



Shropshire & Mid Wales  
Cancer Forum

## Notes of Meeting 10<sup>th</sup> May 2016

**Attendance:** Sian, Edith Macalister project manager Macmillan cancer support T&W CCG, Adele, Roger, Colin, Clare

**Apologies:** Irene, Vicky (Macmillan), Angie, Julia, sue, Jessica, Rob

**As a patient with Cancer, did you know-** amended to A5 size, needs to arrange printing.

**Hospital food** – Sian and Clare reported back on their positive visit with the hospital. Shrewsbury site prepares food on site, while Telford buys in from Newcross Hospital. Telford hospital has food trolleys that can be fridge one side and heated the other. Lots of work has been done on reducing food waste. Long term aim to stop producing food on the Shrewsbury site. Extensive menu options available. Sian & Clare invited to view both sites in action.

**Digital health programme** Rachel Thanked Rob and Roger for their continued support with the digital health pilot.

**Hamar Centre “Whats on” board** – a new information sheet was put up on the board with a more prominent logo and information

**Health & wellbeing events** –Edith was able to share with the group the plans for these events. Monthly alternating between Telford and Shrewsbury. Starting 9:30 finishing 11:00. Programme consisting of 12 5 or 10 minutes slots with talk in each slot. (No scheduled breaks). The group fedback their suggestions. First event 22<sup>nd</sup> June.

**Outreach event** – much discussion on the running an outreach event, 3 aims:

- to provide information on cancer services / support available,
- to get informal feedback,
- to raise awareness of the forum.

Sian & Clare had visited some venues, their preferred choice was not available and the Wellington Methodist church is now being visited.

Action, view venues & check availability & prices

**NEXT MEETING: TUESDAY 13<sup>th</sup> September, HAMAR CENTRE, ROYAL SHREWSBURY HOSPITAL, SHREWSBURY**