30am – 11:30am, Seminar Room 5, Horizon Centre, Torbay Hospital

Present:	Chris Roome – Chair	NEW Devon CCG
	Phil Melluish – GP, Chair SDJF	South Devon CCG
	Keith Gillespie – GP, Chair PAJF	NEW Devon CCG
	Larrisa Sullivan – Interface Pharmacist	NEW Devon CCG
	Sarah Marner – Interface Pharmacist	NEW Devon CCG
	Carol Webb – Joint Formularies Technician	NEW Devon CCG
	Margaret Hinchliffe	Lay member
	Jeremy Morris – Formulary Pharmacist	Plymouth Hospitals NHS Trust
	Andrew Prowse – Assistant Director of Pharmacy	Plymouth Hospitals NHS Trust
	Petrina Trueman – Joint Formularies Pharmacist	NEW Devon CCG
	Gareth Franklin – Clinical Guidance Manager	NEW Devon CCG
	Jo Roberts - GP	South Devon CCG
	Iain Roberts – Lead MO Pharmacist	South Devon CCG
	David Newcombe - Pharmacist	South Devon NHS Trust
	Richard Montgomery - GP	South Devon CCG
	Andy Vian - GP	South Devon CCG
	Steve Cooke – Pharmacy Manager	Plymouth Community Healthcare
	Karen Lillie – Community Matron	Plymouth Community Healthcare
	Mike Finnegan – Consultant, Chair PHNT DTC	Plymouth Hospitals NHS Trust
	Andrew Gunatilleke – Consultant, Chair SDNT DTC	South Devon NHS Trust
	Chris Sullivan – Prescribing Adviser	Devon Partnership Trust
	Paul Hughes – Deputy Head of Prescribing	Kernow CCG
	Elena Mercer – Formulary Pharmacist	South Devon NHS Trust
In attendance	Lucy Wessells – MO Pharmacist	South Devon CCG
	Theresa Mitchell – Tissue Viability Nurse	Plymouth Community Healthcare
1	Welcome: The Chair welcomed everyone and outlined the purpose of the meeting	
2	Minutes SDJF and PAJF: Both sets of minutes were noted and agreed. Any outstanding actions would be carried forward to the proposed new group.	
3	Chapter 1 Gastro-intestinal System: This was an example of what a combined SDJF and PAJF chapter may look like and the differences. There was general discussion about some of the differences, also the differences in service delivery which would be taken into account. A comment was also made about the clinical time represented around the table and that should to be rationalised. There were also comments made about involving the work of the Clinical Pathway Groups. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> NICE Clinical Guideline – Crohn’s Disease: this piece of work was noted 	

<p>4 Review of antimicrobial guidance: This work needs to be done as a combined piece of work, involving the Microbiologists in both acute trusts. This needs to be completed in the next couple of months. To contact Selina Hoque (South Devon Hospital), Jim Greig (Plymouth Hospital) with a view to combining a review</p>
<p>5 Aflibercept: This is to be discussed at the next Peninsula Health Technology Commissioning Group</p>
<p>6 Chapter 11 Eyes: This PAJF review was agreed and the website to be amended.</p>
<p>7 MHRA Drug Safety Update – March: This will be a standing agenda item. The content was discussed. To add the information about dabigatran to both formulary websites</p>
<p>8 NICE Technology Appraisals – March: This will be a standing agenda item.</p>
<p>9 Future Joint Working: The Chair led an open time of discussion around the proposed merger of the Plymouth and South Devon Formularies. There were comments regarding the process. There is a lot of historical content in both which needs to be refined. It was seen as a useful opportunity to re-define what a formulary is and a useful time to review the whole. Comments were made about using the CPGs to review; it was felt that the Formulary Group needs to lead the review processes, using the CPGs as part of that. The intention was agreed to move the formularies together and to provide a combined South and West Devon Formulary. Current members of both committees to contact Chris Roome with willingness to participate and preferred date or time.</p>
<p>Next meeting: The next meeting to take place in 6-8 weeks time. A proposal was made to meet at the Watermark in Ivybridge, a venue between Plymouth and Torbay.</p>

South and West Devon Formulary Group – Action log		
Date	Action	Responsible
April 2013	Review of antimicrobial guidance: To contact Selina Hoque (South Devon Hospital), Jim Greig (Plymouth Hospital) with a view to combining a review	GF
April 2013	MHRA Drug Safety Update To add the information about dabigatran to both formulary websites	CW
April 2013	Future Joint Working: Current members of both committees to contact Chris Roome with willingness to participate and preferred date or time.	