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## Who we are

We are a group of patients registered with St John's Medical Centre who have no medical training but have an interest in the services provided.

We provide an opportunity for patients to get more involved in the practice and influence the way services are provided.

The NHS requires every practice to have a PPG.

## How can I get involved?

There are various ways to get involved.

## Joining the PPG

Would you like to have a say about the services provided at the practice?

We would like to hear your views.

We aim to gather members from as broad a spectrum as possible to get a true representation.

St John's Medical Centre  
Patients Participation  
Group (PPG) Information  
leaflet.

# Help us to help you!



You are welcome to come along to one of our quarterly meetings and see us in action! There is a PPG notice board in the waiting room display information, and on the practice web site at [www.stjohnsmedical.co.uk](http://www.stjohnsmedical.co.uk)

## Being a virtual group member

If you can't make face-to-face meetings or are caring for someone and unable to leave them, you can still be kept informed, give your views, and participate by being a virtual group member.

We will contact you from time to time via email and keep out surveys succinct so it shouldn't take too much of your time. You will also receive via email our Newsletters and Minutes of the PPG and you can send us your comments back via email.

## Making a donation

The PPG aims to provide medical or nursing equipment that would not be easily available on the NHS, to improve the health or quality of life of St John's Medical Centre's patients.

We receive no NHS funding and rely entirely on fundraising activities and patients' donations. If you would like to make a donation, then please get in touch.

## Becoming a local business supporter

If you are a local business you can support us in many ways, from donating raffle prizes, holding a Tombola in your premises to sponsoring one of our fundraising activities. We would also be happy to discuss other options and ideas with you.

## Yes, please, I want to:

*Please tick your preference(s):*

Join the Patient Participation Group (PPG) .....

Be a virtual group member .....

Make a donation .....

Be a local business supporter .....

## Your details

Name and Surname:

Company name (if applicable)

Address (if applicable)

Tel no.:

Mobile no.:

Email:

Please tear off this part of the leaflet and hand to Reception at St John's Medical Centre or email [sjmcppg@gmail.com](mailto:sjmcppg@gmail.com)

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