



How we can make sure services have the same rules

What do you think?



**Tell us what
you think
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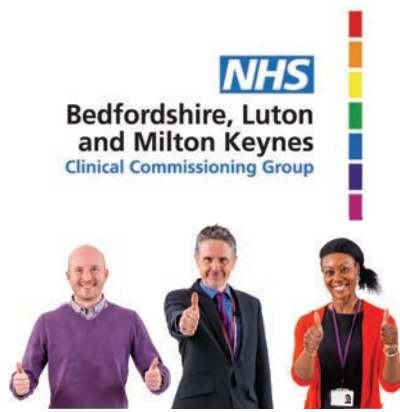
1. Do you think the
idea is a good one?

☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ Not sure

Bedfordshire, Luton and Milton Keynes



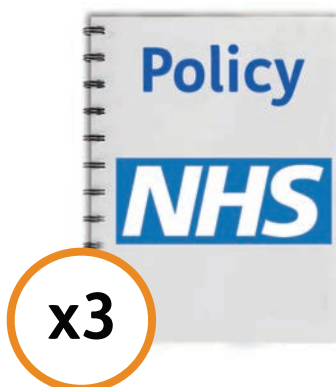
Bedfordshire, Luton and Milton Keynes CCG's have joined together to become 1 big CCG. We are called **BLMK CCG**.



Now we have joined together we need to make sure we do things in the same way.



We looked at all of the policies we each have. Policies are rules and advice we follow when we do things.



There are 3 policies that have big differences in the way we all do things:

- **Fertility Services Policy**
- **Gluten Free Food Policy**
- **Pharmacy First Scheme Policy**



We have some ideas about what we can do to make our policies the same.



We want to know what you think about our ideas.



Read our easy read booklet that tells you about our ideas. Then answer our questions.



You need to send your answers back to us by:

**12am midnight on
Tuesday 21 December 2021**



Question 1: Which policy are you most interested in?

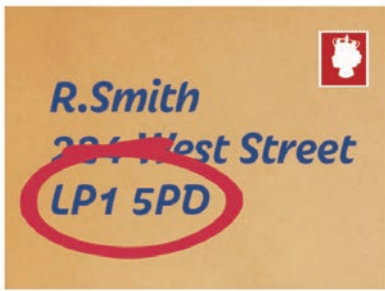
- ☐ Fertility Services Policy
- ☐ Gluten Free Food Policy
- ☐ Pharmacy First Scheme Policy
- ☐ I am more interested in how BLMK CCG spends its money

Question 2: Which area do you live in?

Tick 1 box

- ☐ Bedfordshire
- ☐ Luton
- ☐ Milton Keynes

Other. Please tell us:



Question 3: Your postcode is the letters and numbers at the end of your address.

What is the first part of your postcode?

Fertility Services Policy

Question 4: Tick **1** box to tell us if you are:



- ☐ using fertility services now
- ☐ used fertility services in the past
- ☐ family or friend of someone who is using or has used fertility services
- ☐ thinking you might need to use fertility services in the future
- ☐ just interested in fertility services



Other. Please tell us:



Question 5: We want fertility services to work the same in each of our areas. Which of our ideas do you think is best?

Tick the idea you think is best.

☐ **Idea 1**



We will let more people use fertility services.



We will only offer 1 try at IVF in all of our 3 areas.



This means people in Luton will not get 3 tries at IVF anymore.



☐ Idea 2

We will let more people use fertility services.



We will offer 3 tries of IVF in all of our areas.



This means people in Bedfordshire and Milton Keynes will get more tries at IVF.



Question 6: Is there anything else you want to tell us about who should use fertility services?

Gluten Free Food Policy

Question 7: Tick 1 box to tell us if you are:

☐

getting gluten free food on prescription

☐

had gluten free food on prescription in the past

☐

a family or friend of someone who has or had gluten free food on prescription

☐

just interested in gluten free food

Other. Please tell us:

Question 8: We want gluten free prescriptions to work the same in each of our areas. Which of our ideas do you think is best?



Tick the idea you think is best.

Idea 1

We will stop giving prescriptions for gluten free bread and flour in Luton.

This will make it the same as Bedfordshire and Milton Keynes.



People on Universal Credit and Pension Credit will still get gluten free bread and flour for free.



We will still give people free gluten free food if you can show:

- you cannot afford it

and

- you would be very ill if you did not get it





☐ Idea 2

Give people in all 3 areas free prescriptions for gluten free bread and flour.



Question 9: Is there anything else you want to say about prescriptions for gluten free food?

Pharmacy First Scheme Policy

Question 10: Tick 1 box to tell us if you are:



- ☐ using the Pharmacy First Scheme
- ☐ someone who has used the Pharmacy First Scheme in the past
- ☐ family or friend of someone who uses or has used the Pharmacy First Scheme
- ☐ just interested in the Pharmacy First Scheme

Other. Please tell us:

Question 11: Keeping the Pharmacy First Scheme. Which of our ideas do you think is best?



Tick the idea you think is best.



☐ Idea 1

We will stop the Pharmacy First Scheme in Milton Keynes. This means it will be the same as Bedfordshire and Luton.



☐ Idea 2

We will keep the Pharmacy First Scheme in Milton Keynes and have it in Bedfordshire and Luton too.



Question 12: Is there anything else you want to say about the Pharmacy First Scheme?



Question 13: Is there anything else you want to say about any of our questions?

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Questions about you



We want to make sure we are asking lots of different people what they think.



You do not have to answer the next questions.



But if you do it will help us to check our services work for everyone.

Question 1. How old are you?

☐

18 or younger

☐

55 to 64

☐

18 to 24

☐

65 to 74

☐

25 to 34

☐

75 to 84

☐

35 to 44

☐

85 or older

☐

45 to 54

☐

I don't want
to say

Question 2. Do you have a disability?

☐

Yes

☐

No

☐

I don't want to say

Question 3. If you answered yes to **question 2** please tell what disability you have.



Question 4. What gender are you?

☐

I am female

☐

I am male

☐

I am non-binary
This means you do not see
yourself as a woman or man

☐

I am intersex
This means you have both
male and female parts to your
body



You can tell us what gender you are.

☐

I don't want to say



Question 5. Are you pregnant, given birth in the last 2 weeks or on maternity leave?



Maternity leave is time off from work when you are pregnant or when you have your baby.

☐

Yes

☐

No

☐

I don't
want
to say



Question 6. Have you had an operation to change your gender or are you thinking about it?

☐

Yes

☐

No

☐

I don't want to say



Question 7. What is your Sexual orientation?

Sexual orientation mostly means who you are attracted to.

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I am attracted to both men and women

☐

I am man who is attracted to other men

☐

I am a woman who is attracted to other women

☐

I am a man who is attracted to women or a woman who is attracted to men



You can tell us what your sexual orientation is.

☐

I don't want to say



Question 8. Are you:

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In a civil partnership

☐

Living with someone

☐

Married

☐

Single

☐

Widowed

☐

I don't want to say



Question 9. What is your ethnic group? Ethnic group means your race, background and culture.

White:

☐

English, Northern Irish, Scottish or Welsh

☐

Irish

☐

Gypsy or Irish Traveller

☐

Roma

☐

Any other white background
Please tell us.



Mixed ethnic group:

- ☐ White and Black Caribbean
- ☐ White and Black African
- ☐ White and Asian
- ☐ Other mixed race or backgrounds. Please tell us.

Asian or Asian British:



- ☐ Indian ☐ Pakistani
- ☐ Bangladeshi ☐ Chinese
- ☐ Other Asian or Asian British
Please tell us.

Black or Black British:



- ☐ African ☐ Caribbean
- ☐ Other Black or Black British Please tell us.



Another ethnic group:

☐

Arab

Any other. Please tell us.

☐

I don't want to say



Question 10. What is your religion or belief?

☐

Buddhist

☐

Jewish

☐

Christian

☐

Muslim

☐

Hindu

☐

Sikh

☐

No religion

☐

Atheist

☐

Other religion. Please tell us.

☐

I don't want to say



Thank you for answering our questions



Now post your answers back to us at:

**Policy Consultation
BLMK CCG
Capability House
Wrest Park
Silsoe
MK45 3HR**



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