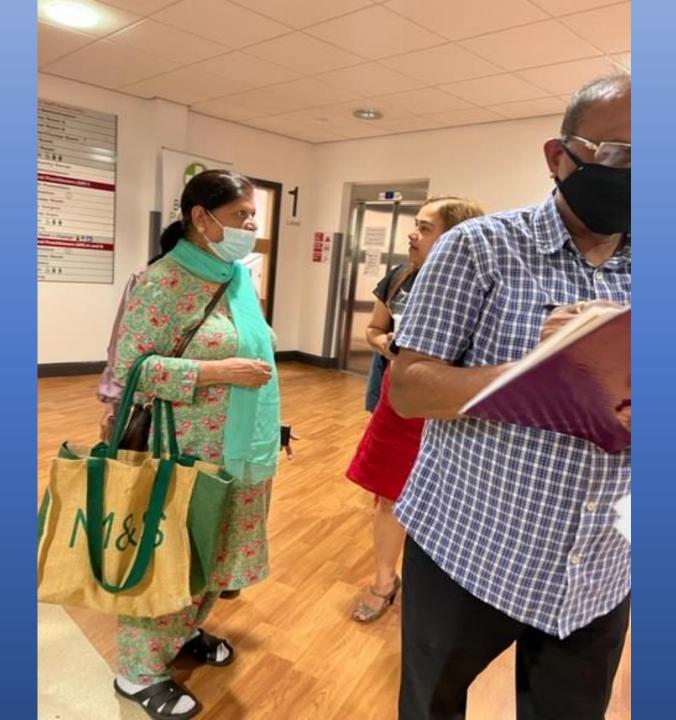
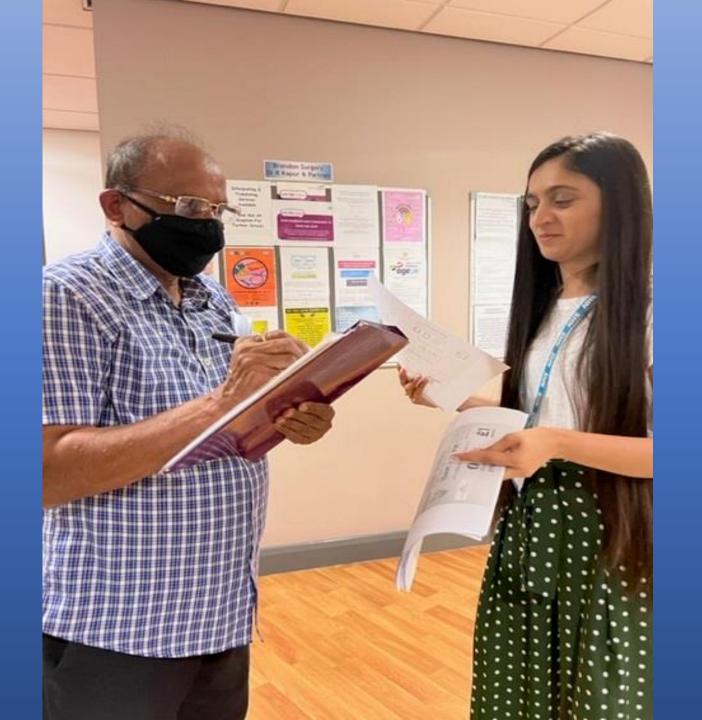
## **Dr R Kapur & Partner**

### **Diabetes Awareness Health Event**

16<sup>th</sup> June 2022





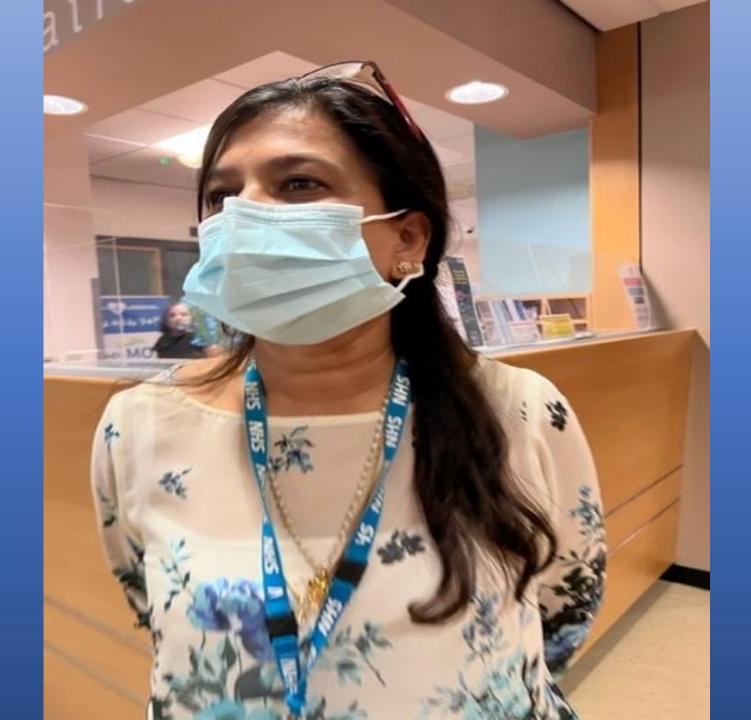




















































Diabetes) Self-Help Group Dr Sonal R Bhavsar (BAMS) Website: <u>https://www.diabetesselfhelpgro</u> <u>up.co.uk/</u> Phone: 07921565385 Email: <u>dgleicester@gmail.com</u>

#### About (Diabetes) Self-help group

Diabetes Self-Help Group was set up in January 2012 to offer help and support to people in community having diabetes condition, social & emotional isolation as well as taking control of their sugar level through our regular meetings.

We are a community-based Self-Help Group in Belgrave area Leicester, where adults with a diabetes condition can join our physical activity groups, share their experiences, meet new people, make friends and take part in group discussions such as healthy eating, doing physical activity which help people to improve their lifestyle.

For the last six years, we have also opened the membership for non-diabetic patients who have High Blood Pressure, Heart condition, Living alone, Socially excluded and any other long term health conditions. We started our coffee morning at The Church of Resurrection at Surrey Street then moved to Belgrave Neighborhood Centre which is currently closed due to covid restrictions and currently we are meeting at Moira Street Temple.

#### Aims:

- To share feelings, anxiety and experiences
- To meet people with the same problems
- To learn from each other and support each other
- To promote healthy and active lifestyle
- To improve mental and physical health well-being
- To understand the condition better by attending talk and workshops from professionals

#### Who can join?

- Anyone with long term health condition
- If you are suffering from diabetes type 1 or type 2
- If you are caring for diabetic person
- If you are on tablet or insulin
- If you are diagnosed on a border line
- If you would like to know more about diabetes
- If any of your family member has diabetes and you are a high risk

#### What do we offer?

- Share experiences on diet, exercise and healthy lifestyle
- Professionals coming to our group to offer information.
- We discuss different health topics at our daily meetings. i.e., maintaining healthy diet, unhealthy food, stress affects mental health, importance of physical activity
- We offer range of activities. i.e., indoor and outdoor including group walks, gardening, picnics, yoga etc

#### How to join us?

You can self-refer to our service by calling 07921565385 or by email <u>deleicester@gmail.com</u> or by sending us our completed referral form (form attached in an email) We also take referrals from other organisation such as stroke association, Leicester Ageing together, GP surgeries and many more.

#### How can you help?

- By offering your time or expertise i.e., to improve our service, admin support, Group activity suggestions, funding etc (we are open to new ideas)
- Donation Your little help will keep the groups going
- Suggestion for marketing ideas & materials

#### Where do we meet?

Coffee morning Monday	Gardening & plant growing session
Time: 10 am to 12 pm Venue: Shakti Mandir, Moira Street, Leicester	COMING SOON
Currently offering 12 weeks course from University of Leicester	We do seed planning and growing session in a fresh environment for improving mental and physical health.
called Healthy Goal. We offered 45 minutes Health talk and 45 minutes of physical activities.	
Golf Project for family and teenagers Date to be confirmed	

We also had the below two groups running twice a week but due to pandemic situation we had to stop the groups. But with everything getting back to normal we will be resuming those groups soon. Below are the details:

Every Wednesday Coffee morning	Every Saturday Health Meeting
COMING SOON	COMING SOON

For more details on diabetes self-help please visit the below website:

https://www.diabetesselfhelpgroup.co.uk/

# Thank You