

Update on public consultation

Future of contracts at three GP practices

Options for the future of two GP practices in Sandwell and one in West Birmingham

- Malling Health*, Parsonage Street, West Bromwich
- Malling Health Great Bridge Health Centre, West Bromwich
- Summerfield GP and Urgent Care Centre*, Winson Green, Birmingham

6 week consultation being developed to launch in February

** This consultation is only about the GP practice element.*

Case for change

- These 3 GP practices all have APMS or alternative provider medical services contracts
- This type of contract often provides for additional services to the standard GP contract
- These contracts are temporary and they are due to expire on 31st March 2019
- We are therefore looking at what services we need to commission to meet the needs of local patients, now and in the future.

Consultation approach

- Comprehensive consultation document
- Online and paper questionnaires
- Six public meetings in community venues near to the three practices
- Letters to all patients at these three practices and to other local stakeholders
- Media and social media presence