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Committee Health Overview and Scrutiny

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GENERAL UPDATE

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Recommendation: To note the update below:

Health bodies - Public meetings 2016

A list of forthcoming meeting dates for CCGs, Acute Trusts and Essex Mental Health Services is attached for your information (**Appendix 1**). If members attend any of these meetings can they please feed-back to the HOSC any significant or topical issues that may be of interest to the wider committee membership.

Local Clinical Commissioning Groups – news

Web addresses

<http://www.basildonandbrentwoodccg.nhs.uk/news>

<http://castlepointandrochfordccg.nhs.uk/news-a-events>

<http://www.midessexccg.nhs.uk/news-events>

<http://www.neessexccg.nhs.uk/News%20and%20Events/News/Current%20News.html>

<http://www.westessexccg.nhs.uk/news>

West Essex CCG

West Essex CCG has announced that Deborah Fielding will be their new Chief Officer effective Monday 15 August. She is currently Chief Officer at Wiltshire CCG, and previously been Deputy CEO at NHS Havering.

Castle Point and Rochford CCG

Castle Point and Rochford CCG are holding an 'Effective Local Engagement' event on Tuesday 19 July 2016. At this event, they will be explaining who they are and what they do as a CCG and asking for ideas on how they can effectively engage with the local community.

- Time: 2.30 to 4pm
- Venue: Audley Mills Education Centre, 57 Eastwood Road, Rayleigh SS6 7JF

If you would like to attend, please contact angela.wongkeet@nhs.net or 01268 464594 by Tuesday 12 July.

Primary care

Ongar Surgery

NHS England has previously advised that it had received a contract termination notice from Dr Luxman, at the Ongar Surgery, High Street, Ongar, Essex, CM5 9AA. Dr Luxman is a single handed GP with a current patient list size of 1,793.

Dr Luxman's practice is currently sited in the High Street in Ongar but there is a brand new purpose built medical centre at the Ongar War Memorial site (0.7 miles away) which was initially designed for a merged Ongar Practice where the Ongar Medical Centre GP surgery is based and the building is now underutilised.

NHS England has decided that there will be an-open list dispersal for the patients currently registered at the Ongar Surgery. NHS England will be writing to patients to ask them to register with a new practice by the 5th August 2016. Patients can register with any practice as long as they live within the practice catchment area. Some practices will accept patients outside their catchment area but this is at the discretion of the practice. There are other surgeries within the surrounding area that are accepting new patients. A list of these is provided below:

GP Name	Address
Ongar Health Centre	Ongar War Memorial Medical Centre, Fyfield Road, Ongar, CM5 0AL
The Limes Medical Centre	The Plain, Epping, CM16 6TL <i>Please note: The Limes have a branch surgery at North Weald - 67 Wheelers Farm Gardens, Epping, CM16 6HZ</i>
Dr A Perumpallil	Deal Tree Health Centre, Blackmore Road, Doddington, CM15 0HU

NHS England will be holding two patient information events as follows:

Thursday 14th July 2016 between 5pm & 7pm and
Wednesday 20th July 2016 between 1pm & 3pm

Sutherland Lodge Surgery, Chelmsford

NHS England have announced that Virgin Care Services has been identified as the preferred bidder to provide medical services for GP registered patients from the Sutherland Lodge Surgery from Friday 1 July 2016. The premises are currently being purchased by a property investment company and therefore patients will continue to be seen at Sutherland Lodge surgery.

All registered patients should receive a letter to inform them of the changes and provide advice and support. NHS England are working with the existing practice staff to ensure there will be minimal disruption to medical services during the transition and that patients will continue to have access to the same services.

Care Quality Commission

The Care Quality Commission has announced their scheduled inspection plans for July - September 2016. The inspections are categorised as follows:

Inspections being undertaken by the Hospitals Directorate:

- Acute Hospitals
- Mental Health Services (MH)
- Community Health Services (CHS)
- Independent Health Care Providers
- Substance Misuse Services (SMS)

Inspections being undertaken by the Primary Medical Services (PMS) Directorate:

- GP Practices
- GP Out of Hours
- 111 Services

Inspections being undertaken by Adult Social Care (ASC) Directorate:

- Community adult social care services
- Residential adult social care service
- Hospice services

Inspections in Essex:

Baddow Hospital, CM2 8HN	5 September 2016
The Chelmsford, CM2 0PP	18 September 2016
Nuffield Health Brentwood Hospital, CM15 8EH	26 September 2016
G4S Facilities Management (UK) Limited – Bardfield, CM7 4SL	28 July 2016
St Andrews Healthcare Essex, SS12 9JP	19 September 2016
NEPT SMS Services, CM2 6HE	23 August 2016
Passmores House, CM18 6YL	15 September 2016

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How to give feedback about the quality of care

Quality of *acute* services to hospitalinspections@cqc.org.uk,
Community health services to chinspections@cqc.org.uk and
Mental health services and *Specialist Substance Misuse* services to
mhinspections@cqc.org.uk .
primary care services to pmsinspections@cqc.org.uk.
independent health care services at any time to ihcinspections@cqc.org.uk
adult social care services via enquiries@cqc.org.uk

Primary medical services (GPs, out of hours services and dentists) and adult social care service inspections take place on a rolling programme across the country and are **not** announced individually.