

Martock and South Petherton Patient Participation Group

Facebook, vPPG and Website editorial policy

This policy relates to the Martock and South Petherton Patient Participation Group's management of its vPPG, Facebook Page and material placed on the PPG section of the Practice's website.

Where content is relating to the operations of the medical or administrative operations of the Martock and South Petherton Practice it will either be at the specific direction of the Practice Manager or their Deputy. Other medical information or guidance may only be directly copied from or linked to recognised and authoritative sources such as the NHS, HMG and local health authorities.

Any information that is specific to the operations and administration of the MSPPPG is the responsibility of the Martock and South Petherton PPG Facebook administrators and the administrators of the vPPPG. This may include, but not exclusively, advertising meetings and events, recruitment of volunteers, fundraising for equipment agreed by the MSPPPG Committee and the Practice and publishing minutes of meetings.

Members of the PPG editorial team will not engage in responses from patients that are hostile, provocative, defamatory, sexist or deemed inappropriate. Any postings that are considered to be racist, homophobic or otherwise deemed illegal shall be reported to the appropriate authorities.