

May 2016 update from the LMC

BMA Parliamentary Urgent Prescription for General Practice - Wednesday 25th May 2016

On Wednesday 25th May, the West Pennine LMC's Chair Dr Peter Wright will be attending a parliamentary afternoon tea hosted by Sir Kevin Barron MP. This is the LMC's opportunity to meet with local MPs and peers to highlight the issues and challenges facing General Practice in the West Pennine area.

If there are any particular issues you wish to be raised at this forum, please do e-mail them to westpenninelmc@btconnect.com.

Revalidation guidance

The RCGP have recently published new guidance on the Revalidation process. The guidance can be located on the West Pennine LMC website, www.westpenninelmc.org.uk or via the following link to the RCGP website:

<http://www.rcgp.org.uk/revalidation/new-revalidation-guidance-for-gps.aspx>

AGM

Thank you to those of you who came to last week's AGM. I'm sure you'll agree it was an entertaining and inspiring evening. It was well attended with representation from the CCGs, NHS England Area Team and secondary care.

GPS of Note

At the AGM, the LMC took great pleasure in acknowledging the outstanding work of two GP colleagues. Dr Andy Hershon from the Hattersley Group Practice and Dr John Kelly from the Royton & Crompton Practice both received a GP of Note award.

If you have any queries about the above, or any other issues relating to primary care, please do not hesitate to contact us at westpenninelmc@btconnect.com