

MEMBERS BULLETIN

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Dear All

Two quick information updates...

Covid-19 and Cancer, a 12-point plan

As Cancer52, along with some of our member charities, we signed up to the **One Cancer Voice 12-point plan** earlier this week. It went to the Prime Minister and others and asks for amongst other things a round table at Number 10 to discuss cancer care now and post-pandemic. We asked that the role of charities be included in the plan. You can see the letter to the PM [here](#); the plan itself [here](#) and the planned distribution list [here](#).

Shielding update

An update is anticipated later this week. We will do our best to share any advance notice we get of any content - we know that some shifts are expected in guidance and that there are plans to issue an FAQ as well.

Meetings

We had a good **Policy and Public Affairs Steering Group** meeting yesterday, with thanks to our new Chair, Chris Walden of Blood Cancer UK. Shielding and policy asks of any emerging NHSE Cancer Plan were key discussion topics.

Next week sees the second of our **CEO calls** with 15 CEOs currently signed up. If you or your CEO would like further info on this please [let us know](#). Agenda being drafted but likely to cover such topics as future of rare and less common cancer charities, common messaging, fundraising and costs.

Finally...

Thanks all for your support in generating response to the patient survey and for being so helpful in both constructing it and improving it as it lands. We are up to 970 responses today, and will issue a full update next week so we can look at response levels by cancer type as far as is possible.

Best wishes and thanks again.

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