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Dear Patient

It has long been a commitment of the doctors at The Glebe Surgery to try to maintain an 'own patient list system'. This means that when you make contact with the surgery you speak to your registered GP the majority of time. This ensures a continuity of care, which has significant health benefits proven by recent studies.

This has been difficult more recently due to a lack of clinical staff, quickly expanding numbers of patients choosing to register at our practice and the Covid-19 pandemic.

The British Medical Association suggests an ideal number of patients should be registered with each GP. Currently each GP Partner has at least 15% more patients registered than this ideal number.

We are pleased to say that Dr Amy Garrett has agreed to take on a personal list of patients to help us in our goal of having patient-doctor continuity.

We also hope to have a new GP starting with us in the New Year who will do the same as Dr Garrett. In order for us to equalise our list sizes we will need to move some patients from one doctor to another. There is no easy way to do this that will suit everyone but we will do our best.

Those patients who registered most recently at the practice will be re-registered under Dr Garrett's name. It is likely that a small number of patients who have moved from one doctor to another more recently may receive notice that they have been moved erroneously. If this is the case then please speak to a member of staff and we will review the situation.

Thank you for supporting us in this endeavour, as we truly believe it will improve patient's health and satisfaction with the service we can offer.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'K Newsom', written in a cursive style.

Dr Keir Newsom