**ST THOMAS ROAD SURGERY**

**PATIENT PARTICIPATION GROUP**

**Minutes of Meeting**

**THURSDAY 8th May 2014.**

1. **Present:** Dr D G Roberts. Nick Brown, Practice Manager. Jan Power, Chairman. Christine Gill, Secretary. Margaret Roberts, Tony Lumb.
2. **Apologies:** Graham Isherwood, Dick Taylor, Janice Cameron, Mick Clayton, Anna Walters.
3. Jan Power announced that the meeting that she had attended on the 6th May was ‘Shambolic’ No-one was prepared to give proper answers to any questions.

Ward 43 at Pinderfields had been closed because of problems and the ward was being refurbished and was to be re-opened as a ward for dementia patients. The staff /patient ratio was to be reviewed.

1. Dr. Roberts reported that no further progress had been made with regard to G.P. contracts. It was planned that groups of surgeries such as Featherstone, Normanton, Streethouse and Sharlston would be grouped together for weekend work.
2. There was to be internet access for ‘on-line’ booking of appointments and for ordering prescriptions. This was not yet fully operational.
3. The survey relating to people’s experiences of the services offered by the Practice was to continue.
4. **Date and time of the next meeting:** Thursday 10th July at 1.00 pm