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Pharmacy Practices Committee (02)
Minutes of the Meeting held on
Tuesday 24th March 2014 at 12.00pm
Meeting Room, Local Medical Committee Offices
New City Road, Glasgow
G4 9JT

PRESENT:	Dr Catherine Benton	Deputy Chair
	Mrs Catherine Anderton	Lay Member
	Mrs Margaret Dakers Thomson	Co-opted Lay Member
	Dr James Johnson	Non-contractor Pharmacist Member
	Mr Ian Mouat	Non-contractor Pharmacist Member
	Mr James Wallace	Non-contractor Pharmacist Member
	Mr Ewan Black	Contractor Pharmacist Member
	Mr Gordon Dykes	Contractor Pharmacist Member
	Mr Alasdair MacIntyre	Contractor Pharmacist Member
	Mr Colin Fergusson	Contractor Pharmacist Member
Ms Yvonne Williams	Co-opted Contractor Pharmacist Member	
IN ATTENDANCE:	Mrs Trish Cawley	Contracts Supervisor - Community Pharmacy Development Team
	Mr Robert Gillespie	Lead Pharmacist – Community Care
	Mrs Janine Glen	Contracts Manager – Community Pharmacy Development Team
	Mr David Thomson	Lead Pharmacist – Community Pharmacy Development and Governance

Prior to the consideration of business, the Chair asked members to indicate if they had an interest in any of the items to be discussed or if they were associated with a person who had a personal interest in any of the items to be considered by the Committee.

ACTION

Mr Colin Fergusson declared an interest in the following applications:

Item 6 – Suspension of Contract

Case No: PPC/SUS01/2014 – Red Road Pharmacy, 51 Red Road Court, Glasgow G21 4PL

The Chair agreed that as the above matters had already been considered outwith the Committee and their inclusion in the Agenda was solely so that the PPC could ratify decisions already taken, that there was no need for the member to leave the room.

1. Apologies

Apologies were received on behalf of Mr P Daniels, Councillor L Rebecchi, Mr P Hamilton, Mrs M Lynch and Mr R Finnie

2. Minutes

The minute of the meetings held on PPC[M]2014/01 was approved as an accurate record.

3. Matters arising not included in the Agenda

Mrs Glen gave the Committee an update on the following applications:

Case No: PPC/SUS01/2013 – Lloyds Pharmacy Ltd, 42-44 Huntington Square, Sighthill, Glasgow G21 1RL

The contractor was continuing efforts to identify alternative premises. They had been made aware of the deadline of 25th April 2014 to re-establish the provision of pharmaceutical services.

Case No: PPC/SUS02/2013 – Superdrug Stores, Unit 4/5 Parkhead Forge, Parkhead, Glasgow G31 4EB

The contractor is not providing NHS pharmaceutical services. The Board had received an application from the contractor to relocate into an alternative unit within the Forge Shopping Centre. The contractor was aware that services had to be re-established by 18th April 2014.

4. Minor Relocation

Case No: MRELOC02/2014 – Lloyds Pharmacy Ltd – Unit 19a Bridge Street, Linwood PA3 3DB

The Committee having previously been circulated with Paper 2014/13 noted that Lloydspharmacy had applied to relocate pharmaceutical services currently provided from Portacabin etc. Lloydspharmacy wished to move to alternative premises at Unit 19a, Bridge Street, Linwood PA3 3DB.

The Lead Pharmacist, Community Care considered that the application did not fulfil the criteria for minor relocation. The Greater Glasgow and Clyde Area Pharmaceutical Community Pharmacy Sub-committee considered that the application did fulfil the criteria for minor relocation.

The Committee noted that the pharmacy had initially been located within a shopping parade which was planned for redevelopment. The pharmacy had applied for a minor relocation into its present location to allow the development to take place. The current application involved relocation from a temporary facility into premises situated in the redeveloped shopping facility. Advice from the Board's adviser was that the redevelopment would serve a different neighbourhood population. Accordingly the Committee ~~were~~ was satisfied that the application did not fulfil the criteria for a minor relocation under Regulation 5 (4) of the National Health Service (Pharmaceutical Services) (Scotland) Regulations 2009 as amended.

DECIDED/-

The PPC was satisfied that the application from Lloydspharmacy did not fulfil the criteria required under Regulation 5(4) of the current Regulations. It was the unanimous decision of the PPC that the application be rejected.

**Contractor
Services
Supervisor**

5. **Matters Considered by the Chair**

Minor Relocations

Case No: PPC/MRELOC01/2014 – Red Road Pharmacy, Portakabin, Petershill Drive, Glasgow G21 4QJ

The Committee considered the action taken by the Chairman on an application for a minor relocation of a NHS Dispensing contract held by Red Road Pharmacy to relocate from 51 Red Road Court, Glasgow G21 4PL to the above address.

The Committee noted that the application fulfilled the criteria for a minor relocation under Regulation 5 (4) of the National Health Service (Pharmaceutical Services) (Scotland) Regulations 2009 as amended.

The Committee noted that the Chairman had granted the application, having been satisfied that the application fulfilled the requirements laid down in the Pharmaceutical Regulations.

NOTED/-

Case No: PPC/MRELOC03/2014 – Superdrug Stores Plc, Unit 42 Parkhead Forge Shopping Centre, Glasgow G31 4EB

The Committee considered the action taken by the Chairman on an application for a minor relocation of a NHS Dispensing contract held by Superdrug Stores Plc to relocate from Unit 4/5 Parkhead Forge Shopping Centre, Glasgow G31 4EB to the above address.

The Committee noted that the application fulfilled the criteria for a minor relocation under Regulation 5 (4) of the National Health Service (Pharmaceutical Services) (Scotland) Regulations 2009 as amended.

The Committee noted that the Chairman had granted the application, having been satisfied that the application fulfilled the requirements laid down in the Pharmaceutical Regulations.

NOTED/-

6. **Change of Ownership**

Case No: PPC/CO01/2014 – PRP Shelf 11.0 Ltd – 11 Fieldhead Square, Eastwood, Glasgow G42 1HL

The Board had received an application from PRP Shelf 11.0 Ltd for inclusion in the Board's Pharmaceutical List at a pharmacy previously listed as Reach Pharmacy at the address given above. The change of ownership was effective from 24th February 2014.

The Committee was advised that the level of service was not reduced by the new contractor and that the new contractor was suitably registered with the General Pharmaceutical Council.

Given the above, the PPC agreed that the application could be granted in terms of Regulation 4 of the current Pharmaceutical Regulations.

AGREED/-

7. Temporary Cessation of Service

Case No: PPC/SUS01/2014 – Red Road Pharmacy – 51 Red Road Court, Glasgow G21 4PL

The Committee considered a notification submitted by Red Road Pharmacy, to temporarily suspend provision of NHS services at their premises situated at 51 Red Road Court, Glasgow G21 4PL.

From the paper, the Committee were aware of the circumstances that had led to Red Road Pharmacy making this application. It was considered that all reasonable steps had been taken to retain a pharmaceutical presence in the area, however due to circumstances wholly outwith their control, the company had been required to close their pharmacy and were currently trying to identify suitable alternative premises in the neighbourhood from which to re-establish services.

NOTED/-

i) **The Committee noted the temporary cessation of NHS pharmaceutical services by this contractor.**

8. Any Other Competent Business

None.

9. Date of Next Meeting

The date for the next meeting dealing with Section 2 business would be communicated to members in due course.

The meeting ended at 1.00 pm