# Themes emerging from patient, service user & carer health and care experiences

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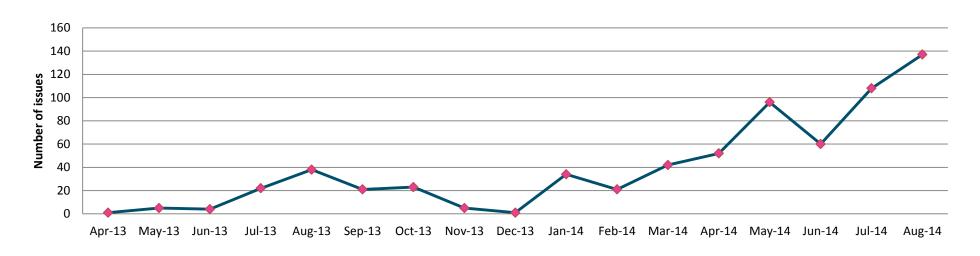
Brian Wookey, Director and representative on Health Scrutiny Committee in attendance



## Increase in activity



#### **Monthly Issues Received**



#### Current research work

#### GP – Did Not Attend:

- 38 GP Surgeries responded, from even geographical and demographic spread across Lincolnshire
- 428 patients responded, from even geographical and demographic spread across Lincolnshire
- 60% of practices have text message appointment reminders and 75% had email appointment reminders
- 80% of practices have online booking appointment systems in place
- 33% of patients who failed to attend 'forgot'





## **GP Did Not Attend** continued

CCG area	Average number of appointments per month	Average DNAs	Average DNA rate
East	3315	159.94	5.23%
South	5386	198.51	4.34%
South West	3180	115.13	3.72%
West	2965	140.53	5.12%

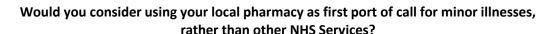
- Average number of missed appointments in Lincolnshire at GP practice is 184,224
- Average cost of missed appointments in Lincolnshire is £6.6m
- ? If this is the cost for GP appointments what might be the cost to other health and care services

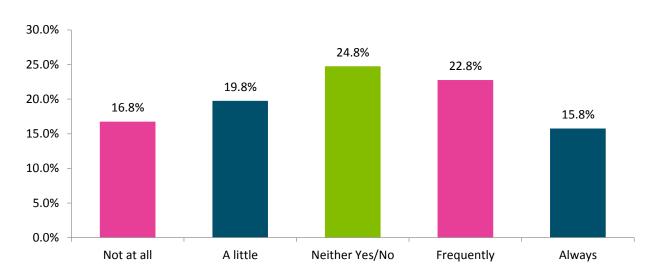
# Pharmacy



- Supporting a request from Pharmacy LPN as part of a national consultation exercise looking into the use of pharmacies
- 101 patients completed a complex survey
- Complement the Lincolnshire Pharmaceutical Needs Assessment

"The fact that my pharmacy is local is very important"





# Young People



- Request as part of the CQC Looked After Children's Inspection Dec 2013
- 1,314 young people between the ages of 11-18 (small number up to 25)
- Key issues:
  - Self-harm 20.5% of young people admitted to self harming with bullying, problems with school or family and depression being the main reasons
  - Bullying half of the respondents had been bullied
  - Young carer 16.5% identified themselves as a young carer
  - Drug use 74% of young people are satisfied with the services available to help them stop using illegal drugs.
  - Smoking 23% of respondents smoke or have tried smoking
  - Alcohol 52.1% of 11 to 15 year olds have consumed alcohol of these 10.6% drink at home alone

### Mental health



- Survey currently open, closes 7<sup>th</sup> November 2014
- Asking current service users what are their personal views of mental health services – medical and support
- Asking patients waiting for assessments/treatments how long they have been waiting
- Aligning this with Public Health Mental Health Needs Analysis and Mental Health Strategy

# Emerging issues and themes



- Over 30 areas of operational activities:
  - Cancer Services
  - Better awareness for patient, service users and carers of complaints/patient choice
  - Men's health
  - Care Act 2014
  - Patient transport
  - Enter & View visits