Agenda for Meeting of the General Medical Care Sub-Committee of the Central Medical Advisory Committee

Thursday 11th May 2006 Date: Venue: **Room C3.18 Castle Buildings** Time: 2pm 1. Welcome & Apologies

2. Matters Arising Minutes of previous meeting - Wednesday 2nd November 2005

Papers

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3. Primary and Community Care Infrastructure 2/06 Speaker - Dr Jim Livingstone (to be tabled)

4. ICATS Speaker - Dr Hubert Curran 3/06

6. Primary Care Strategy Progress Report 4/06 Speaker - To be confirmed (to be tabled)

7. Multiple Dispensing Update 5/06 Speaker - Tom Robinson (to be tabled)

8. Review of Public Administration 6/06 (to be tabled)

9. Clinical and Social Care Governance 7/06 Speaker - Dr K Booth (power point presentation)

10. Nomination to Pharmacy Strategy Implementation Committee 8/06

11. Nomination to Pharmacy Strategy Implementation Committee 9/06

12. AOB - NICAM Update

13. Date of Next Meeting

Items for Information:

Correspondence on Neuroleptic Prescribing Correspondence on administration of Zoladex Injections A Strategic France work for Prescriptory Strategic Proposed for Prescribing for Presc	Annex A Annex B
A Strategic Framework for Respiratory Strategy Safety Framework	Annex C Annex D
Minutes of Hospital Service Sub-Committee of CMAC meeting	Annex E

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Minutes

Present:

Dr John Porteous

Dr Liz Mitchell Dr Kathryn Booth Dr Hubert Curran Dr Denis Boyd Dr Sean Wilson

Dr Kevin Cosgrove (in place of Dr Bill McConnell)

Dr Robert Thomson
Dr JE Donnelly

In Attendance:

Mrs Katrina O'Dowd

Dr Jim Livingstone Mr Tom Robinson

Apologies:

Professor Reilly

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Mrs Christine Jendoubi Dr Brian Dunn

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Dr Jeni McAughey Dr John Jenkins

Dr DJ Johnston

Dr Stephen Bailie

Dr Anna Gavin Dr Agnes McKnight

Dr Terry McMurray

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5. Primary Care Strategy Progress Report

6. Multiple/Interval Dispensing Update

7. Review of Public Administration

A brief overview of PRA was given. It was noted that the biggest issue in the HPSS was staff. The group conveyed the feeling that communications with GPs needed to be improved especially as they may need to begin planning for changes in the future.

Action: Dr Mitchell to look into getting the 'Making It Happen' newsletter distributed to all GPs.

8. Clinical and Social Care Governance

Dr Booth gave a brief review of what happened in 2005/06. She stated that virtually all practices had participated in the baseline assessment; development gaps had been identified, required amendments to the portfolio noted and Board were now working on developing a regional GP policy. Dr Booth went on to explain that in 2006/07, GP practices would be receiving a report and an updated 'living' portfolio and that all Board would be making a commitment to training and development. While there was a positive reaction to the work, there was some feeling that Clinical and Social Care Governance should be linked to appraisal in an effort to avoid duplication. The report was also welcomed as it was felt that it would clarify some issues, however, it was noted that there was still issues regarding the overall report as Boards did not want it to become a 'league table'. Dr Booth stated that she was meeting GPC on 26th May to discuss the issue.

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