

## Minutes of Sepsis Cross Party Group

17<sup>th</sup> October 2017

12.15-1.15pm

### Present:

Angela Burns (Chair), Terence Canning (Secretariat), Janet Finch Saunders AM, Michael Bryan, Peter Wong, Becky Dayley (Julie Morgan office), Richard Cole (Chair of Pembroke show / sepsis survivor), Mr and Mrs Steve and Bernie Day (daughter passed away), Jane Carpenter, Rob Carpenter, Dr Paul Morgan, Tracey Laight (UK Sepsis Trust / sepsis survivor), Vanessa Jones (Nurse)

- Meeting opened with AB welcoming everyone to the meeting and setting out the Agenda.
- Jane Carpenter asked to address the meeting and provide an update on how recovery and rehabilitation is progressing since the group last heard from her.
- Other sufferers offered their personal stories of contracting Sepsis. Mr and Mrs Day told the group about how they recently lost their daughter Rachel from the disease.
- AB updated the group on the work that had been undertaken trying to build up a profile of how GP surgeries tackled and identified Sepsis. Noted the disappointing level of response. Discussion ensued as to how this could be addressed going forward.
- AB stressed the need to have some tangible outcomes from the group and discussion took place and what we would like to see happen. It was agreed that a sub group would meet consisting of TC, AB, PM and report back to the group with action that had been agreed upon.

It was agreed that the next meeting would host the AGM in the New Year.

Meeting closed at 1.25pm.