

The Royd Family Welcome You to the Glenroyd Medical's PPG Website

Containing copies of our Quarterly Newsletters since the first copy
in April 2018, showing glimpses of the work of your
PPG (Patient Participation Group) and News of the Practice -
Such as the Retirement of Dr. Janet Nolan, in September 2020,
who will be greatly missed.

The 'Newsletters' have evolved overtime from an ideas of Bill's, Illustrated and edited
by Elaine; together they have tackled a number of relevant subjects into paper copies
Available FREE at both surgeries, now each copy can be seen here.

*The first Patient Participation Group was set up by a GP in 1972 and many General
Practices in England now have a PPG. Generally made up of a group of Volunteer Patients,
the Practice Manager and one or more of the GPs from the practice. They meet on a regular
basis to discuss the services on offer, and how improvements can be made for the benefit of
patients and the practice. There is no set way in which they work - the aims and work of each
group entirely depends on local needs - but they all have the aim of making sure that their practice
puts the patient, and improving health, at the heart of everything it does.*

If there is a subject you would like the Newsletter/ Website to cover, contact us by e-mailing
'Roy' at GlenroydPPG@hotmail.com OR
To Bill or Elaine (their email addresses on the last page of each Newsletter.)

Our Aim is to Provide Relevant & Informative News For Everyone

NEWSLETTER SUBJECTS COVERED SO FAR :-

- April 2018** - 'Why do Patients Miss Surgery Appointments?'
- Summer 2018** - 'Keeping Drugs away from Children;' 'The Benefits of your Local Chemist'
- Autumn 2018** - 'Germ Zone' - 'Coughs and Sneezes spread Diseases'
- Spring 2019** - 'Steps to Health'; Measure your Obesity
- Summer 2019** - 'Barbecue Time': 'Cancer Screening' - Breast, Cervical, Prostate, Bowel, Ovarian and AAA
- Autumn 2019** - 'What is the PPG' (Patient Participation Group) & What do they do? 'Vaccination of Children'
- Winter 2019** - 'Preparing the Christmas Meal,' 'A Stroke Survivor NOT a Victim.'
- Spring 2020** -- 'Race for Their Lives' - Smoking; 'Dietary Help for Type 2 Diabet
- Every Edition** : - 'News from Glenroyd Medical's Surgeries,' - eg. Staff changes, Flu Jabs, etc
- 'Fun Page' - with Puzzles, Quizzes and Strange but True? - for all ages

Many More Subjects and Stories in the future. If you would like to write a small Articles about may be -
"What it is like to Live With; Recover from; or Care For Someone, with an Infection or a Disease,"
Please get in touch we would love to hear from you- **Contact details above**

**We Hope you find something of Interest in the Newsletters and/or this New PPG Website
Take Care and Stay Safe**