

Sharing Success!

West Wakefield Primary Care Network (PCN) Market Place Event

On Wednesday 16th July 2025, the CPWY team attended the West Wakefield PCN Market Place Event to raise awareness of how GP practices can utilise community pharmacy services to improve access for patients. The event was attended by around 150 delegates, comprised of staff from all the GP practices in the PCN area.

The event comprised a 'market place' where staff from the practices were able to browse the various stalls featuring the work of local service providers and community support groups. The CPWY stall was well attended and allowed CPWY staff to answer questions and make appointments for follow up meetings with surgeries.

Throughout the course of the day, GP practice staff also heard presentations from CPWY and others. The presentation from CPWY provided an update on Pharmacy First, Hypertension Case-Finding and Pharmacy Contraception services, with a specific focus on West Wakefield PCN and the opportunities for GP practices and community pharmacies to collaborate more closely in the future.



The event was a fantastic opportunity for CPWY to showcase the work pharmacies have done locally to support the Primary Care Access Recovery Plan and to encourage greater use of those services by GPs to improve access for patients.

We received complimentary feedback throughout the day from GPs and practice staff about the services provided by local pharmacies and in particular the success of Pharmacy First.



If you are interested in finding out how CPWY can support your PCN, or are interested in the role of Community Pharmacy PCN Lead, please contact us (details to the right). Similarly, if there are any similar events planned in your area in the future, please reach out to us as we would be happy to provide support.





