healthwatch Gateshead

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Change Control

Project Title	PPG Award	Project Manager	Lyndsay Yarde	Date	Jul 20

Change ID		
Change documented by	Lyndsay Yarde	
Change description	Due to the continuing impact of Coronavirus on the capacity of GP practices, I would like to extend the length of the pilot until the end of the year.	
Change impact	I'm currently in the process of contacting all patricipants and of those spoken to (9 of the 12) only 1 practice wants to drop out, all the others want to continue, however most have completely stopped working on the award and are only just starting to re-engage with the pilot. This means completing by September is not realistic for them. Extending the pilot until December will enable more to complete and improve the effectiveness of the project. We could extend further, however I believe this will could result in the project just fizzling out and its value will be lost. A december deadline will allow the evaluation to start in the New Year and hopefully the whole project will be completed by end March 2021	
Options	 To continue to work towards a September dealine To impose a new deadline of December 2020 To extend the pilot beyond December 2020 I would like to propose we go with the middle option 	
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