



ABOUT THIS REPORT

This report examines the patient experience of GP Practices in Leyton & Leytonstone.

Service categories analysed include 'Appointment Booking' (the ability to get appointments), 'Getting There' (catchment and travel), 'Wait at Appointment '(waiting times and environment), 'Clinical Treatment' (quality of treatment including choice and involvement in decisions), 'Staff Attitude' (attitude of receptionists, clinicians & nurses), 'Administration' (back office/administrative functions) and 'Communication' (advice and information including language and sensory requirements). These categories have been chosen by GP Practice Managers.

The Coding

The comments have been coded using a nationally recognised coding matrix, which applies issue, care pathway location, and (positive, neutral or negative) sentiment. Quality assurance of coding is ensured through the Healthwatch Waltham Forest Patient Experience Panel.

The Tables

The Practices receiving the largest quantities of issues are displayed at each of the tables. This will mean different Practices feature on different tables, dependent on how many issues have been received on any given topic. See Annex 1 for a summary of all Practices.

Disclaimer

The trends within this report are based on service user comments we have obtained from sources outlined in Section 1. Comments obtained from these sources may not be representative of all service users experiences or opinions.

SECTION 1: REPORT CONTENT

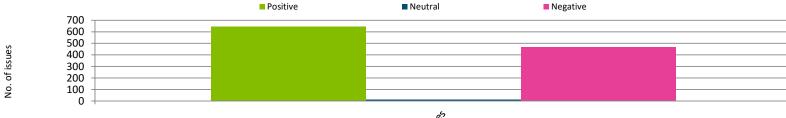
1.1: Reporting Period:

Healthwatch Waltham Forest has identified 1128 issues about local GP services during the reporting period.

This report identifies the data origin (Section 1.2), the top trends (Section 2) and analyses each trend (Section 3).

From: 01/07/2017 To: 30/06/2018

1.2: Data Origin







The Data in this Report

This analysis is based on comments obtained from NHS Choices.

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Report Date: 20/06/2018

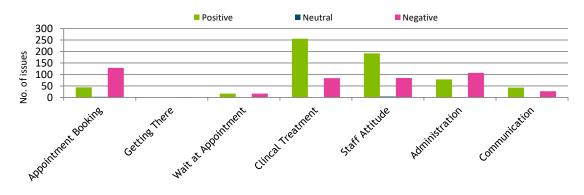
SECTION 2: TOP OVERALL TRENDS

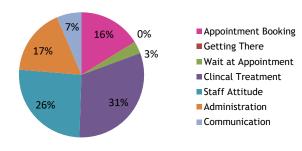
2.1 Sentiment:

Overall patient sentiment is 57% positive.
At 31%, Clinical Treatment is the most commented on service aspect, followed by Staff Attitude (26%) and Administration (17%).
Appointment Booking receives the most negativity as a topic.

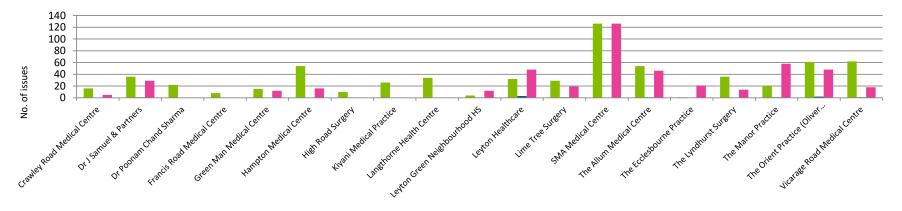


2.2 Most Reported Aspects of Service:





2.3 Practices Receiving the Most Issues Overall:



Practices

Comments suggest sentiment at most practices is positive overall, with some exceptions.

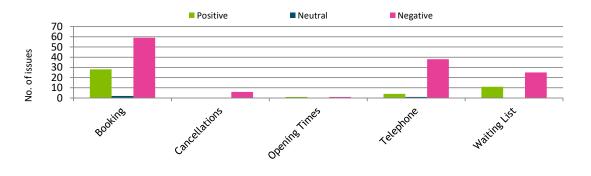
SECTION 3.1: APPOINTMENT BOOKING

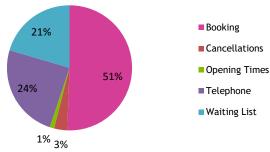
3.1.1 Sentiment:

Appointment Booking is the largest negative trend overall, with positivity at just 25%. Many patients express discontent about booking systems and the inability to get appointments when required. There is also widespread dissatisfaction with telephone systems, which become congested at certain times of day. Some patients wait days (or more) to see a GP.

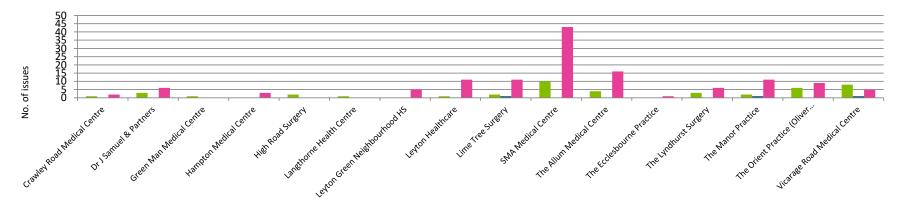


3.1.2: All Aspects of Appointment Booking:





3.1.3 Practices Receiving the Most Issues Overall:



Practices

SMA Medical Centre receives a notable volume and ratio of negative comments.

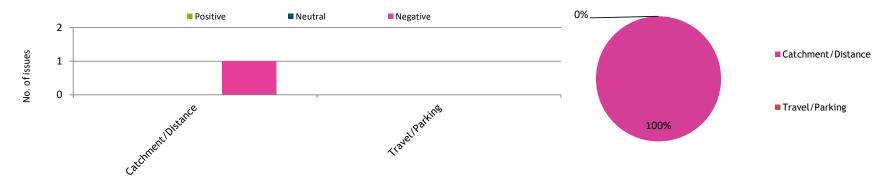
SECTION 3.2: GETTING THERE

3.2.1 Sentiment:

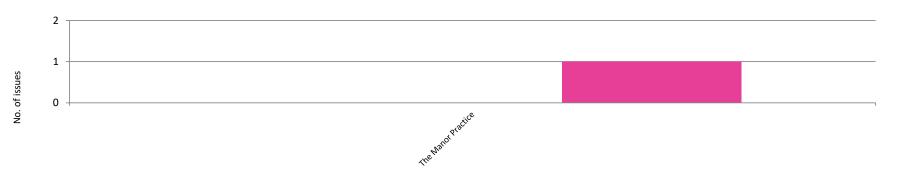
Just 1 comment is about getting to appointments/catchment. Therefore, this is not considered a major issue locally for patients.



3.2.2: All Aspects of Getting There:



3.2.3 Practices Receiving the Most Issues Overall:



Practices

No practices receive a notable quantity of comments.

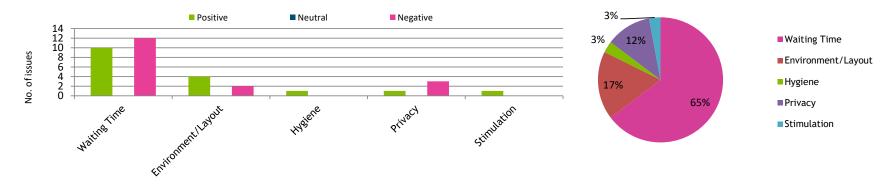
SECTION 3.3: WAIT AT APPOINTMENT

Wait at Appointment receives 3% of issues overall and sentiment is mixed. Sentiment about waiting times at appointments is mixed, comments suggest.

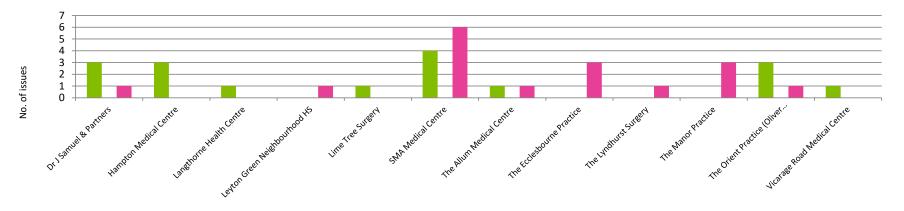
3.3.1 Sentiment:



3.3.2: All Aspects of Wait at Appointment:



3.3.3 Practices Receiving the Most Issues Overall:



Practices

No practices receive a notable quantity of comments.

SECTION 3.4: CLINICAL TREATMENT

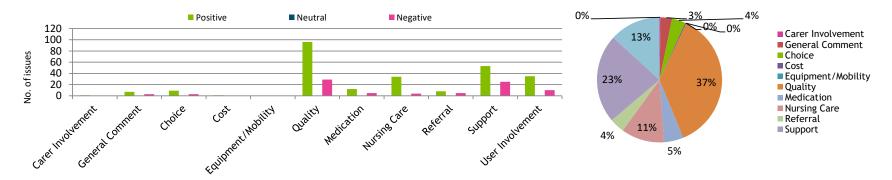
3.4.1 Sentiment:

Receiving 31% of issues overall, Clinical Treatment is the largest trend, and broadly positive in sentiment.

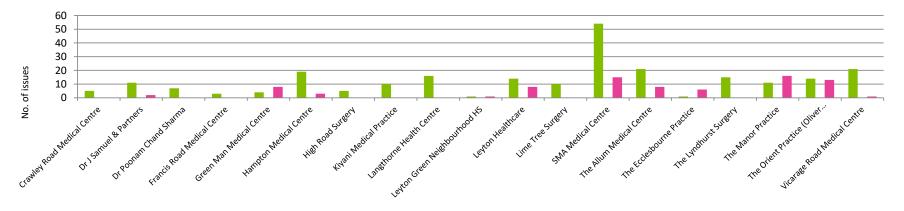
Comments suggest patients are largely positive about the quality of treatment and support received, and feel involved in decisions.



3.4.2: All Aspects of Clinical Treatment:



3.4.3 Practices Receiving the Most Issues Overall:



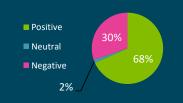
Practices

SMA Medical Centre receives a notable volume and ratio of positive comments.

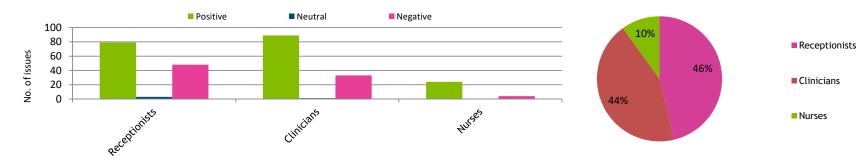
SECTION 3.5: STAFF ATTITUDE

3.5.1 Sentiment:

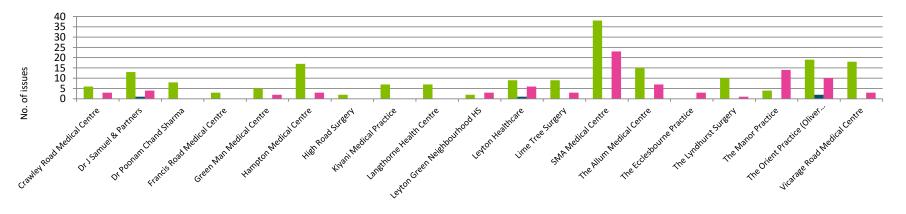
With 26% of issues overall, patients consider Staff Attitude to be an important aspect of service. Sentiment is clearly positive for Clinicians and Nurses, and marginally so for Receptionists, according to comments.



3.5.2: All Aspects of Staff Attitude:



3.5.3 Practices Receiving the Most Issues Overall:



Practices

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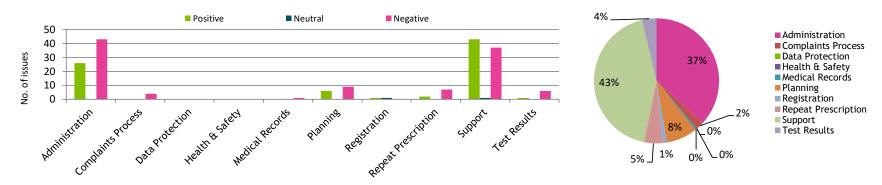
SECTION 3.6: ADMINISTRATION

3.6.1 Sentiment:

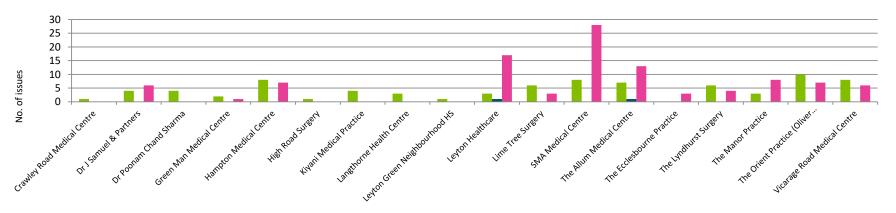
Administration receives 17% of issues overall and sentiment is 57% negative. Sentiment on general administration is marginally negative, while mixed on (front desk) support.



3.6.2: All Aspects of Administration:



3.6.3 Practices Receiving the Most Issues Overall:



Practices

SMA Medical Centre and Leyton Healthcare receive a notable volume and ratio of negative comments.

SECTION 3.7: COMMUNICATION

3.7.1 Sentiment:

Communication receives 7% of issues overall and is 61% positive in sentiment.

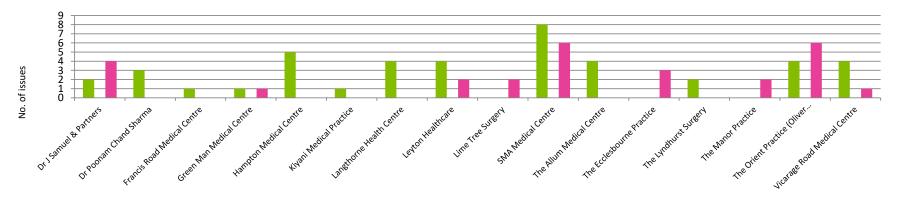
The vast majority of issues are about access to advice and information and sentiment is marginally positive.



3.7.2: All Aspects of Communication:



3.7.3 Practices Receiving the Most Issues Overall:



Practices

No practices receive a notable quantity of comments.