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Please join us for online Q and A and share feedback

Dear

You will recall we wrote to you about planned changes to help widen the mental health support available to you and other patients living with long-term health conditions.

We would like to invite you to hear from representatives from the clinical commissioning groups (CCGs), Leicestershire Partnership NHS Trust (LPT) and Leicester's Hospitals (UHL).

As Covid-19 restrictions prevent us from organising face- to-face meetings this will be an online meeting with a presentation to explain the proposals, followed by a Q and A session where you can ask questions and share any feedback.

This meeting will be hosted via **Microsoft Teams**. To participate all you need is internet access and a suitable device (eg laptop or tablet or mobile). Presentation slides might be harder to read on a mobile but slides can be shared with you and you can still participate.

To join us please type the relevant link below into your web browser, on the date and time specified. You will not need any special equipment and can use your keyboard to ask questions

Session 1: 17 November noon – 1pm

Join us by typing the following into your internet browser: tinyurl.com/y3jf52m6

Session 2: 19 November 6pm - 7pm

Join us by typing the following into your internet browser: tinyurl.com/y6e6n7yf

Other ways you can find out more and feedback on plans

If you cannot or prefer not to attend an online session please do not worry. There are other ways you can learn more and ask questions or comment on these plans.

- **Visit our website**– www.leicspart.nhs.uk and download an engagement document (You can find this from the home page by clicking on 'Involving You' then 'Your Views' and then 'Planned changes for mental health provision in Leicester's Hospitals' You can fill in an online form and email it to

LTPatientExperience@leicspart.nhs.uk or print it off, complete and return through the post via a Freepost address – see below.

- **By post:** You can also request a printed copy is sent to you via post by calling 0116 2950818. The document includes a feedback sheet which you can return to us by post to FREEPOST LPT Patient Experience (This is the full address).
- Alternative formats can be provided on request.

This engagement period runs from **Monday 9 November until Monday 21 December**. We will publish the outcome on our website from Monday 11 January 2021.

If you have any further questions or special requirements to take part in the online session, please email LTPatientExperience@leicspart.nhs.uk or call 0116 2950818.

Yours sincerely

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