

SHEFFIELD LOCAL MEDICAL COMMITTEE NEWSFLASH

2013/14 ENGLISH GP CONTRACT IMPOSITION SURVEY

All GPs should have recently received a communication from Dr Chaand Nagpaul, Chairman, General Practitioners Committee (GPC) launching a survey of English GPs on the impact of the imposed changes to the contract.

A copy of Dr Nagpaul's letter can be downloaded from the GPC website at:
<http://bma.org.uk/about-the-bma/how-we-work/negotiating-committees/general-practitioners-committee/chaand-nagpaul-letter-august-13>

The survey covers some vitally important areas such as:

- workload;
- morale;
- funding;
- expenses;
- levels of engagement with Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCGs);
- impact of changes to the Quality and Outcomes Framework (QOF);
- GPs' views on the new Directed Enhanced Services (DEs).

The GPC will use the survey results in the next round of GP contract negotiations with the Government to best represent the experiences and opinions of the profession.

Sheffield LMC Executive would urge all Sheffield GPs to spend a few minutes completing the survey, which can be accessed via:
<https://www.research.net/s/gpcsurvey001>

**Please note that the survey closes
at 12 pm on Monday 9 September 2013.**