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### PatientDynamics GPAQ V3 Report

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#### PatientDynamics GPAQ

PatientDynamics is an independent research company specialising in patient experience. PatientDynamics is an approved supplier of NHS Patient Surveys and a licensed provider of GPAQ.

The General Practice Assessment Questionnaire has been developed at the National Primary Care Research and Development Centre in Manchester for the 2005 GP contract. GPAQ helps practices find out what patients think about their care. It specifically focuses on aspects of general practice that are not covered elsewhere in the Quality and Outcomes Framework – for example, access, inter–personal aspects of care and continuity of care. GPAQ is very similar to GPAS (the General Practice Assessment Survey), which has been extensively used and validated in general practice.

GPAQ Version 3 has been developed by the Cambridge Centre for Health Services Research at the University of Cambridge in collaboration with Peninsula Medical School. GPAQ was originally developed from the PCAS survey with permission of Dr Dana Gelb Safran.

The PatientDynamics GPAQ kit provides everything necessary to perform an independent, reliable survey for GPs with total confidentiality and anonymity for patients.

#### Report Structure

The results of the survey are summarized in the following sections:

- 1. Evaluation Questions patients made a judgement about how good that aspect of care was. Each score is a mean for all patients who completed the question, represented as a percentage of the maximum possible score.
- 2. Report Questions patients were asked about specific experiences or were asked for specific information.
- 3. Demographic Questions

#### Sample and Methodology

A kit comprising of: the desired amount of questionnaires; 5 pens; 2 posters and instructions was posted to the practice. The questionnaires were numbered and matched to the practice or individual doctor. The questionnaires were offered to each patient to be completed in the surgery. The practice then sent the completed questionnaires to PatientDynamics for analysis.

#### Analysis of Survey Results

For evaluation or 'rating' questions, an average score for the whole sample was calculated.

Q1

Rating	Score
Very helpful	100
Fairly helpful	67
Not very helpful	33
Not at all helpful	0

Q2, Q3, Q6

Rating	Score
Very easy	100
Fairly easy	67
Not very easy	33
Not at all easy	0

Q10, Q12, Q14, Q34

Rating	Score
Excellent	100
Very Good	80
Good	60
Fair	40
Poor	20
Very Poor	0

Qs 19-23 & 25-29

Rating	Score
Very good	100
Good	75
Fair	50
Poor	25
Very poor	0

Q24, Q30

Rating	Score
Yes, definitely	100
Yes, to some extent	50
No, not at all	0

Q31, Q32, Q33

Rating	Score
Very well	100
Unsure	50
Not very well	0

Q35

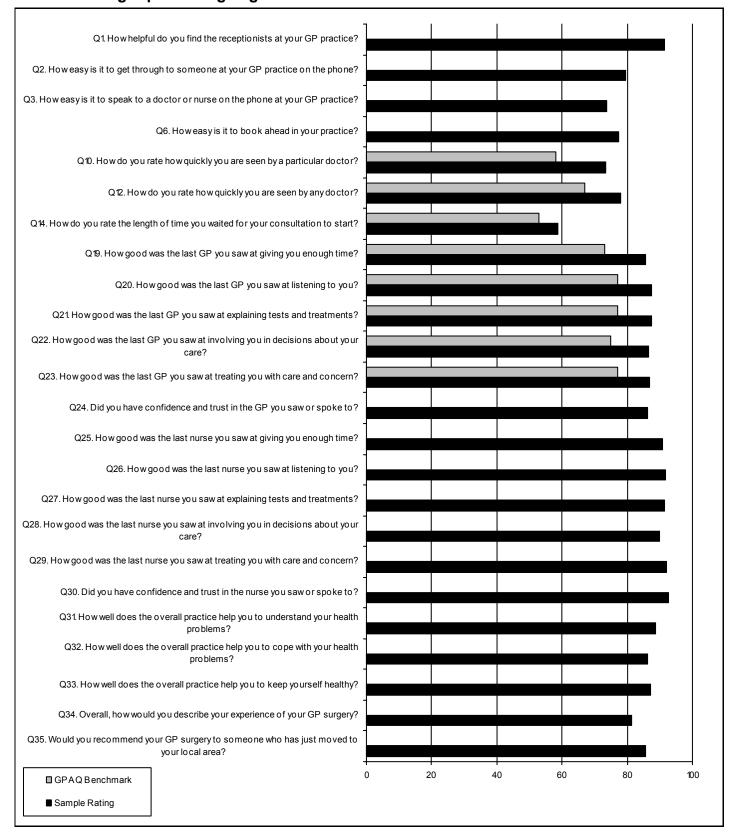
Rating	Score
Yes, definitely	100
Yes, probably	67
No, probably not	33
No, definitely not	0

As GPAQ V3 is a new questionnaire there is not yet enough data to produce benchmark figures using GPAQ V3 alone. An estimate has been made using previous GPAQ data sets.

### 1. Report Ratings

port Natings	<u>Rating</u>	<u>BenchMark</u>
Q1. How helpful do you find the receptionists at your GP practice?	92	0
Q2. How easy is it to get through to someone at your GP practice on the phone?	79	0
Q3. How easy is it to speak to a doctor or nurse on the phone at your GP practice?	74	0
Q6. How easy is it to book ahead in your practice?	77	0
Q10. How do you rate how quickly you are seen by a particular doctor?	73	58
Q12. How do you rate how quickly you are seen by any doctor?	78	67
Q14. How do you rate the length of time you waited for your consultation to start?	59	53
Q19. How good was the last GP you saw at giving you enough time?	86	73
Q20. How good was the last GP you saw at listening to you?	88	77
Q21. How good was the last GP you saw at explaining tests and treatments?	87	77
Q22. How good was the last GP you saw at involving you in decisions about your care?	87	75
Q23. How good was the last GP you saw at treating you with care and concern?	87	77
Q24. Did you have confidence and trust in the GP you saw or spoke to?	86	0
Q25. How good was the last nurse you saw at giving you enough time?	91	0
Q26. How good was the last nurse you saw at listening to you?	92	0
Q27. How good was the last nurse you saw at explaining tests and treatments?	91	0
Q28. How good was the last nurse you saw at involving you in decisions about your care?	90	0
Q29. How good was the last nurse you saw at treating you with care and concern?	92	0
Q30. Did you have confidence and trust in the nurse you saw or spoke to?	93	0
Q31. How well does the overall practice help you to understand your health problems?	89	0
Q32. How well does the overall practice help you to cope with your health problems?	86	0
Q33. How well does the overall practice help you to keep yourself healthy?	87	0
Q34. Overall, how would you describe your experience of your GP surgery?	81	0
Q35. Would you recommend your GP surgery to someone who has just moved to your local area?	86	0

#### Chart showing report ratings against benchmark



#### 2. Report Questions

Q1. I	low helpful do you find the receptionists at your GP tice?	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Very helpful	106	76
2	Fairly helpful	29	21
3	Not very helpful	3	2
4	Not at all helpful	0	0
5	Don't know	1	1
	Question Total:	139	100

	low easy is it to get through to someone at your GP tice on the phone?	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Very easy	70	50
2	Fairly easy	46	33
3	Not very easy	15	11
4	Not at all easy	2	1
5	Don't know	2	1
6	Haven't tried	5	4
	Question Total:	140	100

Q3. How easy is it to speak to a doctor or nurse on the phone at your GP practice?		Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Very easy	46	32
2	Fairly easy	56	39
3	Not very easy	17	12
4	Not at all easy	2	1
5	Don't know	4	3
6	Haven't tried	17	12
	Question Total:	142	100

	Q4. If you need to see a GP urgently, can you normally get seen on the same day?		% of Responses
1	Yes	89	64
2	No	25	18
3	Don't know / never needed to	26	19
	Question Total:	140	100

	ow important is it to you to be able to book ntments ahead of time in your practice?	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Important	122	87
2	Not important	19	13
	Question Total:	141	100

Q6. H	low easy is it to book ahead in your practice?	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Very easy	56	40
2	Fairly easy	58	41
3	Not very easy	13	9
4	Not at all easy	1	1
5	Don't know	6	4
6	Haven't tried	7	5
	Question Total:	141	100

	low do you normally book your appointments at your ice? (please X all boxes that apply)	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	In person	52	31
2	By phone	115	68
3	Online	0	0
4	Doesn't apply	2	1
	Question Total:	169	100

	Which of the following methods would you prefer to use ok appointments? (please X all boxes that apply)	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	In person	51	28
2	By phone	112	62
3	Online	14	8
4	Doesn't apply	3	2
	Question Total:	180	100

	hinking of times when you want to see a particular or, how quickly do you usually get seen?	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Same day or next day	63	47
2	2-4 days	43	32
3	5 days or more	13	10
4	I don't usually need to be seen quickly	4	3
5	Don't know, never tried	11	8
	Question Total:	134	100

	How do you rate how quickly you are seen by a cular doctor?	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Excellent	39	30
2	Very good	34	26
3	Good	20	16
4	Fair	20	16
5	Poor	5	4
6	Very poor	1	1
7	Does not apply	10	8
	Question Total:	129	100

	Thinking of times when you are willing to see any or, how quickly do you usually get seen?	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Same day or next day	84	64
2	2-4 days	31	24
3	5 days or more	5	4
4	I don't usually need to be seen quickly	1	1
5	Don't know, never tried	10	8
	Question Total:	131	100

Q12. docte	How do you rate how quickly you are seen by any or?	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Excellent	46	37
2	Very good	36	29
3	Good	17	13
4	Fair	14	11
5	Poor	4	3
6	Very poor	0	0
7	Does not apply	9	7
	Question Total:	126	100

Q13.	How long did you wait for your consultation to start?	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Less than 5 minutes	9	7
2	5-10 minutes	38	29
3	11-20 minutes	23	17
4	21-30 minutes	19	14
5	More than 30 minutes	24	18
6	There was no set time for my consultation	19	14
	Question Total:	132	100

Q14. How do you rate the length of time you waited for your consultation to start?		Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Excellent	23	18
2	Very good	26	20
3	Good	27	21
4	Fair	27	21
5	Poor	19	15
6	Very poor	5	4
7	Does not apply	3	2
	Question Total:	130	100

	Q15. Is your GP practice currently open at times that are convenient to you?		% of Responses
1	Yes	110	89
2	No	6	5
3	Don't know	7	6
	Question Total:	123	100

	Which additional opening hours would make it easier for o see or speak to someone? (please X all boxes that	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Before 8am	6	75
2	At lunchtime	1	13
3	After 6.30pm	1	13
4	On a Saturday	0	0
5	On a Sunday	0	0
6	None of these	0	0
	Question Total:	8	100

Q17. Is there a particular GP you usually prefer to see or speak to?		Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Yes	76	59
2	No	46	36
3	There is usually only one doctor in my surgery	6	5
	Question Total:	128	100

Q18.	How often do you see or speak to the GP you prefer?	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Always or almost always	29	39
2	A lot of the time	19	26
3	Some of the time	24	32
4	Never or almost never	1	1
5	Not tried at this GP practice	1	1
	Question Total:	74	100

Q19. How good was the last GP you saw at giving you enough time?		Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Very good	73	58
2	Good	34	27
3	Fair	14	11
4	Poor	3	2
5	Very poor	0	0
6	Does not apply	2	2
	Question Total:	126	100

Q20.	How good was the last GP you saw at listening to you?	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Very good	77	61
2	Good	33	26
3	Fair	13	10
4	Poor	1	1
5	Very poor	0	0
6	Does not apply	2	2
	Question Total:	126	100

Question Total:	126	100

	Q21. How good was the last GP you saw at explaining tests and treatments?		% of Responses
1	Very good	74	60
2	Good	30	24
3	Fair	15	12
4	Poor	0	0
5	Very poor	0	0
6	Does not apply	4	3
	Question Total:	123	100

	Q22. How good was the last GP you saw at involving you in decisions about your care?		% of Responses
1	Very good	73	59
2	Good	33	27
3	Fair	11	9
4	Poor	3	2
5	Very poor	0	0
6	Does not apply	4	3
	Question Total:	124	100

	Q23. How good was the last GP you saw at treating you with care and concern?		% of Responses
1	Very good	73	59
2	Good	35	28
3	Fair	11	9
4	Poor	2	2
5	Very poor	0	0
6	Does not apply	3	2
	Question Total:	124	100

	Did you have confidence and trust in the GP you saw or e to?	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Yes, definitely	90	71
2	Yes, to some extent	32	25
3	No, not at all	1	1
4	Don't know / can't say	4	3
	Question Total:	127	100

Q25. How good was the last nurse you saw at giving you enough time?		Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Very good	84	69
2	Good	28	23
3	Fair	6	5
4	Poor	1	1
5	Very poor	0	0
6	Does not apply	2	2
	Question Total:	121	100

Q26. How good was the last nurse you saw at listening to you?		Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Very good	87	72
2	Good	25	21
3	Fair	6	5
4	Poor	1	1
5	Very poor	0	0
6	Does not apply	2	2
	Question Total:	121	100

Q27. How good was the last nurse you saw at explaining tests and treatments?		Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Very good	84	71
2	Good	25	21
3	Fair	6	5
4	Poor	1	1
5	Very poor	0	0
6	Does not apply	3	3
	Question Total:	119	100

Q28. How good was the last nurse you saw at involving you in decisions about your care?		Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Very good	79	66
2	Good	28	23
3	Fair	8	7
4	Poor	1	1
5	Very poor	0	0
6	Does not apply	4	3
	Question Total:	120	100

Q29. How good was the last nurse you saw at treating you with care and concern?		Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Very good	87	74
2	Good	21	18
3	Fair	6	5
4	Poor	1	1
5	Very poor	0	0
6	Does not apply	3	3
	Question Total:	118	100

Q30. Did you have confidence and trust in the nurse you saw or spoke to?		Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Yes, definitely	100	83
2	Yes, to some extent	15	13
3	No, not at all	1	1
4	Don't know / can't say	4	3
	Question Total:	120	100

	How well does the overall practice help you to rstand your health problems?	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Very well	105	79
2	Unsure	17	13
3	Not very well	6	5
4	Does not apply	5	4
	Question Total:	133	100

Q32. How well does the overall practice help you to cope with your health problems?		Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Very well	98	75
2	Unsure	18	14
3	Not very well	8	6
4	Does not apply	6	5
	Question Total:	130	100

	How well does the overall practice help you to keep self healthy?	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Very well	101	75
2	Unsure	23	17
3	Not very well	5	4
4	Does not apply	5	4
	Question Total:	134	100

	Overall, how would you describe your experience of GP surgery?	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Excellent	52	39
2	Very good	51	38
3	Good	21	16
4	Fair	8	6
5	Poor	1	1
6	Very poor	1	1
	Question Total:	134	100

	Would you recommend your GP surgery to someone has just moved to your local area?	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Yes, definitely	76	58
2	Yes, probably	43	33
3	No, probably not	5	4
4	No, definitely not	0	0
5	Don't know	6	5
	Question Total:	130	100

Q36.	Gender: Are you?	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Male	52	39
2	Female	81	61
	Question Total:	133	100

Q37.	How old are you?	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	0-15	1	1
2	16 to 44	77	57
3	45 to 64	35	26
4	65 to 74	14	10
5	75+	8	6
	Question Total:	135	100

Q38.	Do you have a long-standing health condition?	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Yes	1	2
2	No	1	2
3	Don't know / can't say	43	96
	Question Total:	45	100

Q39.	What is your ethnic group?	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	White	84	62
2	Black or Black British	3	2
3	Asian or Asian British	45	33
4	Mixed	0	0
5	Chinese	1	1
6	Other ethnic group	2	1
	Question Total:	135	100

Q40.	Which of the following best describes you?	Number of Responses	% of Responses
1	Employed (full or part time, including self-employed)	58	44
2	Unemployed / looking for work	8	6
3	At school or in full time education	8	6
4	Unable to work due to long term sickness	13	10
5	Looking after your home / family	20	15
6	Retired from paid work	17	13
7	Other	7	5
	Question Total:	131	100

This report is based on a total of 144 completed questionnaires

#### **Report - Open Ended Comments**

#### Q41. Finally, please add any comments you would like to make about your GP practice:

Practice is excellent
Hard finding somewhere to sit. Need some small toys or books
Pharmacy has problems dispensing correct tablets as recommended by the consultant
Excellent practice - can't be faulted
Fantastic surgery
Nothing to add
Happy with the service
I think it's important that you're seen within 15 minutes of your appointment time
Waiting time to se GP is very long, even with pre-booked appointments. Too many patients not enough GPs
I'd recommend the GP but there is always a long wait
Receptionists are good
Just started coming here
Satisfied with practice
I feel the GP is pushing me out. Spend no time asking questions before giving me a prescription. 3 times female GP gave me the wrong thing
Pracice is excellent. Great doctor and lovely staff
The walk-in clinic. People are asking for one appointment and a family turns up. Unfair on other patients
Always received superb service
Surgery has greatly improved. Long wait for doctor- keep up the good work

Excellent service here	
Practice is always very good	
Excellent team - personal service	
It's very good	
Walk-in clinic could be improved from 9am instead of 11am. Difficult to get out of work later on	
Doctor is never in when you want to see them. The waiting in the waiting rooms is ridiculous even when you've made an appointment. You can be waiting an hour	
Fntastice service but the waitng can be too long	
GP and staff excellent. Accesibility of services under one roof is good. More seating required in reception. Develop GP volunteers to engage with patients.	



#### **General Practice Assessment Questionnaire**

We would be grateful if you would complete this survey about your general practice. Your doctors want to provide the highest standard of care. Feedback from this survey will help them to identify areas that may need improvement. Your opinions are very valuable.

Please answer ALL the questions that apply to you by putting an X in one box unless more than one answer is allowed. There are no right or wrong answers and your doctor will NOT be able to identify your individual answers.

About Receptionists a	nd Appointments
1 How helpful do you find the receptionists at your GP practice?	Q5 How important is it to you to be able to book appointments ahead of time in your practice?
□¹ Very helpful □² Fairly helpful □³ Not very helpful □⁴ Not at all helpful	□¹ Important □² Not important
□ Don't know	Q6 How easy is it to book ahead in your practice?
2 How easy is it to get through to someone at your GP practice on the phone?  1 Very easy	☐¹ Very easy ☐² Fairly easy ☐³ Not very easy ☐⁴ Not at all easy
□² Fairly easy □³ Not very easy □⁴ Not at all easy □⁵ Don't know	☐ <sup>6</sup> Don't know ☐ <sup>8</sup> Haven't tried
☐ Haven't tried	Q7 How do you normally book your appointments at your practice?
3 How easy is it to speak to a doctor or nurse on the phone at your GP practice?	(please X all boxes that apply)  □¹ In person
□¹ Very easy □² Fairly easy □³ Not very easy	□² By phone □³ Online □⁴ Doesn't apply
□⁴ Not at all easy □⁵ Don't know □⁴ Haven't tried	Q8 Which of the following methods would you prefer to use to book appointments at your practice?
4 If you need to see a GP urgently, can you normally get seen on the same day?	(please X all boxes that apply)  □¹ In person □² By phone
☐¹ Yes ☐² No ☐³ Don't know / never needed to	☐ Online ☐ Doesn't apply

a particular doctor:  Q9 How quickly do you usually get seen?  □¹ Same day or next day □² 2-4 days □³ 5 days or more □⁴ I don't usually need to be seen quickly	□¹ Excellent □² Very good □³ Good □⁴ Fair □⁵ Poor □⁵ Very poor □² Does not apply
Q10 How do you rate this?	About opening times
□¹ Excellent □² Very good □³ Good □⁴ Fair □⁵ Poor □⁵ Very poor	Q15 Is your GP practice currently open at times that are convenient to you?  □ Yes
☐ Does not apply  Thinking of times when you are willing to see any doctor:	Q16 Which of the following additional open hours would make it easier for you to s or speak to someone?
□¹ Same day or next day □² 2-4 days □³ 5 days or more □⁴ I don't usually need to be seen quickly □⁵ Don't know, never tried  Q12 How do you rate this?	□¹ Before 8am □² At lunchtime □³ After 6.30pm □⁴ On a Saturday □⁵ On a Sunday □⁵ None of these
□¹ Excellent □² Very good □³ Good □⁴ Fair □⁵ Poor □° Very poor □² Does not apply	About seeing the doctor of your choice  Q17 Is there a particular GP you usually prefer to see or speak to?
Thinking of your most recent consultation with a doctor or nurse  Q13 How long did you wait for your	□² No
consultation to start?  □¹ Less than 5 minutes □² 5 – 10 minutes □³ 11 – 20 minutes □⁴ 21 – 30 minutes □⁵ More than 30 minutes □⁵ There was no set time for my consultation	Q18 How often do you see or speak to the GP you prefer?  □¹ Always or almost always □² A lot of the time □³ Some of the time □¹ Never or almost never □² Not tried at this GP practice

How good was the last nurse you

saw at each of the following?

If you haven't seen a nurse in your practice in the last 6 months, please go to Q31

## How good was the last GP you saw at each of the following? If you haven't seen a GP in your practice in the last 6 months, please go to Q25

#### Q25 Giving you enough time Q19 Giving you enough time □¹ Very good □¹ Very good □² Good □² Good □³ Fair □³ Fair ☐ Poor □⁴ Poor □ Very poor ☐ Very poor □ Does not apply □ Does not apply Q26 Listening to you Q20 Listening to you □¹ Very good □¹ Very good ☐ Good ☐2 Good □³ Fair □³ Fair □⁴ Poor ☐4 Poor □ Very poor □ Very poor □ Does not apply □<sup>6</sup> Does not apply Q27 Explaining tests and treatments Q21 Explaining tests and treatments □¹ Very good □¹ Very good □² Good ☐ Good ☐ Fair □³ Fair ☐ Poor ☐ Poor ☐ Very poor □ Very poor □ Does not apply □<sup>6</sup> Does not apply Q22 Involving you in decisions about your care Q28 Involving you in decisions about your care □¹ Very good □¹ Very good ☐ Good ☐ Good □³ Fair □3 Fair □¹ Poor □¹ Poor □<sup>6</sup> Very poor □<sup>6</sup> Very poor □ Does not apply □ Does not apply Q23 Treating you with care and concern Q29 Treating you with care and concern □¹ Very good □¹ Very good □² Good □² Good □³ Fair □³ Fair ☐ Poor □⁴ Poor □<sup>6</sup> Very poor □<sup>5</sup> Very poor ☐ Does not apply □ Does not apply Q24 Did you have confidence and trust in the Q30 Did you have confidence and trust in the nurse you saw or spoke to? GP you saw or spoke to? □¹ Yes, definitely □¹ Yes, definitely □² Yes, to some extent □² Yes, to some extent □3 No, not at all □3 No, not at all □⁴ Don't know / can't say □⁴ Don't know / can't say If you know the name of the nurse you last If you know the name of the GP you last saw, please write it here: saw, please write it here:

#### About care from your doctors and nurses

Thinking about the care you get from your doctors and nurses overall, how well does the practice help you to:

practice help you to:	Q36 Are you?
Q31 Understand your health problems?	□¹ Male □² Femal
□¹ Very well □² Unsure □³ Not very well	Q37 How old a
☐ Does not apply  Q32 Cope with your health problems	☐¹ Under ☐² 16 to 4 ☐³ 45 to 6
□¹ Very well □² Unsure	□⁴ 65 to 7 □⁵ 75 or o
☐³ Not very well ☐⁴ Does not apply	Q38 Do you ha condition
Q33 Keep yourself healthy	□¹ Yes □² No
☐² Unsure ☐³ Not very well ☐⁴ Does not apply	□¹ Don'tk Q39 Whatis yo
Q34 Overall, how would you describe your experience of your GP surgery?	□¹ White □² Black o □³ Asian o
□¹ Excellent □² Very good □³ Good	□¹ Mixed □⁵ Chines □⁵ Other o
□⁴ Fair □⁵ Poor □⁵ Very poor	Q40 Which of t you?
Q35 Would you recommend your GP surgery to someone who has just moved to your local area?	□ Employ includir □ Unemp □ At sch
□¹ Yes, definitely □² Yes, probably □³ No, probably not □⁴ No, definitely not □⁵ Don't know	□⁴ Unable sicknes □⁵ Lookin □⁵ Retired □² Other

It will help us to understand your answers if you could tell us a little about yourself

	Male Female
Q37 Ho	w old are you?
<u> </u>	Under 16 16 to 44 45 to 64 65 to 74 75 or over
	you have a long-standing health idition?
□ <sup>2</sup>	Yes No Don't know / can't say
Q39 Wh	at is your ethnic group?
	White Black or Black British Asian or Asian British Mixed Chinese Other ethnic group
Q40 Wh you?	ich of the following best describes
	Employed (full or part time, including self-employed) Unemployed / looking for work
□3	At school or in full time education Unable to work due to long term sickness
□8	Looking after your home/family Retired from paid work Other

Finally, please add any other comments you would like to make about your GP practice:



